

Badges that can be gained whilst sailing on Setanta

Remember to ask your skipper for a certificate when you complete a badge



Time on the water

Available for 1, 2, 5, 10, 15, 20, 35, 50 sessions on the water.

A session lasts:

- Beavers 1hr
- Cubs 1-2hrs
- Scouts & Explorers 2-3hrs



Nautical Skills

Stage 1

1. Take part in a water activity taster session
2. Correctly identify the different equipment used
3. Gain an understanding of the safety equipment used.

Stage 2

1. Take part in a water activity taster session for at least one hour
2. Show that you understand what to do in the event of a man overboard situation
3. Tie either a figure of eight or a reef knot. Describe how you use them in water activities.
4. Name the basic equipment you used during your chosen activity.
5. List some clothing that is not suitable for your chosen activity and explain the reasons why.
6. Show that you know the safety equipment you used and why it's needed.



Sailing staged activity badge

Stage 1

1. Identify different types of sailing crafts.
2. Name three places you could safely go sailing.
3. Take part in a warm up activity to prepare you for a sailing activity.
4. Dress properly for a sailing activity, showing you know the importance of buoyancy aids and how to put one on correctly.
5. Take part in a taster session that covers:
 - being able to name equipment used and parts of the boat
 - getting into and out of a boat safely
 - balancing a boat
 - manoeuvring your boat in different directions, including moving forward.



Guides – Outdoor Pursuits

1. Participate in at least two sessions
2. Be prepared to talk about them, and if possible bring photos of the activities.
3. Discuss the clothing and equipment needed for your chosen activities.
4. Know the safety rules for your chosen activities. Discuss which activity you particularly enjoyed and why.
5. Find out about any qualifications available in your favourite activity, and how you could take it further.