



BSA Tidewater Council University of Scouting 2019

Date: Saturday, January 26, 2019

**Location: Memorial United Methodist Church
804 Gammon Rd
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23464**

Time: 7:30 AM to 5:00 PM

Welcome to the 2019 Tidewater Council University of Scouting

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What is University of Scouting? *Supplemental training offered through the Boy Scouts of America. There are classes of interest for each of the program areas: Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts/Scouts BSA, Venturing, and Sea Scouts. Plus, the Continuing Education area offers a wide range of classes on a variety of potential interests for anyone in Scouting.*

Who should consider attending University of Scouting? *Everyone currently registered in Scouting and parents.*

I am new to Scouting – will University of Scouting be too overwhelming for me? *No, there are classes designed in each program area for a beginning Scouter.*

I am a long-time Scouter – what does University of Scouting have to offer me? *The programs of Scouting frequently change (as in the new Family Scouting program and others) and Scouters should remain current to ensure they are delivering the most current materials. There are classes offered in each program area for someone in Scouting wanting additional knowledge in their program area, plus numerous classes offered in the Continuing Education area. This area contains classes that could be of a specific interest to someone in any program area.*

May I take courses in any area that interests me? *Yes, you can pick and choose classes of interest to you and apply those credits toward a degree.*

How do I get a degree? *Obtaining a Degree is as simple as attending all seven classes at one University of Scouting. Degrees progress in order of Associates, Bachelors, Masters, and Doctorate. Attendees not pursuing a degree, or that do not complete seven classes will earn a Certificate in Advanced Studies.*

Can youth participants earn a degree? *No. While University of Scouting is an excellent opportunity for youth to learn scouting and leadership skills, they will not earn a degree.*

Why should I consider earning a University of Scouting degree? *It's simply recognition for the time spent at the University. The youth we serve like to see their leaders earn recognition for training efforts. Plus, it's a cool patch, with rockers.*

Must I complete the degrees in order?? *Yes, but you don't have to take any specific classes for Associates, Bachelor's, or Master's Degrees. Any seven (7) credit/hours will qualify. One needs to take the classes best suited for their own needs or in areas they want to learn more about.*

How does the Tidewater Council's University of Scouting compare to programs in other Councils? *Most of the Universities across the nation are very similar in design and structure. Some of them are still geared more for Commissioners, but most do have all the different program areas covered.*

Who should consider the Doctoral program? *Any active Scouter who currently holds a Master's Degree and wants to learn more. It's the next logical step in the degree progression. We need your expertise and experience in the program!*

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2019 University of Scouting Schedule

Saturday – January 26, 2019

- 7:00 A.M. Check-in & Student Union Open
- 7:30 A.M. Opening General Session
Welcome and Introduction
Opening Ceremony
University Instructions
- 7:50 A.M. Special Presentation
- 8:15 A.M. Period 1 - training sessions
- 9:05 A.M. Break and move to next session
- 9:15 A.M. Period 2 - training sessions
- 10:05 A.M. Break and move to next session
- 10:15 A.M. Period 3 - training sessions
- 11:05 A.M. Break and move to next session or Lunch A
- 11:15 A.M. Lunch A
Period 4 - training sessions (for Lunch B)
- 11:30 A.M. University administration remarks
- 12:05 A.M. Break and move to next session
- 12:15 P.M. Lunch B
Period 4 - training sessions (for Lunch A)
- 12:30 P.M. University administration remarks
- 1:05 P.M. Break and move to next session
- 1:15 P.M. Period 5 - training sessions
- 2:05 P.M. Break and move to next session
- 2:15 P.M. Period 6 - training sessions
- 3:05 P.M. Break and travel to next session
- 3:15 P.M. Period 7 - training sessions
- 4:05 P.M. Break and travel to closing session
- 4:15 P.M. Closing Session
University President & Council Training Chair remarks
Closing challenge & critique
Collect training completion records; certificates presented
- 5:00 P.M. Adjourn

GENERAL INFORMATION

PURPOSE

The purpose of the University of Scouting is to promote fellowship and provide supplemental training for adult volunteers involved in the Scouting program. The University is a FUN filled training program to help develop Scouter excellence in Tidewater Council. All registered Scouters are encouraged to attend so that they may better understand the critical role and functions of their position in the Scouting program. This Scouter training experience is planned to:

- **PROVIDE** Scouters with a fuller understanding of their role in Scouting,
- **BOLSTER** commitment to the success of Scouting's mission,
- **SUPPORT** a training continuum to carry out individual unit assignments,
- **BUILD** fellowship in the Scouting community.

These results are achieved through a broad curriculum of instruction and recognition of achievement by a series of awards. Each new participant will receive a University of Scouting patch. Participants who complete degree requirements will be recognized with an appropriate patch segment for that degree and a certificate/diploma.

POLICY STATEMENT

To maintain the stature of the training program of the University and to give a sense of accomplishment to the recipients, the following policies will govern the event:

1. Any registered Scouter may attend any course of instruction, including auditing or monitoring youth sessions.
2. To receive credit for a course, a Scouter must attend the course and sign the class roster.
3. Degrees will be acknowledged by appropriate patches and certificates. Such awards will be made upon completion of the program requirements.
4. Credit for courses completed in other councils will be given upon presentation of evidence that you satisfactorily completed the course. Approval will be at the sole discretion of the Program Dean and the University President.

