



Age:
6+



Group size:
Up to 12



Duration:
1 hour



What is tomahawk throwing?

- A tomahawk is a type of single-handed axe – you'll use a specially-designed throwing tomahawk or small hawk/angel for this adventure. You'll throw the tomahawk at a target from a distance, trying to get it to hit the target and stick into the wood.
- People of any age can get stuck in, as long as they can safely lift and throw the tomahawk or small hawk/angel.

Learning outcomes

- Focus, concentration and coordination
- Safe handling, aiming and precision

Typical session structure

- Beginning with demonstration, teach and practice throws to introduce everyone to the activity.
- Progression through team or individual competitions and games to test accuracy or develop specific skills.

What to wear

- People with long hair will need to tie it back.
- Scout neckerchiefs will need to be removed or tucked into clothing.
- This activity is all outside, so waterproof/warm clothing when it's wet/cold.

What to expect from us and what do we need from you?

- We will provide a suitably trained instructor to deliver this activity which will be in accordance with [POR 9.38](#).
- **You will need to** provide the leaders to supervise your group in accordance with the [Adult to Young People ratios](#) which specifies that this will be **1:6 for beavers, 1:8 for cubs and 1:12 for scouts** (and for other organisations, following the relevant guidance within your organisation).

Did you know that this activity counts towards:



Beavers My Adventure Challenge Award



Cubs Our Adventure Challenge Award



Scouts Adventure Challenge Award



Scouts Master at Arms Activity Badge



Explorers Physical Recreation Activity Badge

