

North York Moors National Park Education Service Activities for Uniformed Groups

Cubs: Adventure Challenge Award

These visits can contribute towards three out of the four requirements for this badge.

- Take part in six outdoor activities. At least two of them should be new to you. E.g. making and lighting a fire, making a mini raft.
- Go on a hike or follow a trail. Try to walk for about 1-2 hours.
- Prepare for your activities and hikes. Find out what you need to wear and bring, and pack your own bag.

At the end of the session each Cub is presented with a certificate of merit.

Outline of activities:

Preparing for a visit (indoor session)

This session includes a series of games with Cubs working in teams and choosing what clothes to wear and what to pack into a rucksack for a walk in the countryside.

Moorland walk (outdoor session)

Cubs will follow a route on a map onto the moorland and back (about 2½ km). Each cub will take turns leading the walk.

Then choose one or both of the following activities: Raft building (outdoor session)

Cubs learn about different ways of building mini rafts, then have a go themselves, using natural materials. Can they sail their rafts on Crow Wood pond without them sinking?

Fire lighting (outdoor session)

Cubs explore Crow Wood near the Visitor Centre and learn about fire lighting techniques and then have a go themselves!

Duration: About 4 hours plus lunch break

Cost: Main activities plus one other:

Short day rate £5.50 per child Minimum per group £82.50

Location: The Moors National Park Centre