REGISTRATION AND FEES

To minimize congestion at check-in and to expedite the check-in process, all participants and instructors must register in advance. The registration fee covers the cost of materials, food, and facility use. Please review all information in this catalog before completing the online registration process.

Cost:

Participant = \$15 with lunch
Instructor = \$10 with lunch
Late Registration after 1/12/2018 = \$25 with lunch
Last day to register = 1/19/2019

NOTE TO INSTRUCTORS: Please register as CED-227 AND register for the courses taught.

A partial refund will be granted (less \$5 for material costs) before January 11, 2019. No refunds will be provided after January 11, 2019

The registration process requires that you select your courses online at the Tentaroo.com site. You will need to set up a user account and make payment online using a credit card.

REFRESHMENTS AND LUNCH.

Lunch is included in the \$15 registration fee (\$10 instructor fee). Participants with special dietary needs should please note that during course registration. Coffee and lemonade will be available in the Student Union area.

PROGRAM DEPARTMENTS.

The curriculum is divided into six program departments:

1. **Cub Scouting**
2. **Boy Scouting/Scouts BSA**
3. **Venturing**
4. **Sea Scouting**
5. **Continuing Education**
6. **Doctoral**

A Scouter who completes any seven (7) credits from any combination of classes qualifies for a program degree starting with Associates, an additional seven credits can be toward a Bachelor's Degree, then Master's Degree. All programs feed into one Doctoral level degree. Individual degree requirements are described in this document for each level. The University Doctoral Program has distinct requirements based upon program concentrations.

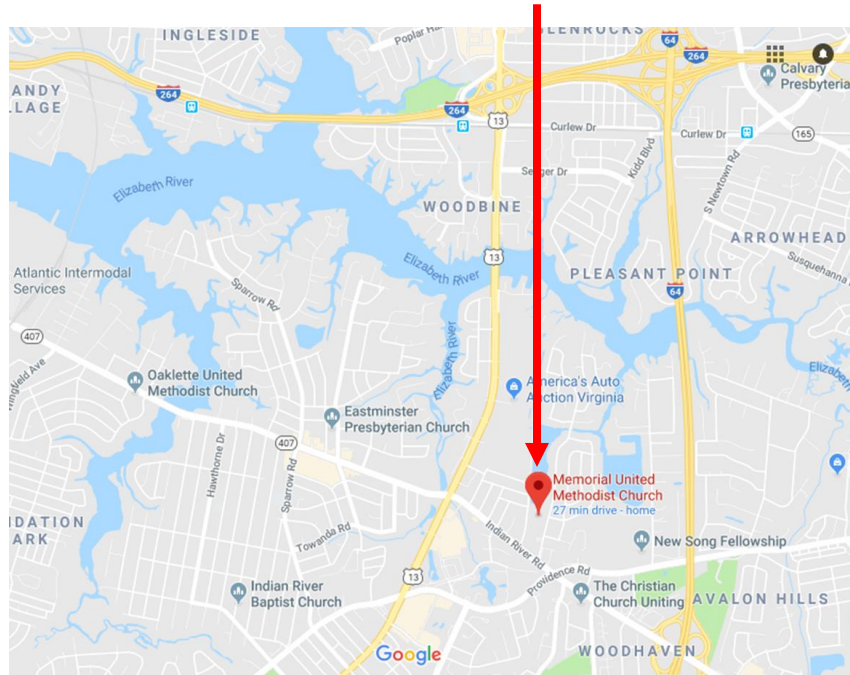
UoS instructors can earn one credit for each class they teach, up to three credits. To earn the credits, instructors should submit a set of PowerPoint class slides, and a single page lesson plan, for each course to the UoS president via the appropriate program dean two weeks prior to conducting their sessions.

UNIFORM AND EQUIPMENT.

Participants and instructors registered in BSA should wear the full official BSA uniform of the BSA program in which they are primarily registered, throughout the entire day, and participants should bring a pencil and/or pen and paper.

The activity uniform is permitted for designated University Staff assigned to set-up, clean-up, or lunch service.

**LOCATION: Memorial United Methodist Church
804 Gammon Rd
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23464**



Directions from I-264 Eastbound:

- Take I-264 E to the Military Hwy/US-13/I-64/Newtown Rd exit
- Take Exit 13-14-15 toward Chesapeake
- Merge onto S. Military Hwy/US-13S via Exit 13A
- Turn Left onto Indian River Rd/VA-407
- Turn left onto Gammon Rd
- 804 Gammon Rd is on the Right

Directions from I-264 Westbound:

- Take I-264 W to the I-64 E exit
- Merge onto I-64 E via the exit on the left toward Suffolk/Chesapeake
- Take the Indian River Rd W exit, Exit 286A
- Merge onto Indian River Rd/VA-407
- Turn right onto Gammon Rd
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STUDENT UNION

A student union area will be available throughout the event. Static displays that provide information on Scouting programs, and which showcase information from throughout the Council, may be displayed with approval from the Dean of Student Services. Approved displays should be static in nature and available for viewing all day from 7:30 am to 3:00 pm. Units or individuals are responsible for setting up displays as well as removing them by the end of the final class session. Individual program sponsors are responsible for the set-up and clean-up of the displays. All requests for displays in the student union should be communicated to the Dean of Student Services by January 11, 2019.

Displays which are **prohibited** outright due to facility use requirements include fires, live cooking, or weapons.

Refreshments will be available for participants and instructors in the student union area and participants are encouraged to gather for fellowship when not attending a course.

