

DIAPER SCOUTS UNIFORM BUILD



Disclaimer: This build has nothing to do with any official scouting organizations as they involve minors and although have a bad reputation already. I sourced the merit badge sash, generic unit numbers, and shoulder tabs from the BSA organization, they are general uniform pieces that I could have sewn or created myself and do not have any identifying marks that directly tie to the organization. It was cheaper and faster to just order them than to make them myself but if you don't want to order from them these could be made or found elsewhere. None of the merit badges or pins are directly tied to any scouting organization and were sourced from places like Etsy and Amazon and are novelty merit badges. I DO NOT recommend wearing this outfit in any public spaces and made it specifically for events like CapCon, AB/DL events, and private role play scenes.

This is a somewhat expensive build depending on how many merit badges and pins you want to add to the uniform. But the basic Beret, neckerchief, shirt shorts, socks and belt is also an option. As a former military officer, I wanted to have a lot of items

and greeblies on the uniform. As with most of my builds, I wanted to make this as easily replicable as possible so nearly all items are iron all and not needing sewing.

Tools Needed

Iron and ironing board

Cricut Hot press (Optional instead of an iron)

Scissors

Sewing kit

Sewing Machine (Optional)

Materials List/Links

Below is both a Male and Female set of options. (Note: I didn't make the female version of the uniform as I wouldn't personally use it, but I wanted to offer alternatives for both genders identities.

(Male) Army Green Shorts

[Amazon.com: AUTIWITUA Men's Waterproof Tactical Shorts Outdoor Lightweight Quick Dry Breathable Hiking Fishing Cargo Shorts Army Green : Clothing, Shoes & Jewelry](#)

OR

(Female) Green Pleated Skirt

[Amazon.com: Dressever Women's Pleated Skirts Mini Skater Basic Skirt High Waist Tennis Skirt School Uniform Cheerleader Skirts Green L : Clothing, Shoes & Jewelry](#)

(Male) Short sleeve uniform shirt Tan

[Amazon.com: First Class Short-Sleeve Uniform Shirt L Tan: Civil Service Uniforms Shirts: Clothing, Shoes & Jewelry](#)

OR

(Female) Tan Scouting Shirt

[Amazon.com: Proper Women's Short Sleeve Tactical Shirt , Khaki, Large: Clothing, Shoes & Jewelry](#)

Extra Large Bandana 27x27 inch

[Amazon.com: HankieWorld Extra Large Bandanas 27x27 inch Thick Solid Color Cotton Oversized Blank Head Bandannas for Men and Women \(Red single\) : Clothing, Shoes & Jewelry](#)

Red Beret

[Amazon.com: Gajious British Military Berets for Men and Women, Wool and Leather Beret Hats, Multiple Colours Army Beret](#)

Neckerchief Slide

[Amazon.com: Handmade Neckerchief Slide Woggle for Scouts Paracord Turks Head Knot Green by KNOTS SO FAST \(Olive Drab\) : Handmade Products](#)

Red Thigh High Socks

[Women Thigh High Socks Extra Long Cotton Knit Warm Thick Tall Long Boot Stockings Leg Warmers at Amazon Women's Clothing store](#)

Merit Badge Sash

[Merit Badge Sash 36", Merit Badge Sash to be worn with Official Scouts BSA Uniform | Boy Scouts of America®](#)

Canvas Military belt

[Canvas Web Belt Military Style with Brass Buckle and Tip 54" Long Many Colors \(Black\) at Amazon Men's Clothing store](#)



Badges/Pins

Duct Tape Merit badge

[Amazon.com: Duct Tape Patrol Official BSA Patch Embroidered 2" AVAQ-0115](#)

Bacon Merit Badge

[Amazon.com: Bacon Patrol Official BSA Patch Embroidered 2" AVAQ-0079 F2D29J](#)

Custom Magnetic Name tag

[Amazon.com : Custom Engraved Name Tag Badges – Personalized Identification with Pin or Magnetic Backing, 1 Inch x 3 Inches, Silver/Black : Office Products](#)

Assorted sets of 3 adult merit badges (there are several to choose from)

[Amazon.com: Winks For Days Adulting Merit Badge Embroidered Iron-On Patches \(Health - Set 3\) - Includes Three \(3\) 2" Patches: Reduced Screen Time, Went Outside Today, and Put Pants On : Clothing, Shoes & Jewelry](#)

Spank me Merit badge

https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07G2S5R97?ref=ppx_yo2ov_dt_b_fed_asin_title

