

# Bobcat: “Cootie Catcher or Fortune Teller”

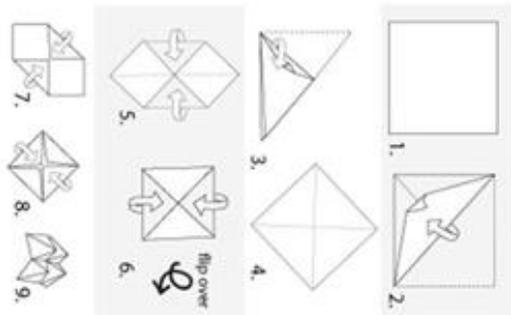


## Materials:

- Copy of the activity for each Scout, see appendix
- Kid friendly scissors
- Samples



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**Cub Scout Motto**  
Do Your Best!



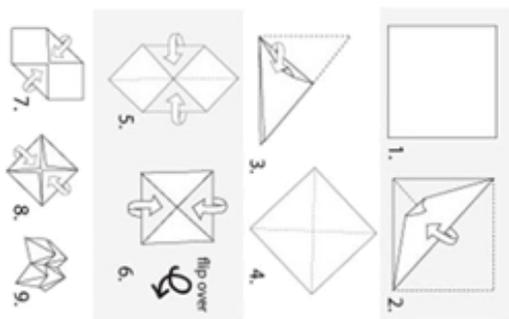
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A Scout is ...  
trustworthy,  
loyal,  
helpful,  
friendly,  
courteous,  
kind,  
obedient,  
cheerful,  
thrifty,  
brave,  
clean,  
and reverent.



**Scout Oath**  
On my honor,  
I will do my best  
To do my duty to God and my country  
And to obey the Scout Law;  
To help other people at all times;  
To keep myself physically strong,  
mentally awake,  
and morally straight.



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### Cub Scout Motto

Do Your Best!

### Sign



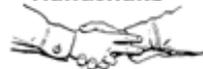
### Salute



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### Handshake



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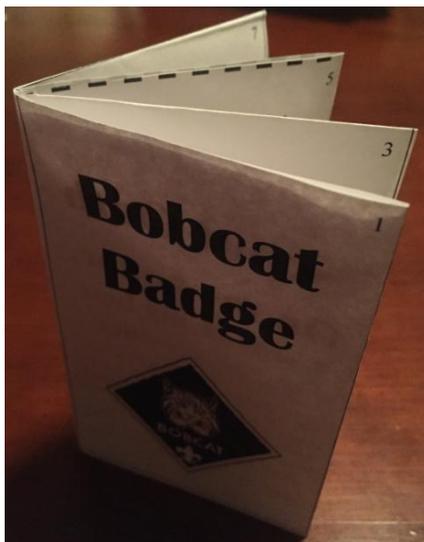


## Bobcat Trail Game

1. Cut out the big square on the outside lines.
2. Fold into quarters along the lines that point to the sides of the square.
3. Fold the triangle corners (with ranks) to the center.
4. Turn over and again fold corners to the center.
5. Turn back to the first side.
6. Put thumbs and index finders into pockets to play the game.

<p>1</p>  <p>2</p> <p>Show the Cub Scout handshake</p>	<p>3</p>  <p>4</p> <p>Show the Cub Scout salute</p>
<p>5</p>  <p>6</p> <p>Say the Scout Oath.</p>	<p>7</p>  <p>8</p> <p>Say the Scout Law.</p>
<p>9</p> <p>What is the Cub Scout motto?</p>	<p>10</p> <p>What is your favorite part of the Scout Law?</p>
<p>11</p> <p>What is your favorite part of the Scout Oath?</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Show the Cub Scout Sign</p>

