

HORTICULTURE

SCIENCE BADGE ACTIVITY SHEET

This is a sample Horticulture Activity Sheet only. Its main purpose is to show you some of the interesting activities that you can do when you choose this badge. Also, you can use this sample sheet to start doing the badge activities, while your teacher is sending away for the full activity sheet and badge. If you have completed some of these activities before your full sheet arrives, your teacher can mark this sheet, then transfer the marks to the full activity sheet.

Rating	Exercises in Horticulture	Teacher's initials and date
2*	Make a display of 12 interesting seeds. Explain how each seed is dispersed (e.g. by wind, water etc.)	
5*	Present a display showing safety precautions to be used when preparing and using horticulture sprays.	
7*	Construct and plant a terrarium.	
9**	Make a collection of 10 common weeds, each pressed, mounted and correctly named.	
11**	Keep a record of the growth of a flower from the bud to the fruit or seed. Sketch or photograph each stage and describe these stages.	
12**	Prune a tree or shrub at home or at school with the help of an adult. Write a brief account of what was done and why. Include one or two sketches to show where you made the pruning cuts.	
13**	Demonstrate how pollination can be done by hand. Observe and record the steps in insect pollination of a flower.	

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