Scouts BSA Cyber Chip Workbook

This Workbook can help you organize your thoughts as you prepare to meet with your counselor.
You still must satisfy your counselor that you can demonstrate each skill and have learned the information.
You should use the work space provided for each requirement to keep track of which requirements have been
completed, and to make notes for discussing the item with your counselor, not for providing full and complete answers.
If a requirement says that you must take an action using words such as "discuss", "show",
"tell", "explain", "demonstrate", "identify", etc, that is what you must do.

Merit Badge Counselors may not require the use of this or any similar workbooks.

No one may add or subtract from the official requirements found in Scouts BSA Requirements (Pub. 33216 – SKU 653801).

The requirements were last issued or revised in 2020   •   This workbook was updated in June 2020.

Scout's Name:_____   Unit: _____

Counselor's Name: _____   Phone No.:_____   Email: _____

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A. Cyber Chip Requirements for Grades 6-8

☐ 1. Read and sign the Level II Internet Safety Pledge on the BSA Cyber Chip card. (BSA Cyber Chip green card; can be ordered at www.scoutshop.org.)

> **Internet Safety Pledge**
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> 1. I will think before I post
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> 2. I will respect other people online
>
> 3. I will respect digital media ownership
>
> 4. I won't meet face-to-face with anyone I meet in the digital world unless I have my parent's permission
>
> 5. I will protect myself online.

☐ 2. Write and sign a personalized contract with your parent or guardian that outlines rules for using the computer and mobile devices, including what you can download, what you can post, and consequences for inappropriate use.

General comments	
What I can download	

What I can post	
Consequences for inappropriate use	

☐ 3. Watch the video "Friend or Fake"   https://youtu.be/Nb1zAY_cc8o   , along with two additional videos from the list below at https://www.youtube.com/user/NetSmartzWorkshop   , to see how friends can help each other to stay safe online.

- • **Post to be Private** (youtu.be/mBsoODqfQgA)
- • **Split Decisions** (youtu.be/HLUv8DHt_R4)
- • **Two Kinds of Stupid** (youtu.be/T6ulH2bWCnY)

	Video Name	Date Watched
☐	Friend or Fake?	
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☐ 4. As an individual or with your patrol, use the EDGE method to teach internet safety rules, behavior, and "netiquette" to your troop or another patrol. You are encouraged to use any additional material and information you have researched. Each member of the patrol must have a role and present part of the lesson.

☐ 5. Discuss with your unit leader the acceptable standards and practices for using allowed electronic devices, such as phones and games, at your meetings and other Scouting events.