# Bobcat Book



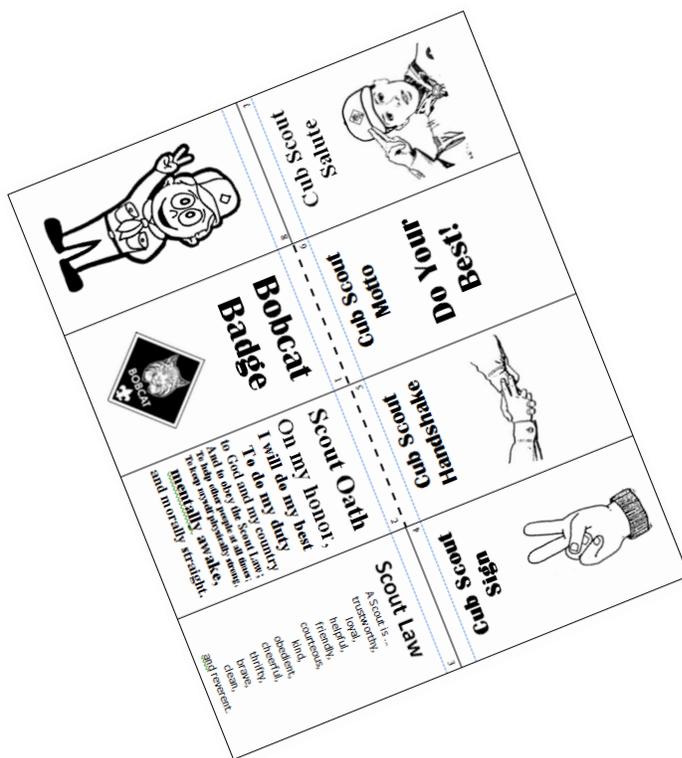
## Materials:

- Copy for each Scout, see appendix
- Kid friendly scissors
- Samples

1. Cut out the border (outside lines)
2. Fold along all lines
3. Fold in half (top to bottom)
4. Cut dotted line



5. Open out push center cut apart in diamond, and refold the other way and form into a book.

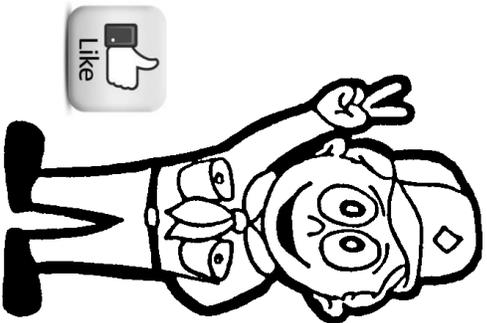




## Cub Scout Salute

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## Do Your Best!



## Cub Scout Motto

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## Bobcat Badge



## Cub Scout Handshake

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**Scout Oath**  
**On my honor,**  
**I will do my best**  
**To do my duty**  
**to God and my country**  
**And to obey the Scout Law;**  
**To help other people at all times;**  
**To keep myself physically strong,**  
**mentally awake,**  
**and morally straight.**



## Cub Scout Sign

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**Scout Law**  
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# Scout Oath and Law



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L F T N E R E V E R Y N S M Q  
 S A R Z K B Y Z F H A Y T D O  
 C R Y I G J H X T E G O R L A  
 D H N O E R R R L C F B O B T  
 Q D H S L N O C H B E E N Q H  
 P N T I L W D E H L V D G P U  
 A M Y R T O E L U U A I D I D  
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 I R J U F L P A N I E T O C B  
 T B L V E I C P J N Q U R C K  
 B Z K H W W N N N I T T R P O  
 T H R I F T Y U U O T T O M I  
 Q X W W Y P A B P J A W A K E  
 W A L Y C O U R T E O U S I L

On my honor I will do my best to do my duty to God and my country and to obey the Scout Law; to help other people at all times; to keep myself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight.

## Find the following words:

Awake

Brave

Cheerful

Clean

Courteous

Friendly

Helpful

Kind

Law

Loyal

Motto

Oath

Obedient

Reverent

Scout

Strong

Thrifty

Trustworthy

Uniform

# Scout Oath and Law



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A 15x15 grid of letters with several words circled in blue. The circled words are: NEVER, SARZ, CRYS, DHNO, QDHS, PNTIL, AMYRT, GZRS, XZUO, IRJU, TBLV, BZKH, THRI, QXWW, WALY, CHER, HXTE, OCHB, EENQ, H, O, R, L, A, T, O, B, T, H, U, U, A, I, D, I, D, G, R, E, J, M, S, N, B, N, F, C, Y, E, T, O, C, B, J, N, Q, U, R, C, K, N, N, N, I, T, T, R, P, O, U, U, O, T, T, O, M, I, A, B, P, J, A, W, A, K, E, C, O, U, R, T, E, O, U, S, I, L.

