

Explorer Posts Program Requirements and Qualifications

Post Requirements

Minimum participant positions.....IH, PCC, 2 PMCs, EA
Can haveAA
Minimum youth participants 5 paid
'youth members' age 18-20 must fill out adult application and do YPT
Standard renewal date required?None, can expire any month
Exceptions to standard requirements ...Unit may register with as few as two
paid youth members with prior
permission of the Scout Executive
TermMinimum 6 months, maximum 18 months

Explorer Post Adult Participant Requirements

Minimum age21
Gender Male and Female
Transfers allowed? Yes
Multiple positions allowed? Yes, they can only multiple with other
posts (not with a troop)
Participant fee for 12 months \$33
Insurance Adult\$4 per year
Boys' Life subscription for 12 months.....\$12
Exceptions to standard requirementsNone

Explorer Post Youth Participant Requirements

Age14 to 20
Grade 14 years of age and have completed the
eighth grade or 15 years of age but not
yet 21 years of age
Gender Male or Female
Transfers allowed? Yes
Multiple participation allowed? Yes
Participant fee for 12 months\$33
Program and Insurance Youth\$27 per year
Boys' Life subscription for 12 months.....\$12

Explorers enrolled in a post prior to age 21 may continue as a member at age 21 until the post recharter or until age 22, whichever comes first.

Position Codes

Use the following codes to indicate a change in position. All positions may be male or female. The minimum age for these positions is noted in parentheses beside the position.

IH	Institutional Head or Executive Officer (21)
PCC	Committee Chairman (21)
PMC	Committee member (21)
EA	Explorer Post Advisor (21)
AA	Explorer Post Associate Advisor (21)
M	Youth Member

Training

All adult applicants are required to take Youth Protection Training in order to complete the adult application process

Excerpt from the Declaration of Religious Principle

The Boy Scouts of America maintains that no member can grow into the best kind of citizen without recognizing an obligation to God and, therefore, recognizes the religious element in the training of the member, but it is absolutely nonsectarian in its attitude toward that religious training. Its policy is that the home and the organization or group with which the member is connected shall give definite attention to religious life.

Only persons willing to subscribe to the Declaration of Religious Principle and to the Bylaws of the Boy Scouts of America shall be entitled to certificates of leadership.

Policy of Nondiscrimination

Youth membership in the Boy Scouts of America is open to all boys, girls, and young adults who meet the joining requirements. Membership in Scouting, advancement, and achievement of leadership in Scouting units are open to all youth without regard to race or ethnic background and are based entirely upon individual merit.