

SNOWBOARDING OPTION

If earning the merit badge for snowboarding, circle the numbers of true statements in this set.

1. You should always use a leash with your snowboard.
2. Tightly-laced boots give better control for speed and greater ankle support than open or loose boots.
3. Just about any kind of wax will work fine on a snowboard.
4. A board not in use should be placed on the snow with the running side on the snow.
5. Leading with your right foot is called a “goofy” stance.
6. Never put your hands out when falling. If you fall forward, take the impact on your knees. If you fall backward, just sit down and take the impact on your rear.
7. Riding “fakie” means putting your back leg in front of you and riding as if it were your front leg.
8. An ollie is a method of turning by skidding the tail of your board around.
9. A wheelie is a trick that involves riding with only the tail of the board on the snow.
10. There are three basic kinds of turns in snowboarding: skidded, carved, and jump.