Plan:
- What tools and materials will you need for this Adventure?
- Have any of the Rover Scouts or Scouters in your Crew tied flies before? What advice can they share with the Crew?
- How else can you learn about tying flies?

Do:
- Roll up your sleeves and learn to tie flies. Aim to construct a variety of styles so that you’re more likely to have something the fish will bite on.

Review:
- What do you know now that you did not know before?
- Did you make any unexpected discoveries from this experience? About the craft? About yourself?
- Was this a good social activity? Why or why not?
- How did others support you while you learned to tie flies?
- What will you do with the flies you’ve tied?

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