

The Bobcat Badge



1. LEARN AND SAY THE CUB SCOUT PROMISE.

"I (name) promise to do my best
To do my duty to God and my country,
To help other people, and
To obey the Law of the Pack."

...AND COMPLETE THE HONESTY CHARACTER CONNECTION.

Know: Discuss these questions with your family. What is a promise? What does it mean to "keep your word?" What does honesty mean? What does it mean to "do your best?"

Commit: Discuss these questions with your family. Why is a promise important? Why is it important for people to trust you when you give your word? When might it be difficult to keep your word? List examples.

Practice: Discuss with family members why it is important to be trustworthy and honest and how can you do your best to be honest when you are doing the activities in Cub Scouting.

2. SAY THE LAW OF THE PACK. TELL WHAT IT MEANS.

"The Cub Scout follows Akela.
The Cub Scout helps the pack go.
The pack helps the Cub Scout Grow.
The Cub Scout gives goodwill. "

Akela means "good leader", like Dad, Mom, Cubmaster, Den Leader, and your teacher.

Goodwill means doing things that make other people happy, even if they are small things.

3. TELL WHAT "WEBELOS" MEANS.

"WE'll BE LOyal Scouts"

4. SHOW THE CUB SCOUT SIGN. TELL WHAT IT MEANS.



The two fingers stand for the two parts of the Cub Scout Promise - "TO HELP OTHER PEOPLE" and "TO OBEY." They look like a wolf's ears ready to listen to Akela. Give the Cub Scout sign when you say the "Cub Scout Promise" and the "Law of the Pack."

5. SHOW THE CUB SCOUT HANDSHAKE. TELL WHAT IT MEANS.



The Cub handshake means that you "HELP" and that you "OBEY" the Law of the Pack.

6. SAY THE CUB SCOUT MOTTO.

"DO YOUR BEST."

A Motto is a rule.

7. GIVE THE CUB SCOUT SALUTE. TELL WHAT IT MEANS.



A salute is a way to show respect to your leaders. It shows that you look up to them and respect them. We salute the flag to show respect to our country.

8. WITH YOUR PARENT OR GUARDIAN, COMPLETE THE EXERCISES IN THE PARENT'S GUIDE, "How to Protect Your Children from Child Abuse".