

# ADVENTURE SKILLS

To enjoy your adventure you will need new skills. As you learn these skills you can earn one of the nine Adventure Skills Badges. If you were in Beaver Scouts, you may already have some. If so, move onto the next stage!



If you have just joined Cub Scouts, choose the Adventure Skill that you would like to learn and get started!



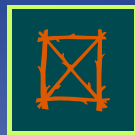
**Air Activities:** This is about things that fly! Learn how planes, kites, and hot-air balloons work. How does the wind affect things that fly?



**Emergencies:** When things go wrong, it's good to know how to help. Learning First Aid and other skills to help people is vital for any Cub Scout.



**Hill walking:** Be prepared for hiking everywhere outdoors. Learn how to plan your route, avoid getting lost, using a map and compass, and what to wear and carry.



**Pioneering:** Learn some knots and lashings and use them to design and build your own camp gadgets!



**Camping:** Find out how to pitch different types of tents. Learn how to find a good campsite, and what gear you need to bring along.



**Backwoods:** Learn how to live without electricity, running water, and the comforts of home. Work with nature to survive!



**Rowing:** It's not as easy as it looks! Get to the bottom of this skill and get moving on the water.



**Paddling:** This is perfect for the water-lovers. Get the basics of water safety under your belt. Find out how to use and care for Paddling gear.



**Sailing:** Learn about navigation, water safety, ropework, storage and use of the boats, and vital teamwork. Then get on the water!