Find the following words:

- |           |          |             |
|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Awake     | Kind     | Slogan      |
| Brave     | Law      | Strong      |
| Cheerful  | Loyal    | Thrifty     |
| Clean     | Motto    | Troop       |
| Courteous | Oath     | Trustworthy |
| Friendly  | Obedient | Uniform     |
| Helpful   | Reverent |             |
| Joining   | Scout    |             |

# Bobcat: Scout Law and Oath Game



## Materials:

- 12 craft sticks or tongue depressors per set, with one point of the Scout Law written on each stick

1. Write one point of the Scout Law or one phrase of the Scout Oath on each stick
2. Mix up the sticks and throw them on a table.
3. Have the Scouts put the set together in the correct order.

For a fun variation, make several sets and mix them together. Have teams race against each other to see who can get all twelve points of the Scout Law in the correct order first.

For a more challenging variation (e.g., for a second or third den meeting), throw in some words which are not part of the Scout Law – happy, grateful, punctual, organized)

## Variation



## Materials:

- Each point of the Scout Law written on pieces of poster board (or cardboard or corrugated cardboard)

### Another variation

- Parts of the Scout Oath written on pieces of poster board (or cardboard or corrugated cardboard)

Copy of Scout Law and Scout Oath for the volunteer to use as a guide (see appendix)

Jumble up the words or phrases, and have the boys put them back in order.

# Bobcat: Scout Law Craft



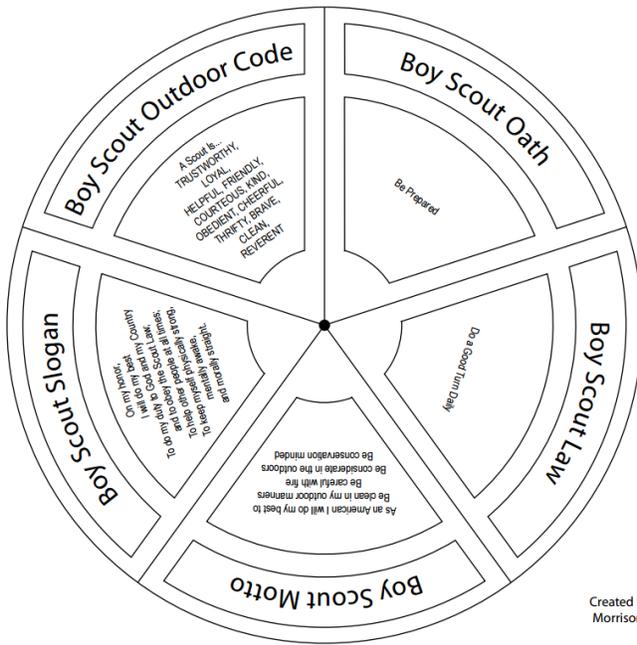
## Materials:

- 16 craft sticks per Scout
- Yarn or string (~6" per Scout), pre-cut
- markers
- glue
- paper plates (to put glue on so they don't use too much glue)
- small painting brushes
- poster of the Scout Law (or several copies on each table –see appendix)
- sample craft
- paper towels / wet wipes
- paper to cover tables

1. Give each Scout 13 craft sticks (12 points of Scout Law, plus “A Scout is ...” on the top stick)
2. Have them write one point of the Scout Law on each stick.
3. Give them 3 additional craft sticks and have them glue the Scout Law sticks on top.
4. Have them use small paint brushes and brush the glue off the paper plate and paint the 3 craft sticks and then put the 13 craft sticks on top. Optional, glue on string or yarn as a hold.
5. Have the Scouts write their name and pack number on the back.

# Bobcat: Wheel

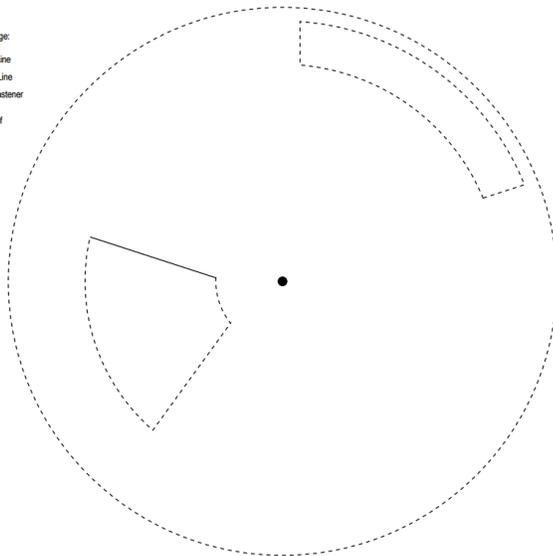
Scout Law, Oath, Slogan, Motto, Outdoor Code