INFORMATIONAL UPDATES

Watch the Tidewater Council, BSA web site (<http://www.tidewaterbsa.com/>), the Electronic Knapsack, and District Roundtables for updates leading up to the University of Scouting.

DISCLAIMER

The University of Scouting is not an accredited university; therefore, all degrees conferred are not awarded from an accredited university.

YOUTH PROGRAM

This year, the University of Scouting is pleased to offer a dedicated program just for youth. Youth courses are provided to increase a Scout's knowledge and their ability to lead their unit. Some of the leadership courses can also apply towards specific Venturing Awards. Classes in the youth program are distinguished by the prefix YTH.

REMINDERS

Please complete online Youth Protection Training (YPT) prior to attending the UoS. Since the University of Scouting is considered supplemental training, position-specific BSA training and/or BSA basic training certificates will not be issued.

The Red Cross CPR training is a blended learning course that includes an online portion and an instructor-led classroom skills session. The online portion **must** be completed in order to attend the in-class portion. **This requirement cannot be waived.** Please be prepared to provide your instructor with proof that you completed the online portion. There is an additional \$20.00 cost for the CPR course.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE (University patch and Associate's Tab)

- Must be a registered Scouter
- Register online for the University of Scouting
- Attend the University for the first time and seven (7) classes on this track and sign the course roster sheet in each class at the end of each session

BACHELOR'S DEGREE (Bachelor's Tab)

- Must be a registered Scouter
- Register online for the University of Scouting
- Attend the University a second year having earned an Associate's degree and attend seven (7) classes on this track and sign the course roster sheet in each class at the end of each session

MASTER'S DEGREE (Master's Tab)

- Must be a registered Scouter
- Register online for the University of Scouting
- Attend the University a third year having previously earned Associate's and Bachelor's degrees and attend seven (7) classes for this track and sign the course roster sheet in each class at the end of each session
- Volunteer to teach at least one course at the University (optional)

DOCTORATE DEGREE (Doctorate Tab)

- Must be a registered Scouter
- Register online for the University of Scouting
- Attend the University previously (provide verification to Program Dean)
- Earn Associate's, Bachelor's and Master's Degrees
- Completion of the non-credit class 614 for the approval of your Doctoral Project, Thesis or Research Paper and two (2) of the 600 level Doctoral credit courses
- Volunteer to teach at least two lower level track courses at the University (optional)
- Procure all appropriate signatures on the application
- Complete your approved Project, Thesis or Research Paper and turn it into to the Dean of the Doctoral Program.

Reminder: Scouts participating in the Youth Program do not earn degrees.

PROGRAM COURSE OFFERINGS

1. BSL 101 I Took my Boy Scout/Scouts BSA Leader Training Online. Now What.....?
2. BSL 103 Scouts BSA – What's Changing/What's Not
3. BSL 108 The Scoutmaster, Troop Organization and Membership
4. BSL 109 Troop Meetings and Uniforms
5. BSL 110 Working with Youth Leaders and the Patrol Leaders' Council
6. BSL 111 The Boy Scout/Scouts BSA Outdoor Program
7. BSL 114 Recruiting and Retaining Youth
8. BSL 115 How to Run a Troop Meeting
9. BSL 169 Boy Scout/Scouts BSA STEM
10. BSL 201 Basic Knots (Two Classes Offered)
11. BSL 202 Lashings (Two Classes Offered)
12. BSL 203 Advanced Knots (Two Classes Offered)
13. BSL 205 High Adventure
14. BSL 208 All About Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops
15. BSL 214 Troop Committee
16. BSL 215 Conducting Boards of Review
17. BSL 218 Order of the Arrow Service Opportunities & Troop Elections- the How To...
18. BSL 219 Dutch Oven Cooking (Three Hour Class, Two Classes Offered)
19. BSL 301 Life to Eagle Overview
20. BSL 311 The Eagle Scout Project
21. CED 101 Functions of the District Committee
22. CED 103 Tentaroo – Beyond the User
23. CED 113 Advancement Program and Paperwork
24. CED 114 Recruiting and Retaining Adult Leaders
25. CED 117 Scouting Religious Emblems and Awards
26. CED 122 Geo Caching (2 Hour Class)
27. CED 132 Working with Scouts with Special Needs
28. CED 144 Outdoor Ethics (formerly Intro to Leave No Trace (LNT))
29. CED 155 CPR (Two Sessions Offered) (\$20 additional fee)
30. CED 167 Journey to Excellence
31. CED 177 Great Local Campsites and VA High Adventure Opportunities
32. CED 209 Trailer Safety
33. CED 213 Scoutbook – How To For Unit Leaders
34. CED 227 University of Scouting Instructors (**instructors only**)
35. CED 233 Maps and Compass: Navigation Basics (Three Hour Class)
36. CED 305 Unit Startup and Growth Planning
37. CED 307 Planning District and Council Events
38. CED 313 Scoutbook Administration and Advancement
39. CSP 101 I Took my Cub Scout Leader Training Online. Now What.....?
40. CSP 103 What's a Den Chief?
41. CSP 105 Cub Scouting in the Outdoors
42. CSP 109 Webelos to Scout Transition
43. CSP 110 Cub Scout STEM & NOVA
44. CSP 114 Recruiting and Retaining Youth in Cub Scouts

