



# Boy Scout Troop 152

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## Troop 152 Instructor Position Description



### General Information

- Description:** The Instructor works closely with the Troop Guide and the Assistant Scoutmaster for new Scouts to develop and implement the Troop's first year program. The Instructor does not have to be an expert but should be able to teach the Scoutcraft skills needed for the Tenderfoot, Second Class, and First Class ranks. The Troop can have more than one instructor.
- Type:** Appointed by the Senior Patrol Leader
- Term:** Six months
- Reports To:** Senior Patrol Leader
- Mentor:** Assistant Scoutmaster for First Year Program

### Qualifications

- Rank:** First Class or above
- Experience:** None.
- Attendance:** 75% of Troop activities over the previous six months

### Responsibilities

- Teaches basic scouting skills as part of the first year program.
- Coordinates the execution of the first year program with the Troop Guides and the First Year ASM.
- Assists the adult leadership with Junior Leader Training.

### Expectations

- Complete position-specific Junior Leader Training.
- Attend all (or nearly all) Troop functions. Be on time. Notify the SPL in advance if you cannot attend an event.
- Set a good example by wearing your uniform correctly (complete uniform, shirttail tucked in, all required badges in their correct locations).
- Set a good example by living the Scout Oath and Law and exhibiting Scout Spirit in your everyday life.
- Train and transition responsibilities to successor.

### Objectives

- Teach or demonstrate basic scouting skills to First Year Scouts at a minimum of 75% of Troop meetings.
- Define the specific First Year requirements to be covered for each week's skills instruction time.
- Arrange a visit from someone outside of the Troop to help complete a First Year requirement.
- Develop and execute a training plan for First Year Scouts on one campout.
- Implement one improvement that can be used by future Instructors.