- Materials:**
- Copies of the wheel on cardstock for each Scout
  - Brad, one per Scout
  - Scout friendly scissors

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Directions:  
 Cut and fold this page:  
 - - - - - Cut Line  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Fold Line  
 ● Paper Fastener  
 attach to center of first page



Cub Scout Motto



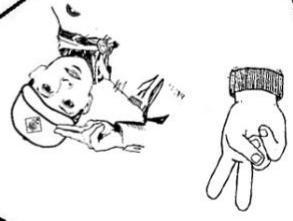
Cub Scout Sign & Salute

On my honor,  
I will do my best  
To do my duty to God and my Country  
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Cub Scout Handshake

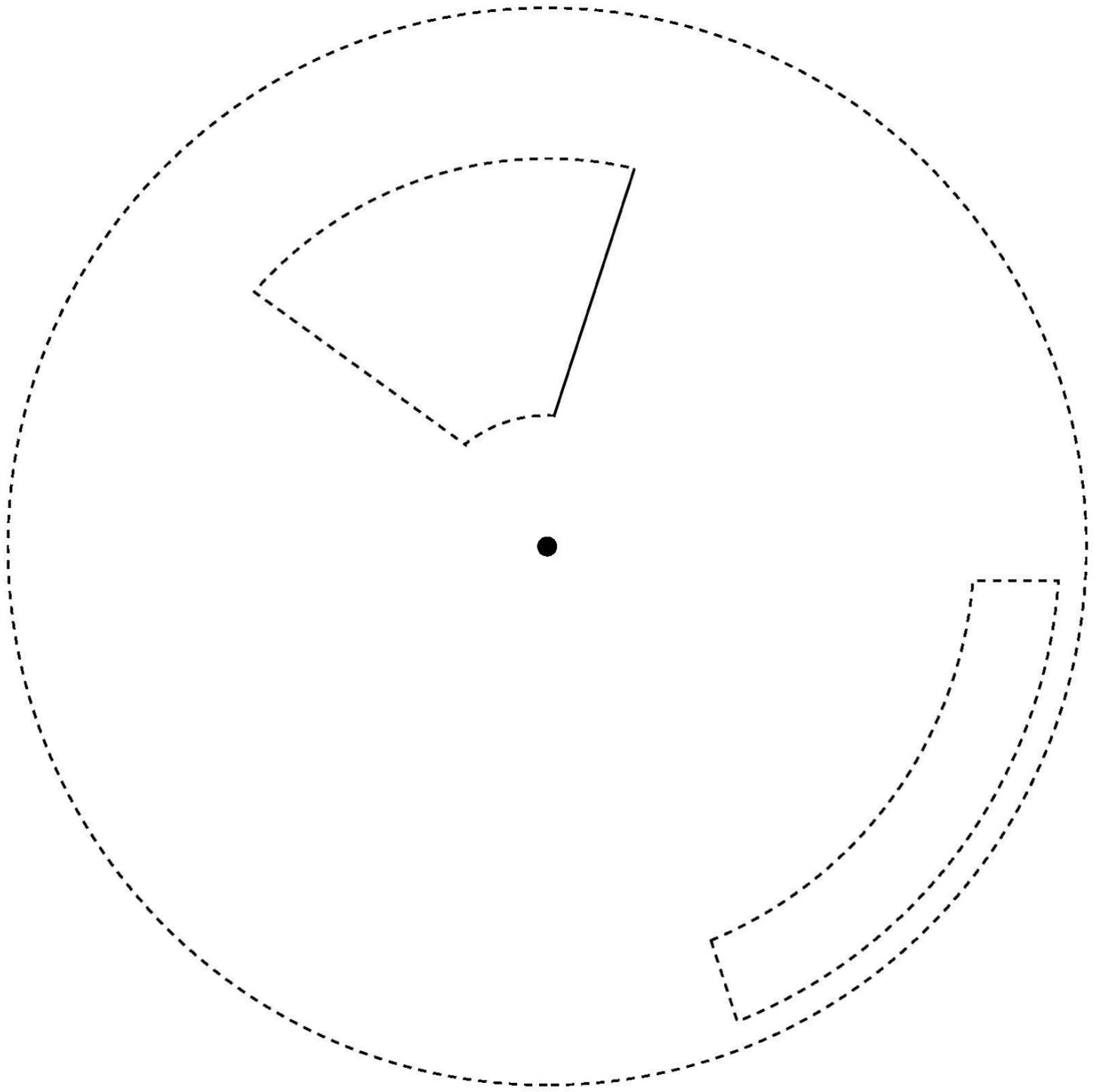
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TRUSTWORTHY,  
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COURTEOUS, KIND,  
OBEDIENT, CHEERFUL,  
THRIFTY, BRAVE,  
CLEAN,  
REVERENT

Scout Law



Do Your Best!