45. CSP 201 Ceremonies
46. CSP 202 Chest of Games
47. CSP 205 JTE & Community Service Projects
48. CSP 208 Pack Program Planning Resources
49. CSP 209 Skits, Sparklers, Songs
50. CSP 218 Order of the Arrow and Your Pack
51. DOC 604 Selecting and Researching the Doctoral Thesis Topic
52. DOC 605 Developing the Doctoral Outline and Thesis
53. DOC 614 Doctoral Counseling
54. SSC 101 Introduction to Sea Scouts in the Hampton Roads Area
55. SSC 201 I How to Start a Sea Scout Ship
56. SSC 301 Finding the Right Vessel for Your Unit
57. SSC 302 Long Cruise Planning and Execution
58. SSC 303 Scouts and the USCG Auxiliary
59. SSC 304 Ship Program Planning
60. VEN 101 Here's Venturing
61. VEN 102 Venturing Awards and Recognition
62. VEN 103 Venturing Resources and Program Planning
63. VEN 104 Understanding and Protecting Venturing Youth
64. VEN 105 Venturing Youth Leadership Development
65. VEN 106 How to Run a Crew Meeting **(Adults and Youth ages 14-20)**
66. VEN 314 High Adventure Programs: Beyond the National Bases
67. YTH 101 The Patrol Method / A Youth Run Troop
68. YTH 102 First Class in First Year
69. YTH 103 So, you want to be a Patrol Leader
70. YTH 104 Making the most of Weekend Camping
71. YTH 201 Recruiting Youth Into Your Unit (Girls too!)
72. YTH 202 Cooking with Younger Scouts
73. YTH 203 So, you want to be a Senior Patrol Leader
74. YTH 204 Historic Trails of Tidewater Council and beyond!
75. YTH 301 How to run an Intro to Leadership Skills for Troops, Crew, or Ships (ILST, ILSC, or ILSS)
76. YTH 302 Hornaday Awards for Scouts
77. YTH 303 Goal Setting & Time Management Module **(Youth age 14-20 Only)**
78. YTH 304 Mentoring Training Module **(Youth Age 14-20 Only)**
79. YTH 305 Project Management Skills For Life (2 Hour Class) **(Youth age 14-20 Only)**

Boy Scout Program

100 Level Courses

BSL 101#

I Took my Boy Scout/Scouts BSA Leader Training Online. Now What.....?

Online courses are a great way to get position trained, but they don't offer opportunities to ask questions or meet other leaders. This course offers supplemental information and the chance to get to know other Troop leaders just like you.

BSL 103

Scouts BSA – What's Changing/What's Not

February 1st, 2019 marks the beginning of exciting changes to the Scouting Program. Learn all about what changed (and what isn't going to change) with the inclusion of girls in Scouts BSA.

BSL 108

The Scoutmaster, Troop Organization and Membership

Learn about the qualities that should be expected of a Scoutmaster. Explore what the Scoutmaster should be, know and do. Learn the structure of the troop, including key boy leadership positions. Find out about a troop's support functions and the responsibilities of adult leadership positions. Discuss the ways that creating new members is good for youth and Scout troops.

BSL 109

Troop Meetings and Uniforms

Explore the real purpose of a troop meeting. Learn the value of using the troop meeting plan. Find out about the importance of having the boys plan, conduct and review the troop meeting. Find out about the vital role the Scoutmaster plays by providing coaching, support and leaderships to the Scouts. Learn about the importance of the uniform as one of the Eight Methods of Scouting.

BSL 110

Working with Boy Leaders and the Patrol Leaders Council

Learn practical approaches to achieving the aims of Scouting by building a fully functional, self-sustaining youth leadership team. This course discusses the adult role in working with the PLC and provides concrete actions to develop a Troop's youth leadership team.

BSL 111

The Boy Scout/Scouts BSA Outdoor Program

Learn the importance of the outdoor program-- specifically that the outdoors is the arena in which a lot of Scouting unfolds. The outdoor program is the reason that many youth and adults join the program. Skills and safety are the two main elements that the adult leaders of a troop are tasked with providing. Learn how this can be accomplished while still having a boy-led troop.

BSL 114

Recruiting and Retaining Youth

Learn the keys to successfully reaching out and attracting Webelos dens to your troop. In addition, learn about recruiting 5th and 6th graders using an open house and peer-to-peer recruiting.

BSL 115

How to Run a Troop Meeting

An experienced Senior Patrol Leader and Scoutmaster will discuss how to effectively run a troop meeting. This session is valuable for adult leaders to take back and share with/instruct members of their troop.

BSL 169

Boy Scout STEM (not STEM certification BSL 204)

STEM stands for Science, Technology, Engineering and Math and is one of the hottest new focuses in Scouting. This course will feature some practical ways to introduce STEM into your Troop's year around program.

200 Level Courses

BSL 201

Basic Knots (Two Sessions Offered)

Knot tying has always been a key part of the Scouting program — for good reasons. It teaches useful skills that can be used immediately. This session teaches the basic knots that every Scout should know: Bowline, Square Knot, Sheet Bend, Sheepshank, Two Half Hitches, Clove Hitch, Taut-line Hitch, and Timber Hitch. This course will be taught outdoors. Dress accordingly and bring a camp chair.

BSL 202

Lashings (Two Sessions Offered)

Lashings are used to join poles or spars to enable the construction of objects and structures. Learn the Basic Strop, Simple & West Country Round, Simple & Racking Turn Shear, Simple & Racking Turn Tripod, Basic Square, Mark 2 Square & Japanese Square, Basic Diagonal & Mark 2 Diagonal.

This course will be taught outdoors. Dress accordingly and bring a camp chair.

