

## Citizenship in the World

Hi, my name is Gerardo Hurtado ([Gerardo.Hurtado@sas.com](mailto:Gerardo.Hurtado@sas.com) ). I am in the Committee of Troop 424, Durham. I will be teaching the Citizenship in the World Merit Badge (MB). The requisites for this MB are here:

If you want to get a "complete" for this MB the day that I teach, please complete the Pre-requisites, and have the Scoutmaster or the Advancement chair in your Troop sign the blue card in the space of the Pre-requisites. Send me a note when you have done this or if you have any question.

### Pre-requisites:

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Select TWO of the following organizations and describe their role in the world.

- 1.The United Nations
- 2.The World Court
- 3.World Organization of the Scout Movement
- 4.The World Health Organization
- 5.Amnesty International
- 6.The International Committee of the Red Cross
- 7.CARE

7. Do TWO of the following (with your parent's permission) and share with your counselor what you have learned:

- a.Visit the Web site of the U.S. State Department. Learn more about an issue you find interesting that is discussed on this Web site.
- b.Visit the Web site of an international news organization or foreign government, OR examine a foreign newspaper available at your local library, bookstore, or newsstand. Find a news story about a human right realized in the United States that is not recognized in another country.
- c.Visit with a student or Scout from another country and discuss the typical values, holidays, ethnic foods, and traditions practiced or enjoyed there.
- d.Attend a world Scout jamboree. (The Jamboree at Forth AP Hill, Virginia, July 26th-August 4th was a National Jamboree, not a World Jamboree)
- e.Participate in or attend an international event in your area, such as an ethnic festival, concert, or play.

If you don't complete these pre-requisites, you will get a partial the day of the Merit Badge College, and you will have to contact me once you have done the pre-requisites.

I look forward to meet all of you. Be prepared. Follow the Scout Oath, and Scout Law and we'll have a productive day...

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