Scout Oath



# Bobcat: Relay Race Game



## Materials:

- Copies of the Bobcat requirements for the volunteer (appendix)

Divide the den into two teams and have them line up at one end of the room. At the other end, station a volunteer or parent for each team. Give the volunteer or parent a copy of

Have the first boy on each team run to the parent for their team. The parent asks the boy to say or demonstrate one of the following:

1. Scout Oath
2. Scout Law
3. Cub Scout Motto
4. Cub Scout Sign
5. Cub Scout Handshake
6. Cub Scout Salute

If the boy can't answer, the parent helps.

Variation: The boys roll a dice when they get to a parent and the number on the dice corresponds to which skill he needs to demonstrate.

Variation (for returning Scouts – for a second or third den meeting): If the boy can answer the question with assistance, he runs back to tag the next boy. If he can't answer the question at all, he runs back to his team to get help then returns and answers the question.

## I've Got That Cub Scout Spirit

Tune: Down in My Heart

[Point to each part of the body as you sing]

I've got that Cub Scout spirit up in my head

Up in my head, Up in my head.

I've got that Cub Scout spirit up in my head

Up in my head to stay.

I've got that Cub Scout spirit deep in my heart

Deep in my heart, deep in my heart.

I've got that Cub Scout spirit deep in my heart

Deep in my heart to stay.

I've got that Cub Scout spirit down in my feet

Down in my feet, down in my feet.

I've got that Cub Scout spirit down in my feet,

Down in my feet to stay.

I've got that Cub Scout spirit up in my head

Deep in my heart, down in my feet

I've got that Cub Scout spirit all over me

All over me to stay!



## Race to Salute

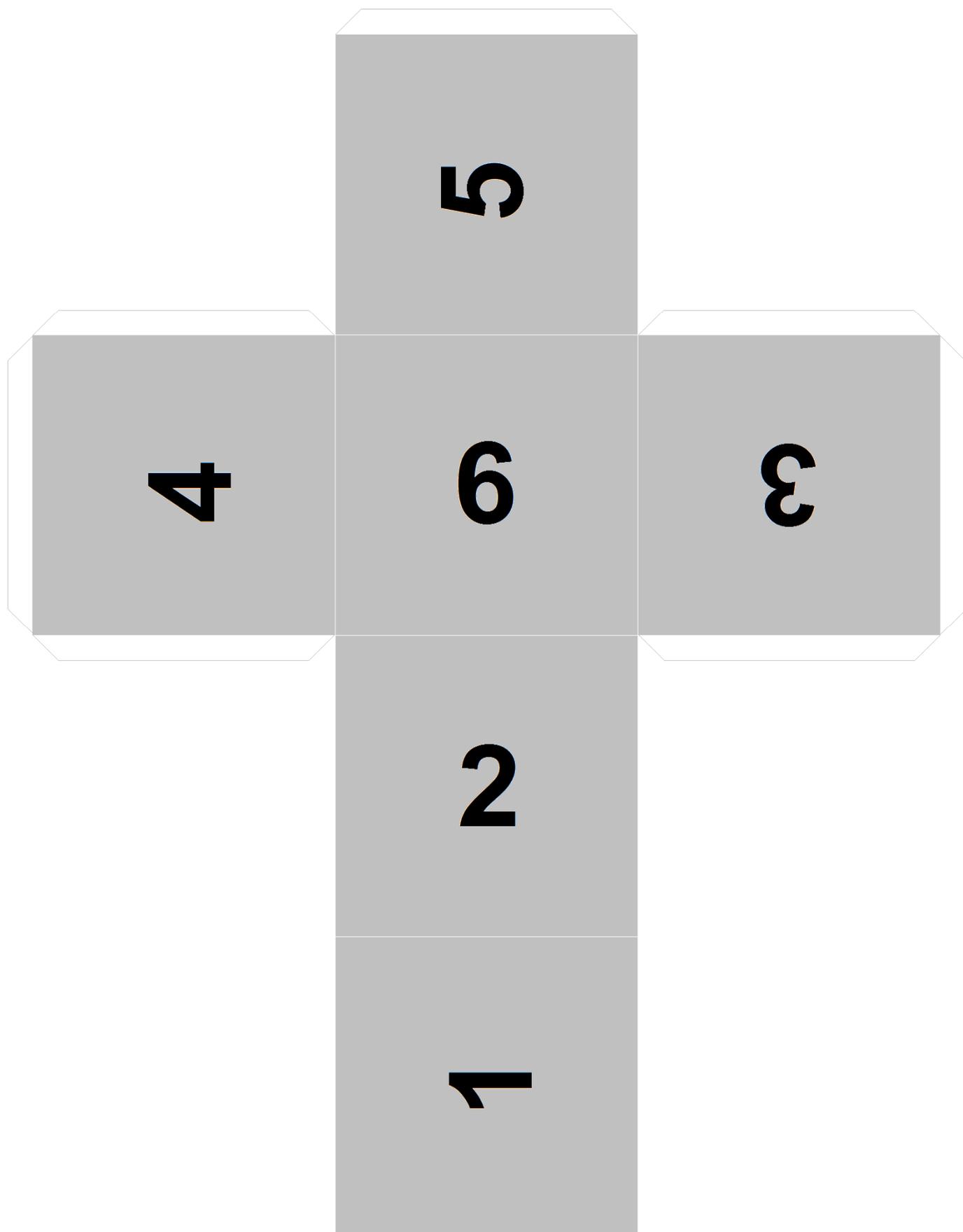
### Materials:

None

### Instructions:

1. Have the Cub Scouts form two teams and ask them to practice making their Cub Scout salute. There may be a need to do a quick review of the Cub Scout salute.
2. Have a leader line up in facing the first player on each team.
3. On the “go” signal, the first player on each team runs to the leader, and gives the Cub Scout salute.
4. If the Cub Scout salute is given correctly, the leader gives a “thumbs up” signal and the Cub Scout runs back to his team to tag the next Cub Scout in line who comes to give the Cub Scout salute.
5. If the Cub Scout salute is given incorrectly, the leader gives a “thumbs down” signal and tells the Cub Scout how to give the correct salute. After giving the salute correctly, the Cub Scout runs back to his team to tag the next Cub Scout in line who comes to give the Cub Scout salute.
6. The first team to give the Cub Scout salute correctly 10 times wins. .





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## Learn the Scout Law

The 12 points of the Scout Law are numbered as follows:

- 1 – Trustworthy
- 2 – Loyal
- 3 – Helpful
- 4 – Friendly
- 5 – Courteous
- 6 – Kind
- 7 – Obedient
- 8 – Cheerful
- 9 – Thrifty
- 10 – Brave
- 11 – Clean
- 12 – Reverent



### Materials:

Dice sheets (1 per Cub Scout) copied on colored cardstock, glue, scissors

Using the dice sheets, scissors and tape or glue, have the Cub Scouts each create a one die.

First as a group – take one of the die and have a Webelos Scout volunteer (or the adult leader) roll the die. If the number comes up a 5, for example, the entire group will say the Scout Law from the beginning up to the 5<sup>th</sup> point (courteous). If a one is rolled, then they say “A Scout is trustworthy.” Once the group masters the first six points of the law, add a second die and then the numbers that are rolled are added together to get the numbers go from 2 to 12.

After doing it as a group for a bit, divide into smaller groups (since they will all have dice) and let them all have chances to roll dice and work on repeating the Scout Law.

# Trusty Tommy

(sung to the tune of Yankee Doodle)

**Trusty** Tommy was a Scout  
**Loyal** to his mother  
**Helpful** to the friends about, and  
**Friendly** to his brother  
**Courteous** to all about  
**Kind** unto the rabbits  
**Obedient** to his father, too, and  
**Cheerful** in his habits -  
**Thrifty** saving for a need  
**Brave**, and not a faker -  
**Clean** in thought and word and deed, and  
**Reverent** to his Maker.



Cub Scouts need to learn the Scout Law – and a song is fun way to learn it. The only word that isn't exactly the same in the Scout Law is "Trusty." In the Scout Law instead of "Trusty" we use the word "Trustworthy."