BSL 203

Advanced Knots (Two Sessions Offered)

Expand Your "Knot-ledge" – With the family of 8's: Alpine Butterfly, Farmers Loop, Zeppelin Bend, Double Fisherman, Water Knot, Constrictor Knot, Mooring Hitch, Highway Man's Hitch, Rolling Hitch, Trucker's Hitch, Monkeys Fist and the legendary Dragon Bowline (it's real). This course will be taught outdoors. Dress accordingly and bring a camp chair.

BSL 205

High Adventure

High Adventure is the chance for Scouts to experience something they may never experience again. Learn about the various high adventure opportunities that Boy Scouts provide, such as Philmont, Sea Base, Northern Tier, Swamp Base, The Bechtel Summit, Lenhok'sin High Adventure, High Knoll, and the Appalachian Trail.

BSL 208#

All about Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops

Troop Leaders who use Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops (ILST) as part of their youth leadership development will present and discuss how they incorporate the program into their unit's annual program. ILST helps the youth leadership to develop their leadership skills.

BSL 214

Troop Committee

Discusses the roles and responsibilities of the troop committee. Provides guidance and suggestions on how the troop committee can help the Scouts and Scouters deliver a quality Scouting program.

BSL 215

Conducting Boards of Review

How effective are your Boards of Review? Learn the intent and purpose of the Board of Review. Suggestions and tips on appropriate questions to ask for effective and meaningful Boards of Review.

BSL 218

Order of the Arrow Service & Troop Elections- the How To...

This class outlines how proper Order of the Arrow elections should be done and what the policies are regarding the election. Also discusses OA troop visits, Arrow of Light ceremonies and how to make them better, plus more.

BSL 219

Dutch Oven Cooking

(Three Hour Class, Two Sessions Offered)

Learn the basic skills of Dutch oven cooking. A fun course, and you get to eat your exam. A three hour class.

This course will be taught outdoors. Dress accordingly and bring a camp chair.

300 Level Courses

BSL 301

Life to Eagle Overview

An overview of the Life to Eagle process for Scouters and parents.

BSL 311

The Eagle Scout Project

An overview of the Eagle Scout project, including information for unit leaders and their responsibilities to the Eagle Scout Candidate. The course covers the following focus areas: project proposal and approval process, project execution, beneficiary interaction, project fundraising, and unit responsibilities

These classes were also offered at Mega Training Day

Note:

Please refer to the Continuing Education Science classes listed later in this catalog for:

- **Advancement Program and Paperwork**
- **CPR**
- **Geo Caching**
- **Outdoor Ethics (Leave No Trace)**
- **Special Needs Scouting**
- **Trailer Safety**

Cub Scout Program

100 Level Courses

CSP 101#

I Took my Cub Scout Leader Training Online. Now What.....?

Online courses are a great way to get position trained, but they don't offer opportunities to ask questions or meet other leaders. This course offers supplemental information and the chance to get to know other Pack and Den leaders just like you.

CSP 103

What's a Den Chief?

Who's a Cub Scout leader's best friend? It should be the Den Chief. Learn what a Den Chief is and how he can help YOU run an exciting den program. Understand what a Den Chief should and should not do. This trained Boy Scout role model plays a very important role on the leadership team.

CSP 105

Cub Scouting in the Outdoors

Keep the "Outing" in Scouting. Learn why and how to plan and conduct outdoor activities with your Cub Scouts. Learn Cub Scout camping rules; be introduced to the Guide to Safe Scouting, theBALOO training for adults and the new Cub Scout Outdoor Activity Award. Learn how outdoor games, hikes, and campfires can add special flare to your program.

CSP 109*

Webelos to Scout Transition(for parents and scouters)

The two-year Webelos program is designed to prepare Cub Scouts for leadership and responsibility for advancement in Boy Scouts/Scouts BSA. Learn how leaders can guide their Scouts and their parents in preparation for the Troop experience. Tips on selecting a Troop and tips on transitioning the family from a Cub Scout program that is ADULT led to the Boy Scout/Scouts BSA Program that is YOUTH led.

CSP 110

Cub Scout STEM & NOVA

Come learn fun ways to incorporate STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) activities into your den and pack program and learn about the BSA STEM awards: NOVA and Super NOVA.

CSP 114

Recruiting and Retaining Youth in Cub Scouts

Learn the keys to successfully reaching parents of Cub Scout age youth with messages that will inspire them to support their children in joining Cub Scouts. In addition, learn successful approaches for attracting Cub Scout age youth.

200 Level Courses

CSP 201*

Ceremonies

Fun and unique ideas for advancements and recognitions. Create a memorable moment for the Cub Scout, parent, leader with a few simple props. Add some sparkle and pizzazz for your den and pack meetings.

CSP 202*

Chest of Games

A good leader always has a game in their back pocket for just those moments. Leaders will learn simple games, what type of games work best for gathering activities small or large groups and team building, and build a 'chest of games'.

CSP 205

JTE & Community Service Projects

Overview of the Journey To Excellence, and how it can help your Pack succeed and grow. Learn how service projects affect JTE and invigorate the Pack.

CSP 208*

Pack Program Planning Resources

Leaders need to know how to run their pack, what resources are available to help develop an annual plan, Pack budget. How to conduct recruiting, plan and run events, recognition, advancement and meetings. It is also important to understand what is allow and what is not allowed as well as how the Guide to Safe Scouting plays a significant role in all Pack activities.

