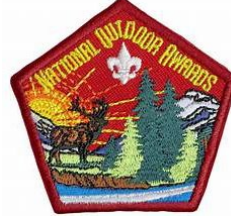


NCAC DoE – Scouting America Award Comparison



Requirement	Gold Award	Silver Award	Bronze Award	Scouting America Ranks	Scouting America Awards	Order of the Arrow	Venturing	Sea Scouts
Age	16+ years old	15+ years old	14+ years old	11-18 years old	11-18 years old	~13+ years old	14-20 years old	14-20 years old
Time	18 months	12 months	6 months	Varies per Rank	Variable	Variable	No Min (Activity Dep)	Varies per Rank
Cost	\$160	\$135	\$110	\$75+ per year	N/A	~\$20 per year	\$75+ per year	\$75+ per year
Voluntary Service	12 months	6 months	3 months	1+ hour (varies per rank)	N/A	Variable	24+ hours	Variable
Physical Recreation	12 months	6 months	3 months	2 nd / 1 st Class: 30 min per day, 5 days per week, for 30 days	Ex. Sports, Athletics, Physical Fitness, Etc.	N/A	Variable	Ex. Scuba, swimming, etc.
Skills	12 months	6 months	3 months	Multiple	Multiple	Multiple	Multiple	Multiple
Adventurous Journey	4 days / 3 nights	3 days / 2 nights	2 days / 1 night	1-10 nights camping (varies per rank)	0-20 nights of camping (varies per award)	15+ nights of camping	12+ days (Adventures)	14 days (Long Cruise)

* DoE Gold Project: 5 Days / 4 Nights