



# 4th Grade Webelos Scouts



## Fourth-Grade Webelos Den Meeting #9

*Artist activity badge (partial)*

### Preparation and materials needed:

- Bring a U.S. flag; red, yellow, and blue paints; paper; paintbrushes; air-drying modeling material or clay; flag-sized fabric; and towels, soap, and water for cleanup.
- Invite an artist to this den meeting. An “artist” may be an art teacher or anyone who has talent in drawing, painting, sculpture, etc.
- Read the Artist chapter in the *Webelos Handbook*.

### Gathering:

- Collect den dues.
- Record attendance.

### Opening ceremony:

- A Webelos Scout should plan and lead the flag ceremony (Webelos badge requirement 6).
- Recite the Pledge of Allegiance, the Cub Scout Promise, Law of the Pack, Scout Oath, and/or Scout Law.

### Advancement:

Artist activity badge requirements:

1. Talk to an artist in your area or to your art teacher about the different occupations in the art field. Make a list of them.
4. List the primary and secondary colors. Explain what happens when you combine colors. (Boys can use the color mixing experiment in the *Webelos Handbook*.)
7. Use clay to sculpt a simple subject.
9. Make an art construction, using your choice of materials.

In the boys' *Webelos Handbooks*, sign the requirements met.

### Closing:

- Clean up.
- Retire the colors.

- Hand out family information letter. (A sample family information letter can be found at [www.scouting.org/CubScouts/Resources](http://www.scouting.org/CubScouts/Resources) and on the CD in the Resources folder on the main menu. Also see the boxed text for suggested wording.)

### **Family Information Letter**

The Webelos den is working on the Artist activity badge. One member from each Scout's family needs to stay for the first part of our next den meeting to help your Webelos Scout complete requirement 6 (draw a profile of a member of your family).

### **Next Up:**

- For den meeting #10, bring a U.S. flag and the den flag.
- Bring items to create a scrapbook (may be as simple as construction paper stapled together in book form with space for gluing boys' artwork), paper, pencils, lamp, tape, construction paper cut to bookmark size, assorted magazines, and assorted objects to make mobiles.