If you are not familiar with the tune of "Yankee Doodle," you can find a recording of the song being sung at <http://freekidsmusic.com/traditional-childrens-songs/yankee-doodle/>

## Some Bobcat Basics

### Materials:

None

### Discussion:

All Cub Scouts need to complete their bobcat rank – or be a bobcat – before they can really get busy on other rank activities.



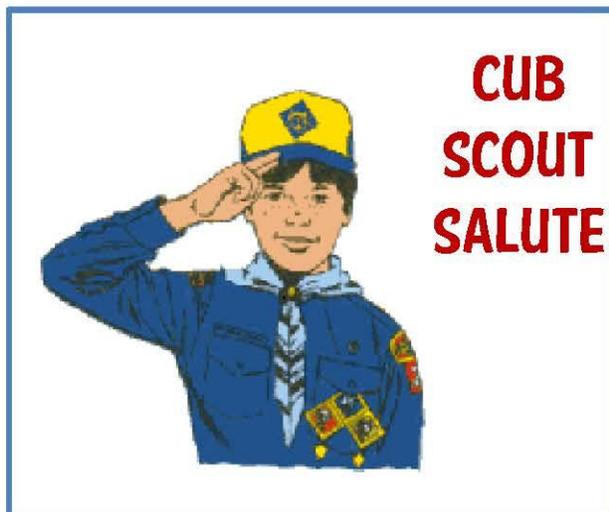
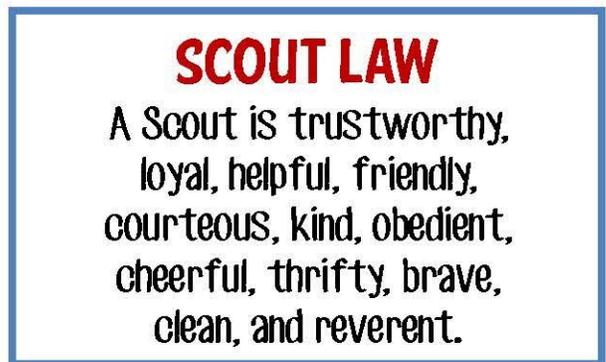
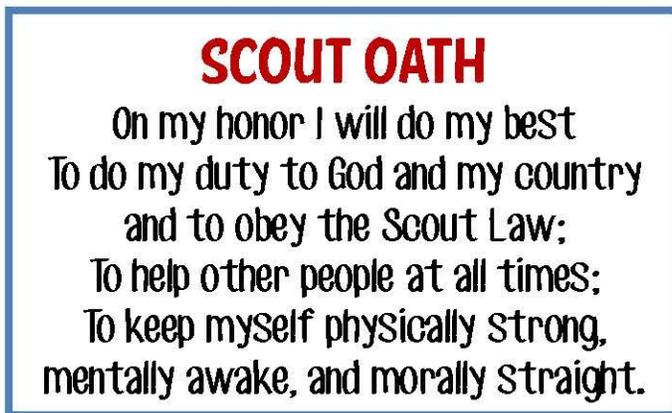
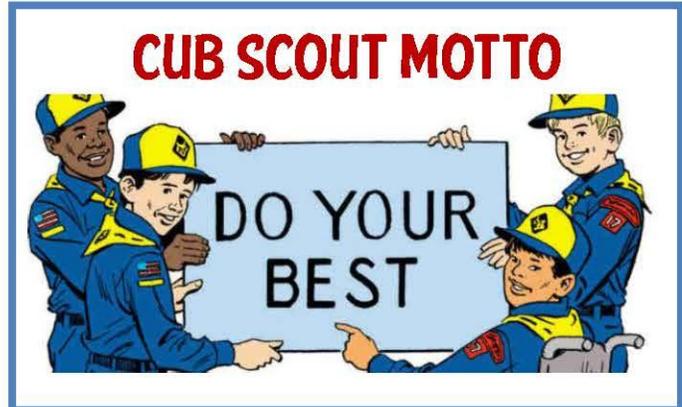
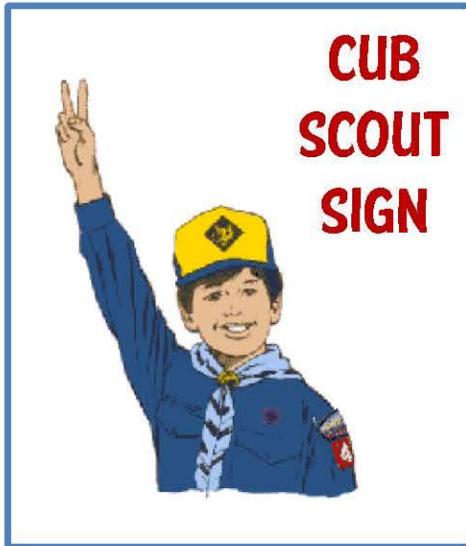
These are very simple requirements, but let's review some of them so that we can make sure that we know them.

