

Camp Tools: Knives / Axes / Saws

BP&P 13021 – TOOLS/KNIVES: Knives (safety folding blade type), including multi-purpose tools, may be used during age appropriate program activities by all members, *excluding Beavers*, providing it is a bona-fide requirement for the particular activity. Sheath knives may be worn when it is a bona-fide requirement of the particular Scouting activity and only by Scouts, Venturers, Rovers and Scouters and must not at any time be concealed.

	<p>4.4 I can use a knife safely (<i>opening, closing, passing, cleaning, caring for</i>) and have earned my knife permit.</p>		<p>4.5 I can use basic camp tools safely.</p>
	<p>5.3 I know how to use a camp axe and camp folding or bow saw safely (<i>opening, closing, passing, cleaning, caring for, sharpening, cutting</i>) and have obtained the appropriate permits for these.</p>		<p>5.5 I can use, maintain and store tools safely at camp.</p>
	<p>6.3 Using a knife and axe, I have prepared a 10-person campfire with tinder, kindling and fuel logs gathered from a forest floor. The fire burned for 5 hours with all wood gathered before the fire was lit (no gathering additional fire wood once the fire is lit and burning).</p> <p>6.10 From wood I have not harvested from a live source, I have carved and used my own hiking "Scout" staff on a trail hike.</p>		<p>6.6 I can demonstrate to others how to care for, store and maintain group gear for camp.</p>
	<p>8.3 I have carved cooking and eating spoons and a bowl with a knife/carving tools and wood.</p>		<p>7.6 I can teach another youth how to care for, store and maintain group gear needed for camps.</p>
	<p>9.3 I know all the safety techniques, operating procedures, personal protective equipment and hazard identification / defence for chainsaw use to both fell a tree and buck up downed wood.</p>		<p>8.5 I can make recommendations to improve group equipment for various camp types.</p>