

# Scouts BSA Uniform Inspection Sheet

## Official Placement of Insignia

Conduct the uniform inspection with common sense; the basic rule is neatness.

### Merit Badge Sash

- 5 pts. ☐ If worn, **merit badges** are attached to front (and back, if needed) of sash.
- ☐ **Temporary insignia** may be worn on back.
- Notes \_\_\_\_\_

### Shoulder Epaulets

- 5 pts. ☐ Green shoulder loops identify Scouts BSA participants (all members of a troop).
- Notes \_\_\_\_\_

### Right Sleeve

- 5 pts. ☐ **U.S. flag emblem** centered directly below shoulder seam. Only the most recently earned **Journey to Excellence recognition** may be worn below patrol emblem or below the National Honor Patrol star.
- ☐ **Musician badge**, if in band or drum corps, is worn ½ inch below patrol emblem.
- Notes \_\_\_\_\_

### Left Sleeve

- 5 pts. ☐ **Council shoulder emblem**, unit numeral, and veteran unit bar are worn as shown snug up, and touching each other. On the official uniform shirt, the **veteran unit bar** (25, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75, or 80 years) is positioned above and touching the troop numeral and in turn touching the council emblem.
- ☐ On the official shirt, the **badge of office** is centered on the pocket, as shown. On the official uniform shirt, the **badge of office** is centered and touching the unit numeral, or centered 4 inches below the shoulder seam. On the official uniform shirt, the **Trained Leader emblem** is worn immediately below and in contact with the badge of office.
- ☐ On the shirt, the **Trained Leader emblem** is centered as shown at the top of the pocket flap.
- ☐ **Den chief cord** is worn over the left shoulder, under epaulet.
- Notes \_\_\_\_\_

### Right Pocket

- 5 pts. ☐ **National or world jamboree insignia** (only one) worn above the BSA program or corporate strip or the interpreter strip.
- ☐ **Order of the Arrow lodge insignia** worn on pocket flap.
- ☐ **Temporary insignia** worn centered on the pocket or hung from the button. Only one temporary insignia is worn at a time.
- ☐ **Nameplate**, if worn, is centered above the program or corporate strip and, if worn, above the interpreter strip. If worn, the jamboree emblem is worn above the interpreter strip.
- Notes \_\_\_\_\_

### Left Pocket

- 5 pts. ☐ **Service stars** are centered above the pocket, ¾ inch from top point to top point and ½ inch from either the pocket or embroidered knots.
- ☐ **Embroidered square knots** are worn centered above the pocket in rows of three.
- ☐ Not more than five medals may be worn, pinned centered immediately above the pocket (extending over knots if both are worn).
- ☐ The order of wearing knots and medals is at the wearer's discretion; typically the medal or knot the wearer deems most important is worn to the wearer's right.
- ☐ **Badges of rank** are worn centered on the pocket above the Arrow of Light Award, as shown.
- ☐ The **World Crest emblem** and **Messengers of Peace ring** are worn centered horizontally over the left pocket and vertically between the left shoulder seam and the top of the pocket.
- Notes \_\_\_\_\_

### Total Insignia Score (transfer to other side)

30 pts.



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