#### Into the Woods

- Webelos

Identify trees and plants in the forest and learn the role they play in the ecosystem. Learn how tree rings can tell a story and what bark does to help the tree.

#### Into the Wild

- Webelos

Learn about the important role everything plays in an ecosystem and how we can impact the balance of nature. Explore how different ecosystems are important for humans and ways that you can help protect the environment.

# **WEATHER & GEAR**

All programs take place outdoors, rain or shine. Participants will be notified if a program is cancelled due to severe weather. Please bring water and wear sturdy, closed-toe footwear (sneakers or hiking shoes). Sunblock and insect repellent are recommended.

# **CUSTOM PROGRAMS**

Please contact us about service projects, including EAGLE SCOUT and GOLD AWARD.

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Are you looking for an additional program not listed here? We would be happy to design a program to suit your needs.

Also available:

- Archery
- Overnight campouts
- Ropes course



# Attleboro Norton YMCA NORTON OUTDOOR CENTER

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# Take your troop on an adventure they'll never forget!

Situated on 80 acres of land, the Attleboro Norton YMCA's Norton Outdoor Center offers scouts an opportunity to explore forests, fields, and wetlands, while completing badges, journeys, and adventures.

Choose from the programs offered in this brochure OR request a topic and we can tailor a program to fit your needs.

We lead scout programs year-round, seven days a week. Pre-registration is required for all programs and must be booked at least 2 weeks in advance.

#### **GET IN TOUCH WITH US**

Jen Maltese **Executive Director, Norton Outdoor Center** (508) 222-7292 imaltese@attleboroymca.org

#### **PROGRAM FEES**

We can accommodate small and large groups, with a minimum of 5 participants. All programs are 1.5 hours long.

\$75, First 5 Particpants \$10, Each Additional Participant

Camp outs can be added to your program for an additional fee. Please contact us for more information.

Our programs are designed to assist your scouts with fulfilling requirements for different badges, and journeys. It is the scout group's respsonsibility to provide the award.

## **GIRL SCOUTS**

#### **JOURNEYS**

# - Daisy, Brownie, Junior, Cadette

# Think Like a Citizen Scientist

Discover how citizen scientists help contribute information to important research projects.

Sharpen your observation skills and try out some citizen science activities at the Norton Outdoor Center.

#### **Wow! Wonders of Water**

- Brownie

Explore the water cycle and learn about water conservation. Visit our waterfront and search for living creatures.

#### **Outdoor Journey**

- Daisy, Brownie, Junior Learn about the outdoors and explore all the wonders nature has to offer!

#### **BADGES**

#### Trail Adventure

- Daisy, Brownie

Plan for and take a nature hike while exploring plants and animals at the Norton Outdoor Center.

#### **Outdoor Art**

- Daisy, Brownie, Junior, Cadette

Explore the outdoors and look for signs of art in nature. Create your own artwork inspired by what you see and find.

#### **Outdoor Adventurer**

- Brownie

Get outside and explore the plants and animals at the Norton Outdoor Center. Create a journal and take a hike, looking for all the signs of the seasons you can find.

#### **Animal Habitats**

- Junior

Learn about the wild animals that call Massachusetts their home. Look for signs of wildlife and explore an animal habitat.

#### **Design With Nature**

- Daisy, Brownie, Junior

Art can be found everywhere! Look for art in nature, learn about the bee's waggle dance, and how some animals are designers and architects. Use your inspiration to create your own work of art.

#### **ADVENTURES**

## Tigers in the Wild

- Tiger

Take a hike through the trails of the Norton Outdoor Center, learning what it means to "leave no trace" while identifying plants and animals that you see along the way.

### Fur, Feathers, and Ferns

- Bear

Learn how to identify plants and animals, along with any signs they leave behind, that can be found along our trails. Learn about animals that are endangered and extinct and the main causes of their declines.





