



BASKETRY

Merit Badge Requirements

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- 1) Describe precautions you should take to safely use basketry tools and materials.
- 2) Do the following:
 - A) Show your counselor that you are able to identify each of the following types of baskets: plaited, coiled, ribbed, and wicker.
 - B) Describe three different types of weaves to your counselor.
- 3) Plan and weave each of the following projects:
 - A) A Square Basket
 - B) A Round Basket
 - C) A Campstool Seat

Scout Name: _____ Unit #: _____ Date: _____

Requirement 1

Describe the precautions you should take to safely use basketry tools and materials: _____

Requirement 2

Show your counselor that you are able to identify each of the following types of baskets. Have your counselor initial each as you identify them.

_____ Plaited _____ Coiled _____ Ribbed _____ Wicker

Describe three different kinds of weaves.

Weave #1: _____

Description: _____

Weave #2: _____

Description: _____

Weave #3: _____

Description: _____

Requirement 3

You have been asked to plan and weave three different projects. Once you have completed each project show it to your counselor and have them initial below, next to the project.

_____ Square Basket _____ Round Basket _____ A Campstool Seat