

Circle Ten Council, BSA

HELMET SAFETY BADGE

The Cub Scout must wear his helmet every time he rides his bike, rollerblades, or skateboards during a thirty day period, with a minimum of 15 different days. The helmet must be worn the entire time of riding throughout that day. If the Scout misses one time during that day, then it cancels that point for the day. Use this form to keep up with the days you ride your bike, roller blades, or skateboard. Make an X on the day when you wear your helmet. When you have at least 15 marks on this side of the page, and when you have answered all the questions on the other side, you will have earned the HELMET BADGE, and started a life long safety habit. Cost of badge is \$2.50 (\$3 if mailed).

The completed form can be brought to Scout Shop where you may purchase the badge. If mailing, please enclosed the cost of the badge and mail to:

Scout Shop
8605 Harry Hines Blvd.
Dallas TX 75235-3014

Table with 8 columns (S, M, T, W, T, F, S) and 4 rows (WEEK 1, WEEK 2, WEEK 3, WEEK 4)

Pack # Scout's signature Date

Address

City, State, Zip

Parent signature Date

Den Leader signature Date

Bicycle Safety Helmet Patch Program

Upon completion of the 30-day calendar, answer the questions listed below in order to complete the program. Return this form to the Council Service Center to receive your patch.

1. Wearing a bicycle helmet is the single most important thing you can do to protect your brain -- and your life -- when you ride your bike. List three other activities where a helmet should also be worn.

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2. The highest rate of injury occurs to young people between ages 5 and 14. What would you say to your friends to convince them to wear a helmet?

3. Each year, emergency rooms and doctor's offices see more than 500,000 young people due to bicycle accidents. What could you do to prepare yourself so that you are not among those visiting either of these facilities?

4. Half of all bike wrecks happen on neighborhood streets. What precautions should be taken to assure that your bike ride is not only fun, but safe as well?

5. Nationally, only 15% of all young people wear bike helmets. List three things that you could do to help promote the wearing of a bike helmet.

6. Fill in the blanks with the words at the bottom.

Always wear a bike _____.

Stop and check _____ before riding into a street.

Ride on the _____ hand side of the street.

Give cars and _____ the right of way.

Words

pedestrians

right

helmet

traffic