

The following merit requirements must be successfully completed for a boy to be awarded the official Royal Rangers Marksmanship merit award. Each requirement must be approved by the boy's group leader or his designee. Content relating to each requirement may be found in the Learning Marksmanship section of this Marksmanship Merit Activity Guide.

#	Requirement	Leader's Initials
1.	Complete all requirements for the Air Gun Safety merit.	
2.	Explain the four components of firing a shot.	
	a. Sight alignment	
	b. Breath control	
	c. Trigger squeeze	
	d. Follow-through	
3.	Complete an exercise to identify your dominant eye.	
4.	Explain and demonstrate the three-person shooting team process—	
	loader, shooter, and spotter.	
5.	Demonstrate how to sight in an air rifle on a shooting range.	
6.	Demonstrate the proper use of a rifle sling.	
7.	Demonstrate and shoot from each of the following shooting positions:	
	a. Bench rest	
	b. Standing	
	c. Kneeling	
	d. Sitting	
	e. Prone	
8.	Demonstrate how to score a paper target using a scoring gauge.	
	MERIT COMPLETED - Date:	

The Marksmanship merit patch (item #157440) representing the completion of this merit may be purchased from MyHealthyChurch.com and worn on the official Royal Rangers awards vest.

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