

Merit Requirements



The following merit requirements must be successfully completed for a boy to be awarded the official Royal Rangers Disc Golf merit award. Content relating to each requirement may be found in the next section of this activity guide.

1. Describe the game of disc golf and the layout of a disc golf course.
2. Explain the common rules of play for disc golf.
3. Describe the difference in design and use for each of the following types of golf discs:
 - a. Driver
 - b. Midrange
 - c. Putter
 - d. Marker disc
4. Explain the meaning of the (4) flight numbers found on disc golf discs.
5. Describe some of the disc golf associations currently in use and the role they play in promoting and managing the sport.
6. Define the following terms as they relate to disc golf:

a. Par	f. Fairway
b. Birdie	g. Rough
c. Eagle	h. Hazard
d. Bogey	i. Line of play
e. Ace	j. Mandatory route
7. Demonstrate your ability to make disc throws using at least (2) different throwing methods.
8. Complete at least (2) rounds of (9) holes of disc golf on (2) different courses with someone in your group keeping score.
9. Describe the differences between at least (2) disc golf courses you have played on, explaining which was most challenging and why.