CSP 209

Skits, Sparklers, Songs

So you want entertainment? Learn the dynamics of getting Cub Scouts to perform. Learn simple skits and other den and pack meeting sparklers. Learn fun songs from silly to icky for den and pack meetings. Learn tips and techniques to get any Cub Scout to come out of their shell.

CSP 218

Order of the Arrow and Your Pack

This class outlines how the Blue Heron Lodge of the Order of the Arrow can help to build excitement in your Pack with Arrow of Light ceremonies, crossover ceremonies, campfire support, plus more.

* These classes were also offered at Pow-Wow

These classes were also offered at Mega Training Day

Note:

Please refer to the Continuing Education Science classes listed later in this catalog for:

- **Advancement Program and paperwork**
- **CPR**
- **Special Needs Scouting**
- **Geo Caching**

Venturing Program

(Please note: Although completion of the Bachelor's degree for Venturing and Sea Scouting Science is recommended before taking Venturing Master's level courses, course participants will need at least a "Fast Start" level of understanding of the Venturing and Sea Scouting program to achieve the benefits of taking these courses.

100 Level Courses

VEN 101

Here's Venturing

Introduces Venturing's mission, methods, and unique place in the BSA's program. Explains and discusses Venturing organizational structure and adult and youth leadership positions.

VEN 102

Venturing Awards and Recognition

Describes Venturing awards and recognitions and their unique features. Covers both youth and adult Venturing awards and recognitions. Provides a basic understanding of how an effective awards and recognition program contributes to the healthy progression of youth Venturing.

VEN 103

Venturing Resources and Program Planning

Describes how to use Venturing literature and resources to plan an exciting crew program. Covers how to use the Program Capability Inventory, Venturing Activity Interest Survey, and good ol' brainstorming to develop an Annual Program Plan. Explains the importance of an effective youth-adult leadership team in having successful crew activities.

VEN 104

Understanding and Protecting Venturing Youth

Provides a basic understanding of the characteristics of Venturing youth. Explains the safety and youth protection policies applicable to Venturing.

VEN 105

Venturing Youth Leadership Development

Explains the components of an effective Youth Leadership Development Program and the critical role of the Crew advisor in youth leadership development. Describes Venturing youth leadership training programs and opportunities at the unit, council, regional, and national levels.

300 Level Courses

VEN 106

How to Run a Crew Meeting (Adults and Youth Ages 14-20)

An experienced Crew President and Crew Advisor and crew members will teach how to effectively run a crew meeting. Although aimed at youth, this session is still valuable for adult leaders to take back and share with/instruct members of their crew.

VEN 314

High Adventure Programs: Beyond the National Bases

Learn about high adventure programs available locally and nationally. Emphasis is on hidden gems—programs that may not be well known but are exciting and cost-efficient. High adventure programs at Broad Creek, including the latest V-Week programming, will be highlighted.

Sea Scout Program

100 Level Courses

SSC 101

Intro to Sea Scouts in the Hampton Roads Area

This course provides an overview of the Sea Scouting program and the opportunities for Sea Scouting in the Hampton Roads area. This course is designed for those who are not currently involved in the Sea Scout program. No sailing or prior boating experience is required.

200 Level Courses

SSC 201

How to Start a Sea Scout Ship

This course will review the steps to organize a Sea Scout Ship and will provide information on suggested programs and activities for a new Sea Scout unit. Scouters from any Scouting program may find this material useful.

300 Level Courses

SSC 301

Finding the Right Vessel for Your Unit

Should we get a 55-foot sailing ketch or a few canoes? Deciding what vessels to acquire can be a hard decision for any unit whether a Troop, Team, Crew, or Ship. This lesson will provide a basic overview of what to look for and will cover some of the BSA requirements for Scouting vessels. Scouters from any Scouting program may find this material useful.

SSC 302

Long Cruise Planning and Execution

Learn how to plan a Sea Scout Long Cruise leaving from right here in Hampton Roads. The Sea Scout program relies on an annual Long Cruise just like Scouting relies on summer camp or baseball relies on the World Series.

SSC 303

Sea Scouts and the USCG Auxiliary

The BSA and the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary recently announced a new agreement to make Sea Scouts the official youth program of the Auxiliary, the uniformed volunteer component of the U.S. Coast Guard. Come and learn more about this awesome arrangement.

SSC 304

Ship Program Planning

Program is what makes Sea Scouting exciting. However, every Ship needs a plan to deliver quality program to young men and women. Learn about the exciting program opportunities that exist right here in Hampton Roads.

Doctoral Program

DOC 604

Selecting and Researching the Doctoral Thesis Topic

Selecting the Research topic and defining the issue or problem. Researching the issue and methods of presentations. An explanation of the various methods required to prepare, research, write and present the Doctoral paper.

DOC 605

Developing the Doctoral Outline and Thesis

A workshop on developing an outline of a thesis/project and using it to structure your doctoral paper. Course covers the elements of a useful thesis.

DOC 614

Doctoral Counseling

A counseling session with a faculty member on topic selection, research and thesis preparation, and the application procedure. THIS IS A NON-CREDIT COURSE.

Continuing Education Program

CED 101 (Formerly DCS 101)

Functions of the District Committee

This basic course will examine the four functions of the District Committee, duties of each, as well as those of the Key-3.

CED 103

Tentaroo – Beyond the User

Tentaroo is the council's online registration program for all activities. Learn how to use it to set up and use online registration in your unit, manage unit rosters, and produce registration reports and other documents. This course is for Scouters, Parents, and Unit Activity Coordinators.

