



SET YOUR TROOP'S GOALS!

Think of the Possibilities!

Talk with the Scouts in the Troop about the goals with which they would like to challenge themselves this year.

Write your Troop's goals (as numbers) in the squares.



FALL: September – November



WINTER: December – February



SPRING: March – May



SUMMER: June – August

Our Scouting Year can be divided into four cycles, which align with the four seasons. Plan, do and review your program each season, and the quality of your adventures will improve in no time!

The coloured boxes include suggested goals from Scouts Canada. How adventurous will your program be?



Write the number your Troop would like to set as a goal.

PER MONTH

Meeting outdoors

(Suggested range:
1-3)

PER CYCLE (SEASON)

Outings, visits or events

(Suggested range:
2-6)

Troop Leadership Team meetings

(Suggested range:
2-4)

Seasonal assessment and action plan*

PER SCOUTING YEAR

Nights away

(Suggested range:
10-20)

Adventures for each Program Area

(Suggested range:
3-4)

Adventures with Pack or Company (one for Trailblazers)

Personal progression review

(Suggested range:
2-4)

Section Code of Conduct developed

(Suggested)

Environmental service project

(Suggested range:
1-4)

Community service projects

(Suggested range:
2-4)

Activities with parental participation

(Suggested range:
2-4)

[The goal-setting template is also included in the Program Quality Guide.](#)

BIG IDEAS AT A GLANCE

Plot out some of your goals within this calendar.

SEPTEMBER

OCTOBER

NOVEMBER

DECEMBER

JANUARY

FEBRUARY

MARCH

APRIL

MAY

JUNE

JULY

AUGUST





FALL

ADVENTURES WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THIS CYCLE:

EVENTS

Plan
Investiture
Halloween
Fall camp
Remembrance Day
Apple Day / Scout Popcorn

WHICH AREAS ON THE MAP HAVE YOU VISITED THIS CYCLE?

BRUCE TRAIL

Active & Healthy Living



CABOT TRAIL

Creative Expression



MACKENZIE RIVER

Environment & Outdoors



RED COAT TRAIL

Leadership



RIDEAU TRAIL

Citizenship



WEST COAST TRAIL

Beliefs & Values



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SEPTEMBER

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FALL



PROGRAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT

At the START: The Troop Leader should take the time to introduce the approach to Program Quality to the Troop Leadership Team.

USE PLAN-DO-REVIEW TO HELP DRIVE THE DISCUSSIONS:

Review

- What do you know now that you did not know before?
- How did you help one another during this activity?
- How did you challenge yourself?
- Did everyone play a part?
- Did any surprises happen during this adventure?
- What did not work out as planned?
- Did everyone stay safe? What have you learned about safety through this adventure?





WINTER

ADVENTURES WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THIS CYCLE:

USE PLAN-DO-REVIEW TO HELP
DRIVE THE DISCUSSIONS:

Plan

- How can we make sure everyone participates?
- How can we make sure everyone stays safe?
- What materials do we need?
- Does everyone know what they need to do?
- What skills are required?
- Has everyone agreed on all the details?

Do

- Learn any new skills needed
- Take part in your adventure
- Participate successfully

EVENTS

Safety Week
Scout-Guide Week
Winter camp

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WINTER



PROGRAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT

- What activities did we do as a Patrol?
- How am I contributing to the Troop?
- Does our Troop Leadership Team meet regularly and make decisions for the Troop?
- What leadership abilities am I developing this year?

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SPRING

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EVENTS

Linking
Scoutrees
Spring camp

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SPRING



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SUMMER

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DRIVE THE DISCUSSIONS:

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EVENTS

Summer camp
Summer outings

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SUMMER



PROGRAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT

- Did we go outdoors enough?
- What are three things I have done that were new from last year?
- Do I plan to return to Scouts next year? Do Trailblazers plan to join Venturers?
- How have I developed in the SPICES?

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