

## Assistant Patrol Leader (APL)

**Note:** This position will NOT count toward rank advancement.

### Job Description:

The Assistant Patrol Leader is elected by the Patrol and leads the patrol in the absence of the Patrol Leader.

**Reports to:** The Patrol Leader

**Adult Mentor:** Scoutmaster

### Assistant Patrol Leader duties:

- Assist the Patrol Leader in:
  - planning and leading patrol meetings and activities.
  - keeping patrol members informed.
  - preparing your patrol to take part in all troop activities.
- and steer patrol meetings and activities
- Take charge of the patrol in the absence of the Patrol Leader.
- Represent the patrol at Patrol Leaders' Council (PLC) meetings in the absence of the Patrol Leader.
- Work with the other troop leaders to make the troop run well.
- Regularly attends troop meetings, troop campouts, and troop events during his service period.
- Help develop patrol spirit.
- Set a good example.
- Wear the Scout Uniform correctly.
- Live by the Scout Oath and Law.
- Show Scout Spirit.

### Assistant Patrol Leader Qualifications:

- Scout

**Counts toward rank:** *none*

