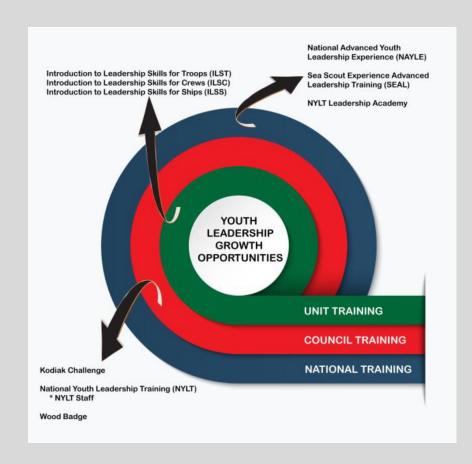
Scouts BSA Youth Leadership Training Options

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Youth Leadership Training Options

- Vision: The Boy Scouts of America is the premier leadership development organization for youth in the United States of America.
- Methods: The youth leadership training continuum represents the scope and sequence of leadership training courses available to youth members of the Boy Scouts of America and hands-on experiential learning through actual leadership roles.



Introduction to Leadership Skills

- Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops (ILST)
- Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews (ILSC)
- Introduction to Leadership Skills for Ships (ILSS)
- The training course is delivered to the youth of the troop, ship, or crew by older and more experienced youth as soon as a young person has been selected by his or her peers for a leadership position.
- Youth are introduced to the skills of leadership and the tools they will
 use to implement their vision of adventure and leadership in their
 role as a youth leader in their troop or crew.



Welcome

This online virtual Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops (ILST) and Crews (ILSC) consists of three unique modules.

Module 1 provides focused training for members of Troops or Crews (Module 1A or 1B) and is found in the BSA Learn Center.

Module 2 consists of five segments covering *Creating a Vision, Goal Setting, Communication, Planning and Delegation,* and *Stages of Team Development*. This too can be found in the BSA Learn Center.

Module 3 is the online virtual discussion to provide Scouts an opportunity to discuss and interact with leaders on topics that include *Team Development* and *Characteristics, Group Decisions, Leadership Styles and Tools, Ethics and Values*, and the *EDGE method*. This PowerPoint presentation is designed to accompany the script that will be followed for that discussion.

Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops (ILST) and Crews (ILSC) VIRTUAL LEARNING Module 3





Module 3 of this training should not be used once the pandemic lessens and Troops/Crews are able to meet in person. Once this is possible the training should be delivered face-to-face using the original ILST/ILSC syllabi.

Position Description Cards

http://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/training/pdf/510-046_PocketCards17.pdf

Position Description: Senior Patrol Leader

- Preside at all troop meetings, events, activities, and annual program planning conference.
- · Chair the patrol leaders' council.
- Appoint youth leaders with the advice and consent of the Scoutmaster.
- Assign duties and responsibilities to other youth leaders.

- Work with the Scoutmaster in training youth leaders.
- · Set a good example.
- Wear the Scout uniform correctly.
- Live by the Scout Oath and Scout Law.
- · Show and help develop Scout spirit.

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What are my	goals to get us there?

Position Description:

Assistant Senior Patrol Leader

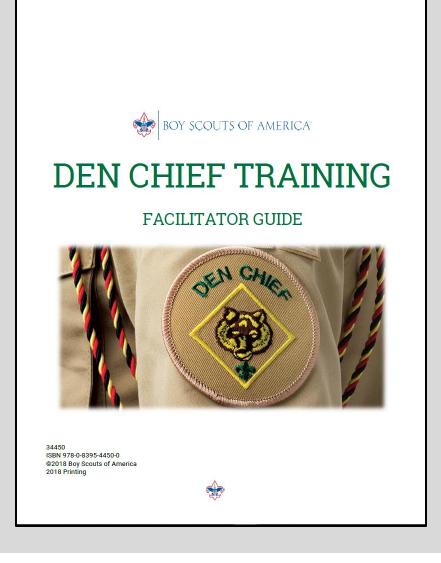
- Be responsible for training and giving direct leadership to the following appointed youth leaders: historian, Order of the Arrow troop representative, scribe, librarian, instructor, quartermaster, and chaplain aide.
- Help lead meetings and activities as called upon by the senior patrol leader.
- Guide the troop in the senior patrol leader's absence.

- Perform tasks assigned by the senior patrol leader.
- Function as a member of the patrol leaders' council.
- · Set a good example.
- Wear the Scout uniform correctly.
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Den Chief Training

- Options
 - Taught at the unit or district level by a facilitator
 - Offered annually at the Program and Training Conference (PTC)
 - Online Training



NYLT - National Youth Leadership Training



- National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) is a leadership training experience sponsored by the Chief Seattle Council and held annually at a council camp.
- The training is conducted by highly qualified youth staff under the supervision of adult advisors.
 - Week 1 (Monday August 9 -- Saturday August 14)
 - Week 2 (Wednesday August 11 -- Monday August 16)
 - Week 3 (Monday August 16 -- Saturday August 21)

Scouts BSA participants must be age 13 by start of program

Wilderness and Remote First Aid (WFA)

- Wilderness First Aid (WFA) is the assessment of and treatment given to an ill or injured person in a remote environment where definitive care by a physician and/or rapid transport is not readily available.
- Training in Wilderness First Aid will prepare you to safely participate in unit outdoor adventures and will qualify you to attend the National Jamboree or any BSA High Adventure base.
- Youth over age 14 and adult Scout leaders are invited to participate.
- 16 hour in-person training



Powder Horn

 The Powder Horn course is designed to help the unit by introducing youth and adult Scouting leaders to safely conducted outdoor/high-adventure activities of a fun and challenging nature.



- Shooting sports
- COPE course (high and low)
- Waterfront
- Whitewater rafting (on the Deschutes River!)
- Windsurfing Cave exploring!
- Rock climbing and rappelling on real rock!
- Mountain biking

- Mountain boarding
- Mountaineering (Palmer Glacier on Mt Hood, Timberline chairlift to get there!)
- Winter camping
- Long-term lightweight backpacking
- Expedition planning
- Astronomy
- Dutch Oven cooking
- And others!

Adults and youth age 14 by start of program



Program & Training Conference

- One stop training opportunity October 23, 2021
- Courses for youth:
 - Den Chief Training
 - Den Chief Food
 - Drug & Alcohol Awareness
 - Patrol Method (for YOUTH)
 - Den Chief Games (for YOUTH)
 - Cooking & Menus in the Back & Front Country
 - Dutch Oven Cooking Basics
 - Making First Aid REAL
 - Time Management & Goal Setting
 - Conflict Management
 - Working with Adults
 - Info on International Scouting
 - Ultra Light Backpacking



National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE)



- National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience is an exciting program that enhances leadership skills and expands upon the team-building and ethical decision-making skills learned in NYLT.
- NAYLE emphasizes leadership, teamwork, and selfless service, and uses the core elements of NYLT to help youth internalize and strengthen these skills.
 - Philmont (New Mexico)
 - The Summit (West Virgina)

WOOD BADGE

- TM
- The Purpose of Wood Badge is to strengthen units. Wood Badge is an advanced, intense, experiential course on small-group leadership.
- There are presentations and activities. There are games, but there is no dead time – the games are all with a purpose.
- The course, and working your ticket afterwards, will help you make your Scouting unit stronger, and will also help you in your work, church, family, and everywhere else.
- Available to Crew and Ship youth age 18-20 and adults
- 2021 Fall Course: Sept 24-26 & Oct 9-10 (Camp Pigott)