

Scout Uniform Assistance Request

Uniforms are one of the methods of delivering the Scouting program. Our council wants to provide every Scout with an opportunity to fully participate and be uniformed.

Here's how this program works:

1. Complete the form (fill in PDF and save to your computer, or print and fill by hand)
2. Have your Scout write a brief letter (by hand or electronically) indicating what Scouting means to him/her and how this uniform assistance will have an impact
3. Submit the completed form and letter to your Scout unit
4. Ask your unit if it has a used uniform closet for its Scouts; if it doesn't...
 - ▶ Discuss with your unit how much your family can contribute to the purchase of a uniform and whether the unit has any uniform assistance funds it can provide to help
 - ▶ Have your unit contact the Scouting employee who serves your district (called a District Executive); together, they will determine whether the unit can meet your family's need or if your request should be forwarded to our council Scout Shop
5. If the Scout Shop receives your request, it will offer a package of assistance that may include gently-used uniform parts or the opportunity to purchase new uniform parts at a discount
6. The District Executive will inform your unit about the assistance package that's been offered; your unit will then present this information to you (the shop will not contact you directly concerning financial assistance)

CONTACT INFORMATION AND FAMILY DATA

Scout's name _____ Age _____ Grade _____

Scout's rank _____ Unit _____ (Cub Scout Pack #, Scouts BSA Troop #, Venturing Crew #, Sea Scout Ship #)

Annual household income (total) _____ Total number of household members _____

Does the Scout receive free or reduced price school meals? _____ yes _____ no

Family contact person _____

Family contact's phone _____ Family contact's email _____

SCOUTING BACKGROUND

When did this Scout last earn a rank advancement? _____ Did the Scout sell popcorn in the last sale? _____ yes _____ no

Did the Scout attend camp last summer? _____ yes _____ no If yes, where? _____

Any other family members in Scouting? _____ yes _____ no If yes, who? _____

UNIFORM NEEDS

Scout's shirt size _____ Pants size _____ Belt size _____ Shoe size _____ Cap size _____

Need a neckerchief and slide? _____ yes _____ no Need a handbook? _____ yes _____ no

I confirm the information on this form is accurate: _____ Date _____

Parent/guardian's signature

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Date received? _____ Scout currently registered? _____ How much can the family contribute? _____

Unit asked to help? _____ Scout active in programs? _____ How much can the unit contribute? _____

Chartered Org asked to help? _____ Personal letter attached? _____ How much can the council contribute? _____

Assistance Committee Recommendation _____