**How do we make the Cub Scout sign?** [See who can make the Cub Scout sign. Make sure that the right arm is straight up – no bent elbows. Ask them if they know what the two fingers stand for. The two fingers stand for – “to help other people” and “to obey” – two parts of our Scout Oath.]

**How do we make the Cub Scout salute?** [See who can make the Cub Scout salute. Ask them when they might use the salute.]

**How do we make the Cub Scout handshake?** Can you do it with one of your Cub Scout buddies? [Demonstrate the Cub Scout handshake to show the group if they do not know how to make the Cub Scout handshake.]

# Cub Scout Information



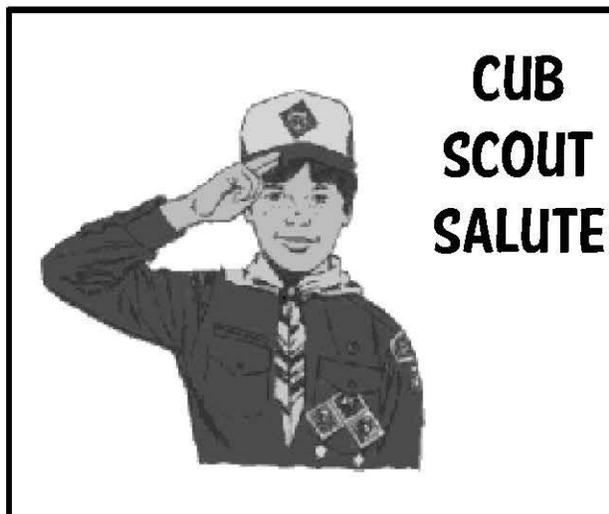
# Cub Scout Information



**WEBELOS MEANS:**  
"WE'LL BE LOYAL SCOUTS"

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and to obey the Scout Law;  
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To keep myself physically strong,  
mentally awake, and morally straight.

**SCOUT LAW**  
A Scout is trustworthy,  
loyal, helpful, friendly,  
courteous, kind, obedient,  
cheerful, thrifty, brave,  
clean, and reverent.



# Scout Oath (or Promise)

On my honor,

I will do my best

To do my duty to God and my  
country

And to obey the Scout Law;

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# Cub Scout Motto

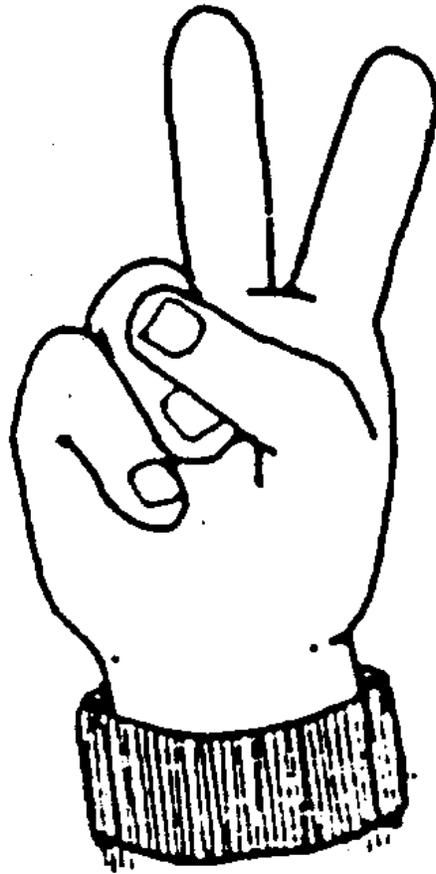
Do Your Best!



# Cub Scout Sign Meaning

The two raised fingers stand for the Scout Oath and Scout Law.

The fingers look like the ears of a wolf ready to listen to Akela.



# Cub Scout Handshake

Put your two fingers along the inside of the other boy's wrist.

This means you'll help each other remember the Scout Oath and Law.



# Cub Scout Salute

Hold the first two fingers of your right hand close together.

Touch your fingertips to your cap.

If you aren't wearing a cap, touch your right eyebrow.