Scout Unit Numerals

[Scouts BSA Unit Numeral 0-9, Official Unit Numeral for Scouts BSA uniforms | Scouting America](#)

Shoulder Loops

[Boy Scout shoulder Loops | Boy Scouts of America](#)

Demerit badges Tested (There are several to choose from)

[Demerit Badges | Tested](#)

Diaper Demerit Badge Etsy

[Diaper Demerit Badge - 1.5" Diameter Embroidered Patch - Etsy](#)

Beret Diaper Pin Crest from Poofy Pins

[ABDL Diaper Pin Single-tapes #056 | White/pink/blue| Agere Enamel Pin | Poofy Pins - Etsy](#)

Mini Diaper Enamel pins from Poofy Pins

[Mini Diaper Enamel Pin | ABDL Agere Kink | Poofy Pins - Etsy](#)

ABDL Pride Flag

[ABDL Pride Sew-on Patch - Rectangular - Etsy](#)

Little's Pride Bundle (1.5 inch Little Pride Pin)

[Little's Pride Bundle - Etsy](#)

Build Instructions

Before starting this build, I highly recommend figuring out how far you want to go with it and pricing out things... You can always add to the uniform, so you don't necessarily need to pay for everything upfront.

(Roleplay Option: If you have a caregiver or are apart of an AB/DL group you can make arrangements that you have to "Earn" each adulting badge if you want to make a fun dynamic and game out of the scouting uniform)

The Basic Uniform pieces to start are the Shorts/Skirt, Shirt, Socks, Beret, belt and your choice of shoes. You could also consider a green or tan dress if you'd like a different female scouting option but that will make pin and badge placement up to you.

Before Ironing anything on I recommend pinning everything first, so you get a general idea of how and where you'd like to place everything.

Ironing Items on

If you have a Cricut Press I personally used 275 degrees for 20 seconds, I directly pressed the badge and then flipped the item and pressed the opposite side for the same time and temp and let it cool down. I did not have to sew most of the pieces with this method. If you have an Iron that is not adjustable set it to the Dry setting and I'd recommend trying the same times on only one badge to start as a test and check the results following letting the item cool. You may need to do longer or less depending on your iron.

Item Placement

I'm going to list each piece and where I placed it one at a time so if you opt to not use or want to wait on getting something you can either skip that section or go back to it if you decide to add it.

Sleeves

ABDL Pride Flag: I wanted the flag to "fly forward" (It's a military thing) so the AB/DL pride flag is on the LEFT arm one inch down from the shoulder seam and the Left edge of the flag lined up on the Left shoulder epaulet. I was able to Iron on the flag that I purchased and is linked in these instructions, but I did sew it on with white thread in addition to the iron on. It was the only badge that I felt needed to be sewn.

Unit Number Badge: Using whatever numbers you select, (I chose 069) Line-up the 2-3 numbers so that they essentially mirror the flag on the opposing arm. The numbers are one Inch down from the seam on the RIGHT arm and the first number lines up from the edge of the epaulet and the remaining numbers follow behind butted up behind.

Shirt/Pockets

Name Tag: Whether you get the get a magnetic name tag or have a pin on one, the name tag is placed on the left pocket flap centered.

Little's Pride Pin: The Little's Pride pin is centered above the pocket roughly ¼ of an inch above the pocket.

Diaper Merit Badge: The Merit badge is ironed on 1/4th inch over where the Little's Pride pin would be or the bottom edge of the badge is one inch above the pocket. (Hint: On the male version of the shirt the badge completely covers the two officer badge stitches above the pocket.

Shoulder Loops: These simply slip on the epaulets and are centered (Note: If you have a merit badge sash the right Loop will not be visible.

Mini diaper pins: These are added on the collars centered and one inch up from the bottom of the collar point.

Merit Badge Sash

Whatever badges you chose to use, I recommend trying the sash on first to know how things will line up and then placing the badges out, two per row, and ironing them on in batches. I used 18 patches on mine and that nearly completely covered the front of the sash when worn.

Beret

Having worn a Beret in the military, I have some recommendations for wearing and conditioning it. First, if the beret is very “fuzzy” you can use a safety razor to shave it smooth. Secondly, I recommend soaking the beret in warm water and then putting it on to shape it so that the beret naturally folds over smoothly to the right. The beret that is listed in the links has an internal patch backing built in. The Large enamel diaper pin is centered on the beret in line above the wearer's left eye.





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