

CITIZENSHIP MERIT BADGE DAY



Nation Prerequisites Check Sheet

READ THE MERIT BADGE BOOK BEFORE COMING TO THE SESSION AND BE PREPARED TO DISCUSS/EXPLAIN/DO WHAT THE REQUIREMENTS CALLS FOR. SCOUTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO BRING THIS SIGNED STATEMENT FROM A MERIT BADGE COUNSELOR STATING THAT ALL THE PREREQUISITES HAVE BEEN COMPLETED.

Nation requirements: <http://usscouts.org/mb/mb003.asp>

Scout: _____

Of Troop: _____

Has completed the following Nation prerequisites requirements

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8 **Note:** Bring your letter AND your response from your Senator/Representative to the meeting with your counselor. (See information below)

The Scout, not parent, must contact Dr. Vaughn (stevendvaughn@aol.com) for approval. Title with "Subject: Nation MB approval request- Scout's name/Troop Number"

Merit Badge Counselor signature/date:

Nation Merit Badge Prerequisite

Requirement #8

8. Name your two senators and the member of Congress from your congressional district. Write a letter about a national issue and send it to one of these elected officials, sharing your view with him or her. Show your letter and any response you receive to your counselor.
9. The Scout, not parent, must contact the counselor.

Here is the URL for the Maryland **Senators of the 115th Congress**:

http://www.senate.gov/general/contact_information/senators_cfm.cfm

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Here is the URL to write to one of the Maryland **US Representatives of the 115th**

Congress: <http://www.house.gov/>

Additional items scouts should bring: paper, pencil, pen, drinking cup, and merit badge book.

Nation requirements: <http://usscouts.org/mb/mb003.asp>

District page: <http://www.ncacbsa.org/francis-scott-key/>