CED 113

Advancement Program and Paperwork

Are you familiar with the Four Steps of Advancement? Did you know that advancement was one of the Eight Methods of Scouting? Learn how advancement ties Scouting's all eight methods together. Explore what paperwork is necessary to manage a Scout troop well

CED 114

Recruiting and Retaining Adults

The course describes what to say to inspire adults to join a Scouting unit's adult volunteer team. In addition, learn several approaches for effectively communicating your message and moving adults to volunteer.

CED 117

Scouting Religious Emblems and Awards

This course will introduce you to the various programs within BSA and the religious communities that draw Scouts closer to God. Information involving what programs exist, the PRAY program, and how one goes about recruiting, networking, presenting, and continuing such programs within the Scout units and the religious community.

CED 122

Geo Caching (2 Hour Class)

You will learn how to use this new sport to enhance the Scouting program. Participants will learn about how the sport of geo-caching (a high-tech treasure hunt based on GPS technology) works, about ways geo-caching can add excitement to unit and district programs while supporting traditional Scouting skills and values, and about resources to support geo-Scouting. Weather permitting the class will participate in a hands-on exercise to find a geo-cache using GPSs.

CED 132

Working with Scouts with Special Needs

"Scouting helps by giving Scouts with disabilities an opportunity to prove to themselves and to others that they can do things- and difficult things too- for themselves."
Robert Baden-Powell

This class will discuss how to make Scouting accessible and enjoyable to all boys and Venture age girls regardless of their abilities. Scouting is a program for everybody – no matter their ability.

CED 144

Outdoor Ethics (formerly Intro to Leave No Trace - LNT)

The goal of this BSA Outdoor Ethics Orientation Course is to introduce the concept of Outdoor Ethics to a group with little experience in outdoor ethics in a fun and engaging way. It should adults at all program levels understand the general principles behind Scouting's outdoor ethics program by reviewing the principles of Outdoor ethics and Leave No Trace.

CED 155

Adult First Aid/CPR/AED (Two Sessions Offered)

Learn cardio pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) from a certified Red Cross instructor. **(\$20 additional fee)**

Important Details. This blended learning Adult CPR/AED/First Aid course includes an online portion and an instructor-led classroom skills session. The online portion must be completed before attending the in-class portion. Most learners complete the online portion in approximately two hours. However, your experience may vary widely based on several factors including your PC, internet speed and previous training. Beginning the online session as soon as possible is recommended to ensure you have completed it prior to the in-person skill session. Please be prepared to provide your instructor with proof that you completed the online portion by printing your online course completion record that is available at the end of the online portion of the course and show it to your instructor - it will read "Proceed to Skill Session."

CED 167

Journey to Excellence

"Scouting's Journey to Excellence" is the BSA's council performance recognition program designed to encourage & reward success, and to measure the performance of our units, districts, and councils. The "Journey to Excellence" is based on what successful units do to continually improve.

CED 177 Great Local Campsites & Virginia High Adventure Opportunities

In the Tidewater area, we have some wonderful camp sites tucked away near the shore and inland. Learn about great local campsites within a two-hour drive, and Virginia high adventure opportunities.

200 Level Courses

CED 209

Trailer Safety

Ever wonder why sometimes your trailer just doesn't tow well? Have you had a trailer breakdown on the road? Join us for a demonstration and discussion of towing the trailer, including: safety, packing, wheel bearings, trailer hitches, loading and unloading, insurance, and lessons learned.

CED 213

Scoutbook – How To For Unit Leaders

A discussion of Scouting's unit management software for unit leader. Learn how to add connections; add and approve awards/advancement work; set up events for dens/patrols; send messages, and a variety of other tasks.

CED 227

UoS Instructors

UoS instructors will earn one credit for each class they teach, up to three credits per year. To earn the credits please submit PowerPoint slides and a single page lesson plan for each course to the UoS President prior to conducting the sessions.

CED 233

Maps and Compass: Navigation Basics (Three Hour Class)

Learn to navigate with maps and compass. Coverage of basic geographic terminology, the different types of compasses, maps and charts, and what each is used for, the principles of the Earth's magnetic fields and common symbols and terminology used on maps. How to put those skills into practical use for navigating in all environments. This course is good for either beginner or intermediate skill levels and will help you to bring these critical navigation skills back to your troops, crews and ships. Students are requested to bring a compass, pencil, and straight edge. All other supplies will be provided.

300 Level Courses

CED 305 (Formerly DCS 305)

Unit Startup and Growth Planning

This newly updated DYNAMIC advanced membership course will examine the resources needed to develop a district growth plan. Participants will learn how to recognize under-served areas of their district and identify potential chartered organizations in their communities. This information will form the foundation for developing a plan to see that every youth in a district has the opportunity to join in the adventure of Scouting.

CED 307 (Formerly DCS 307)

Planning District and Council Events

An overview of some of the factors to be considered in the planning, staffing, preparation and execution of district and council level events. This course will help the Event Chair organize and prepare for a year's worth of events such as Pinewood Derbies, Blue and Gold Banquets, Klondike Derbies, Camporees, Webelosrees, and Merit Badge University. If you're new to this, we will help get you started on the right path. If you're an old hand, perhaps you can share some lessons learned.

CED 313

Scoutbook Administration and Advancement

Scoutbook is BSA's official advancement management tool. Learn how to add, remove, and transfer scouts; add dens and patrols; approve permissions for leaders; add parents and other connections; add pack/troop events to the calendar as well as enable notifications/RSVPs; and more. While anyone is welcome to attend, this class is aimed at unit advancement chairs and Scoutbook administrators.

