

### Plan:

- What adventure would you like to lead for your Company? Are there any adventures that you are really looking forward to?
- What kinds of adventures do you have the most experience with? If you are a strong hiker, maybe you can lead a hiking trip. If you enjoy giving back to your community, maybe you can spearhead a Scouttrees project.
- Who can you turn to for advice if this is your first time as an Expedition Leader?
- What tools will you use to stay organized?

### Do:

- Step up and guide your Expedition Team through each step of the Plan-Do-Review cycle of a great adventure!

### Review:

- What do you know now that you did not know before?
- How did the other Venturers respond to your leadership?
- What techniques did you use to encourage others?
- How did you stay organized?
- How did other Venturers support you as Expedition Leader?
- What problems did you encounter, and how did you overcome them?
- What would you do differently next time?

### Safety Note:

As Expedition Leader, safety is your number one priority. Make all of your decisions with safety in mind. Ask Venturers who have been Expedition Leaders before for some tips on how to keep your adventure as safe as possible.

### Online Resources:

- [What is leadership?](#)
- [The Essence of Leadership](#)
- [Why good leaders make you feel safe](#)



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## Expedition Leader

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### The Adventure:

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There are opportunities for other Venturer Scouts to take a leadership role, however.

Why not be an Expedition Leader for an upcoming adventure? (Two Venturers can share this role and be co-Leaders.) The Expedition Leader makes sure that the Expedition Team's goals are realized by heading up the Plan-Do-Review cycle. Guide the discussion so that the Expedition Team has a clear vision of what it wants to do and what tasks are required. Ask for volunteers to take on the jobs, and assign duties as fairly as you can if nobody steps up. Most importantly, keep the big picture in mind as the plan comes together and your Expedition Team shares its adventure. Is every task being taken care of?

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