

5. Invent your own den secret code and send one of your den members a secret message. *(Here is a Sample:)*

English: A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

Code: _

6. With your den or your family, visit a library and talk to a librarian. Learn how books are catalogued to make them easy to find. Sign up for a library card, if you don't already have one. _____

7. Visit the newsroom of a newspaper or a radio or television station and find out how they receive information.

8. Write an article about a den activity for your pack newsletter or web site, your local newspaper, or your school newsletter, newspaper, or Web site. _____

9. Invite a person with a visual, speaking, or hearing impairment to visit your den. Ask about the special ways he or she communicates. Discover how well you can communicate with him or her. _____

10. With your parent or guardian, or your Webelos den leader, invite a person who speaks another language (such as Spanish, French, Arabic, Hebrew, etc.) as well as English to visit your den. _____
Ask questions about the other language (its background, where it is spoken, etc.), _____

discuss words in that language that den members are already familiar with, or ask about ways to learn another language.

11. Use a personal computer to write a letter to a friend or relative. Create your letter, check it for grammar and spelling, and save it to a disk. Print it. _____

12. Search the Internet and connect to five Web sites that interest you. _____

13. Under the supervision of a parent or other trusted adult, exchange e-mail with a friend or relative. _____

14. While you are a Webelos Scout, earn the Academics belt loop for Computers. *(All boys may earn belt loops and pins more than once...Cub Scout Academics and Sports Program Guide p. 4)* _____

15. While you are a Webelos Scout, earn the Academics belt loop for Communicating. *(All boys may earn belt loops and pins more than once...Cub Scout Academics and Sports Program Guide p. 4)* _____

16. Find out about jobs in communications. Tell your den what you learn. _____

As you complete your Webelos work, notice the Boy Scout Requirements:

Look at the Communications Merit Badge Requirements.

Also look at the Language and Culture Belt Loop and Pin requirements...