Youth Education Program

100 Level Courses

YTH 101

The Patrol Method / A Youth Run Troop

Is your Troop really youth run? Does the Patrol Method really work? Find out how and why it works and why it is important for the Troop and the Scout.

YTH 102

First Class in First Year

Learn how to develop and implement a Troop program to help new Scouts achieve the First Class rank by the end of their first year.

YTH 103

So, you want to be a Patrol Leader

For those who are or want to be Patrol Leaders. You will identify your most important roles and responsibilities. You will discover tools and skills to help you become a successful Leader and a participating member of the Patrol Leaders Council (PLC). Prerequisites: Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops should be completed prior to the class. ILST is offered at the Troop level.

YTH 104

Making the most of Weekend Camping

Help your Unit decide when and where to go to camp and to get the most out of their long-term summer camping experience. Suggestions to balance advancement, camp living, and just having fun will be provided.

200 Level Courses

YTH 201

Recruiting Youth Into Your Unit

Learn best methods in how to recruit youth into your Unit, in addition to transitioning Webelos into Scouts BSA. Discussion topics on holding open house recruitment nights, recruit a friend efforts, how to best reach out to young women for joining (Scouts BSA starts in Feb, 2019), how to best partner with your local Cub Scout Pack, and more, will be covered.

YTH 202

Cooking with Younger Scouts

What you need to know and tips to help scouts achieve the cooking requirements to get first class. Also included will be demonstration on some unique and easy cooking ideas that make it fun for the scouts.

YTH 203

So, you want to be a Senior Patrol Leader

For Scouts who are or want to be Senior Patrol Leader (SPL). Discover the things that you can do to help improve your chances of being a successful SPL. You will learn about the SM/SPL Continuum and find out what impact it has on your performance as SPL.

Prerequisites: Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops should be completed prior to the class. ILST is offered at the Troop level.

YTH 204

Historic Trails of Tidewater Council and beyond!

Learn about our local BSA historic trails, including requirements and tips for hiking them, from an experienced hiker who has hiked all of them. Also learn about other BSA and non-BSA historic trails in Virginia and North Carolina and surrounding states.

300 Level Courses

YTH 301

How to run an Intro to Leadership Skills for Troops, Crew, or Ships (ILST, ILSC, or ILSS)

Ever wonder what an ILST/ILSC/ILSS is and how to run one? Well, here's your chance to learn and put one on in your troop!

YTH 302

Hornaday Awards for Scouts

Learn about the BSA Hornaday Awards for conservation leadership, including the various types of Hornaday awards for youth, units and adults and the requirements for each award. Learn how a project can double count toward both Eagle Scout and a Hornaday Award. The course will be led by a member of the Council's Hornaday Award review committee, who will provide valuable tips for earning a Hornaday Award.

YTH 303 (Youth Age 14-20 Only)

Goal Setting & Time Management Module

This is a new BSA youth training module. Come check it out and learn some tips to better manage your time and how to set achievable goals. Definitely tools that will help you in all aspects of life - scouts, school, and work. This class will also satisfy the mentoring course requirement for the Venturing Discovery Award.

YTH 304 (Youth age 14-20 Only)

Mentoring Training Module

This course will provide you with tools that can help you be a good mentor, not just in your crew but also at school, your place of worship and even with your siblings. This class will also satisfy the mentoring course requirement for the Venturing Summit Award.

YTH 305 (Youth age 14-20 Only)

Project Management Skills For Life

This 2-hour class will help you develop the abilities to plan projects, trips, outings and activities. Those who venture into this class will hone their skills in the areas of leadership, delegation and keeping plans on track for success. This class will also satisfy the project management course requirement for the Venturing Pathfinder Award

Course Schedule Grid

The following grid is provided to help you with selecting your sessions. Select one session under each session #, and please note some courses have multiple session requirements.

Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4/ Lunch	Session 5	Session 6	Session 7
8:15 A.M.	9:15 A.M.	10:15 A.M.	11:15 A.M.	1:15 P.M.	2:15 P.M.	3:15 P.M.
BSL-103	BSL-101	BSL-108	BSL-109	BSL-110	BSL-115	BSL-111
BSL-205	BSL-208	BSL-169			BSL-218	
		BSL-214	BSL-215		BSL-301	BSL-311
					BSL-114	
BSL-219(A)			BSL-219(B)			
BSL-201(A)	BSL-202(A)	BSL-203(A)	BSL-201(B)	BSL-202(B)	BSL-203(B)	
CSP -101	CSP-109	CSP-103	CSP-110	CSP-114	CSP-105	CSP-205
CSP-201	CSP-202	CSP-208	CSP-209	CSP-218		
SSC-101	SSC-201	SSC-301	SSC-302	SSC-303	SSC-304	
VEN-101	VEN-102	VEN-103	VEN-104	VEN-105	VEN-314	VEN-106
CED-155(A)		CED-155(B)		CED-117		
CED-132	CED-103		CED-167	CED-114		
CED-177	CED-122			CED-233		
			CED-209	CED-101	CED-305	CED-307
			CED-113	CED-213	CED-313	CED-144
DOC-604	DOC-605	DOC-614				
YTH-101	YTH-102	YTH-103	YTH-202	YTH-201	YTH-203	YTH-104
YTH-301	YTH-302	YTH-305		YTH-303	YTH-304	YTH-204

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