

Quartermaster

Keeper of the gear. If it's broken, missing, or dirty — that's on you.

OVERVIEW

The Quartermaster manages all troop equipment. They maintain the gear inventory, check gear in and out, track what needs repair or replacement, and make sure the troop shows up to every campout ready to go. Detail-oriented scouts thrive here.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1 Maintain a complete inventory of all troop gear
- 2 Issue and collect gear before and after campouts
- 3 Inspect returned gear for damage or missing items
- 4 Report needed repairs or replacements to adult leaders
- 5 Keep the gear storage area organized
- 6 Coordinate with patrol quartermaster on patrol-level gear

TIME COMMITMENT

1–2 hours/week plus campout check-in/check-out time

IDEAL FOR

An organized, detail-oriented Scout who doesn't mind getting their hands dirty

WORKS WITH

Senior Patrol Leader

Scoutmaster

Patrol Leaders

Committee Treasurer

TIPS FROM LEADERS WHO'VE DONE IT

Build a simple checklist — same one every trip. Never skip it.

Inspect gear the day after returning, not a week later.

Be diplomatic but firm: dirty gear doesn't go back in the bin.

Take photos of damage so there's no dispute about who caused it.