

New Leader Information



Congratulations on stepping up to serve as a registered Scouting volunteer! Adult role models in Scouting provide a learning experience for youth training to be leaders but the advantages aren't limited to youth - you'll also develop leadership and physical skills with every training experience!

Volunteering as an adult leader does require registration with Boy Scouts of America which includes a number of mandatory items ranging from Youth Protection Training to Background Checks to outdoor training. A fee is required for most positions, and may be paid individually or by the unit you are participating in.

BASIC REQUIRED ITEMS

- [Adult application](#), including background check authorization page
- [Youth Protection Training](#), taken at my.scouting.org (1.5hr)
- [California AB 506 Compliance Items](#)

- [Fingerprint Livescan Background Check](#)
- [CA Mandated Reporter Training](#)
- [Background Disclosure Form](#)

OTHER REQUIRED ITEMS

- [Position specific training](#), if youth-facing. Includes Scoutmaster/Cubmaster training, Den Leader Training, Merit Badge Counselor training, etc. (.75-4hr)
- Outdoor training
 - For Cub Scouts, at least one leader on outdoor activities must be BALOO trained
 - For ScoutsBSA, all Scoutmasters & ASMs must complete Introduction to Youth Leadership Training (overnight/2-day)

TRACK YOUR PROGRESS

ITEM	TURN IN TO:	Status	Notes
BSA Adult Application	Online or to unit leadership		
Youth Protection Training	N/A - completed online		
Fingerprint Livescan	N/A - completed online		
CA Mandated Reporter Certificate	www.californiascouting.org/wlacc		
CA Background Disclosure Form	www.californiascouting.org/wlacc		