

# COMMUNICATION

## REQUIREMENT #1

Do the following:

- d. List as many ways as you can think of to communicate with others (face-to-face, by telephone, letter, e-mail, text messages and so on). For each type of communication, discuss with our counselor an instance when that method might not be appropriate or effective.

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## REQUIREMENT #2:

- a. Think of a creative way to describe yourself using, for example, a collage, short story or autobiography, drawing or series of photographs, or a song or skit. Using the aid you created, make a presentation to your counselor about yourself.

**PRE-REQUISITE: be prepared to present in class.**

## REQUIREMENT #3:

Write a five-minute speech. Give it at a meeting of a group.

**PRE-REQUISITE: be prepared to present in class.**

## REQUIREMENT #4:

Interview someone you know fairly well, like, or respect because of his or her position, talent, career, or life experiences. Listen actively to learn as much as you can about the person. Then prepare and deliver to your counselor an introduction of the person as though this person were to be a guest speaker, and include reasons why the audience would want to hear this person speak. Show how you would call to invite this person to speak.

**PRE-REQUISITE: write at home and be prepared to present in class.**

**REQUIREMENT #5:**

Attend a public meeting (city council, school board, debate) approved by your counselor where several points of view are given on a single issue. Practice active listening skills and take careful notes of each point of view. Prepare an objective report that includes all points of view that were expressed, and share this with your counselor.

**PRE-REQUISITE**

**REQUIREMENT #6:**

With your counselor’s approval, develop a plan to teach a skill or inform someone about something. Prepare teaching aids for your plan. Carry out your plan. With your counselor, determine whether the person has learned what you intended.

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**REQUIREMENT #7:**

Do the following:

Write to the editor of a magazine or your local newspaper to express your opinion or share information on any subject you choose. Send your message by fax, e-mail, or regular mail.

**BRING COPY OF LETTER TO CLASS**

**REQUIREMENT #8:**

Plan a troop or crew court of honor, campfire program, or an interfaith worship service. Have the patrol leaders’ council approve it, then write the script and prepare the program. Serve as master of ceremonies.

**PRE-REQUISITE**

**REQUIREMENT #9:**

Find out about three career opportunities in communication. Pick one and find out the education, training, and experience required for this profession. Discuss this with your counselor, and explain why this profession might interest you.

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