



Basketry

Merit Badge Workbook

This workbook can help you but you still need to read the merit badge pamphlet (book). No one can add or subtract from the Boy Scout Requirements #33215. Merit Badge Workbooks and much more are below: [Online Resources](#).

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Scout's Name: _____ Unit: _____

Counselor's Name: _____ Counselor's Ph #: _____

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; and

(c) a campstool seat.

Online Resources (Use any Internet resource with caution and only with your parent's or guardian's permission.)

Merit Badge Workbooks: usscouts.org -or- meritbadge.org

► **Merit Badge Books:** www.scoutstuff.org

Boy Scouts of America: <http://www.scouting.org/> ► [Requirements](#) ► [Intro to Merit Badges](#) ► [Guide to Safe Scouting](#)

BasketMakers: <http://basketmakers.org>

National Basketry Organization: <http://www.nationalbasketry.org>

Gratiot Lake Basketry: <http://www.gratiotlakebasketry.com>

Basketweaving.com: <http://www.basketweaving.com>