

Eagle Application Checklist

- You are using the current application form. You may download a fillable PDF:
<http://www.scouting.org/forms.aspx>.
- Your name is your full legal name, as found on your birth certificate.
- Date became a Boy Scout is entered (Not the date the Scout Badge was earned).
- First Class date is after the date for becoming a Scout.
- Four (4) months tenure between First Class and Star rank awards.
- Six (6) months tenure between Star rank award and Life Board of Review.
- Six (6) months tenure after Life Board of Review.
- Four (4) required merit badges dated prior to Star award date.
- Two (2) optional merit badges dated prior to Star award date.
- An additional three (3) required and two (2) optional merit badges dated prior to the Life Board of Review date. Those merit badges earned before becoming a Star Scout but not used as part of the requirements for the Star rank may be counted.
- The additional required and optional merit badges for Eagle are entered. Those merit badges earned before becoming a Life Scout but not used as part of the requirements for the Star or Life ranks may be used.
- All but one of the merit badges in items 6 and 9 are crossed out. (See the note at the end of the merit badge section on the application.)
- Six (6) months tenure since becoming a Life Scout in one or more of the listed leadership positions.
- The Eagle service project completed after the Life Board of Review and prior to the 18th birthday. The current Eagle Scout Service Project Workbook must be used and enclosed with the application.
- The date for the Scoutmaster conference is entered.
- The statement of life ambitions and life purpose and listing of positions and awards in other organizations is enclosed with the application (requirement 6).
- Your signature and the date are entered.
- Unit leader and committee signatures and dates are entered.
- All requirements and the Scoutmaster conference are completed *before* your 18th birthday.
- All dates show month, day, and year.

