



Ropework Trail Badge Worksheet



Trailman Name: _____

Troop #: _____

	Date Completed	Verified By
1. Explain how the low-impact camping method (See The Trailman’s Handbook) relates to ropework and helps fulfill the Trailman Oath to “be a good steward of creation.”		
2. Explain how being a good steward and observing the low impact camping method applies to Ropework.		
3. Whipping and fusing:		
a. Demonstrate whipping the ends of a natural fiber rope.		
b. Demonstrate fusing the ends of a synthetic rope.		
4. Tie the following knots and describe their usefulness:		
a. square knot		
b. bowline		
c. two half-hitches		
d. taut line hitch		
e. clove hitch		
f. timber hitch		
5. Lashing		
a. Tie the following lashings and describe their function. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Square • Diagonal • Shear • Tripod • Round • floor 		
b. Lash the following trestles: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • X-Trestle • A-Trestle • H-Trestle 		
c. Make a useful structure for camp using at least three different types of lashings.		