

Scouts Air Researcher Activity Badge – Previous requirements



These are the previous requirements for the Scouts Air Researcher Activity Badge. If you are already working towards these requirements, you can continue to do so until June 2027.

How to earn your badge:

1. Research one historical aspect of flight, and share what you find out with the Troop.

You might like to find out about:

- the development of aviation or flight over a period of time agreed with your leader
 - balloons or airships, from their first appearance to the present day
 - a type of aero engine, such as a jet or piston engines in general, or a specific engine like the Rolls-Royce Merlin
 - the development of an aircraft type, like a Spitfire, Boeing 747, Harrier, Stealth Bomber, space shuttle or the Wessex helicopter. You could find out details about its history, role and achievements
2. While you're doing your research, visit at least one place of interest that relates to your chosen subject.

It could be a museum, an air display or an aeronautics factory.

3. Present what you have found out.

Your presentation should include a model that you have made based on your subject. You should also include diagrams and pictures wherever you can.