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Explorers are Pathfinders in 7th grade. Explorers recite the Pathfinder pledge and law, illustrate through words and actions the Pathfinder pledge meaning, and earn the Explorer reading certificate. Some of the fun and exciting honors Explorers can earn are Christian Grooming and Manners, Family Life, Cake Decorating, Textile Painting, Track and Field, Basic Rescue, and Camping Skills III. The following resources pertain to the Explorer Level. Page taken from Director's Guide. The Personal Growth track encourages each Pathfinder to have a personal relationship with Jesus through a daily devotional life, Bible study, and prayer. In the Spiritual Discovery track, Pathfinders grow spiritually through the study of real people in the Bible and Christian history. In the Serving Others track, Pathfinders experience the joy of service through outreach, friendship evangelism, and other church or community activities. In the Making Friends track, Pathfinders learn how to be a friend to others, to the community, and to the planet. In the Health and Fitness track, Pathfinders apply health and fitness principles, share these principles with others, and practice basic first aid and safety procedures. In the Nature Study track, Pathfinders learn about God through observation of nature, time spent outdoors, and environmental stewardship. In the Outdoor Living track, Pathfinders perform outdoor skills, solve outdoor challenges, and participate in outdoor team activities. Honor enrichment promotes personal growth and allows Pathfinders to explore their interests by earning new honors, learning new skills, and studying new content areas. Links to: Friend - Companion - Explorer - Ranger - Voyager - Pioneer - Navigator - Guide Wikibooks - Investiture Achievement/Explorer 1. Be in Grade 7 or its equivalent. 2. a. Develop your daily devotional life by studying the Weekly Bible Reading Guide (weeks 27-39) and the book of Acts utilizing printed or electronic study guide/resources. b. Journal your thoughts by asking these questions: - "What did I learn about God?" - "What did I learn about myself?" - "How can I apply this to my life today?" You may journal through writing, drawing or electronic process. 3. a. Memorize the meaning of the Pathfinder Pledge b. Illustrate your understanding of the Pathfinder Pledge in an interesting way. 4. Learn the meaning of the Pathfinder Emblem. 1. Learn how to use a Bible concordance by selecting two topics and/or words to discover how it is used in the Bible. 2. Memorize one Bible text (not previously learned) for each of the following subjects: Prayer/Doctrine/Behavior/Salvation/Relationships/Promises/Praise/Great Passages Resource - "Singing the Word" Pathfinders Sing, Trilogy Scripture Songs Fannin County Mountain Creek Pathfinders. Have the Pathfinders sing the songs while they are memorizing the Bible texts. 3. Role-play the experience of a person of the New Testament Church in the book of Acts. 4. a. Learn about eight missionaries (to at least four continents) who served during the Seventh-day Adventist Mission Expansion (1900 to 1950). b. On a world map, plot their country of service (include at least 4 continents). c. Make a presentation about your favorite missionary. (Pathways of the Pioneers, Church Heritage Manual) Advanced for Spiritual Discovery 1. Complete Explorer requirement 2. Compare the expansion of the early Christian church in the book of Acts to the mission expansion of the Seventh-day Adventist Church up to 1950. 3. Study and discuss on of the following life issues with your Explorer group and an adult: Abuse, TV & Movie Theaters, Reading. 1. Be familiar with the community services in your area and give assistance for at least four hours. 2. Participate in at least two church programs for a total of four hours. Advanced for Serving Others 1. Complete Explorer requirements. 2. Make a personal visit to a sick person or shut-in and follow up with a phone call, letter, card, e-mail or text message. 1. a. Review the Genesis account of the flood. b. Read a book about fossils and the biblical flood. c. Study at least three different fossils; explain their origin and relate them to breaking God's laws. 2. Stars - a. Be able to identify in the sky the North Star, Big Dipper, Little Dipper, and Orion. b. Explain the spiritual significance of Orion as told in Early Writings, page 41. Advanced for Nature Study 1. Complete Explorer requirements 2. Weather/Ferns Record and graph the weather for two weeks at 12-hour intervals. Include temperature, moisture, cloud formation, and wind direction. OR Draw or photograph 10 kinds of ferns, and identify correctly. 3. Complete a nature honor not previously earned. (Skill level 2 or 3) Explorer/General Requirement 1 Be 12 years old and/or in Grade 7 or its equivalent. The Explorer level has been designed to be within reach of a person in the seventh grade or higher. It should be challenging, yet achievable for a child at this point in his or her formal education. Requirement 2 Be an active member of the AJY Society and Pathfinder Club The requirement to be an active member of the club is easy to brush over, but consider what it means. An active member is a youth that participates in the spiritual, mental, physical and service activities. It means showing up for meetings and completing the classwork and honors expected. It means following the Pathfinder Law and being a good representative of the club. Requirement 3 Learn or review the meaning of the Pathfinder Law and demonstrate your understanding by participating in one of the following: role play, panel discussion, essay, or prepare a project of your choice. Requirement 4 Read the book "The Happy Path" if not previously read. The Happy Path is a 128 page book of stories by Lawrence Maxwell published by the Review and Herald. There are 16 chapters themed to the lines of the Pathfinder Pledge. Pathfinders can read it for themselves or use the book in club worships. The book should be available through your conference youth department. It is also available for free in pdf in these and other locations: Requirement 5 Have a current Book Club Certificate and write at least a paragraph of review on each book. The book club reading list is regularly updated with new books released by Adventist publishing houses. Check with your conference youth department or see here Requirement 1 Know the composition and proper use of the Pathfinder Flag and Unit Guidon. The Pathfinder class for those in your club that are 12 years of age. All resources to assist staff in teaching this class are free to download on this page: Class Card UPDATED: Explorer Workbook Contact your local Youth Department to see if any of these resources are available to purchase. Third Class Name. Pin showing that student has finished the Class. Explorer Ribbon. For the Advanced Class. Explorer Chevron. To be placed on the Left Sleeve. Be 12 years old and/or in Grade 7 or its equivalent. Be an active member of the AJY Society and Pathfinder Club. Learn or review the meaning of the Pathfinder Law and demonstrate your understanding by participating in one of the following: role play, panel discussion, essay, or prepare a project of your choice. Read the book "The Happy Path" if not previously read. Have a current Book Club Certificate and write at least a paragraph of review on each book. Advanced Know the composition and proper use of the Pathfinder Flag and Unit Guidon. Spiritual Discovery Become familiar with the use of a concordance. 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Organization and Leadership Development Lead out in your club's opening exercises or a Sabbath School Program. Help your unit or club plan a special outreach activity such as a project for unfortunate children, community beautification, etc. and carry out the activity. Advanced Participate in a special club event such as an investiture, open house, induction, Pathfinder Sabbath, etc. and participate in the evaluation of the event afterwards along with the Companion Class. Nature Study If you live in the Northern Hemisphere, be able to identify the North Star, Orion, Pleiades, and two planets. If you live in the Southern Hemisphere, identify Achernar, The Southern Cross, Centaurus, and Orion. Know the spiritual significance of Orion as told in Early Writings. Complete one of the following honors: Animal Tracking, Cacti, Flowers, Stars, or Weather. Advanced Identify six tracks of animals or birds. Make a plaster cast of three tracks. Outdoor Life Participate in a two-night CAMP OUT. 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