

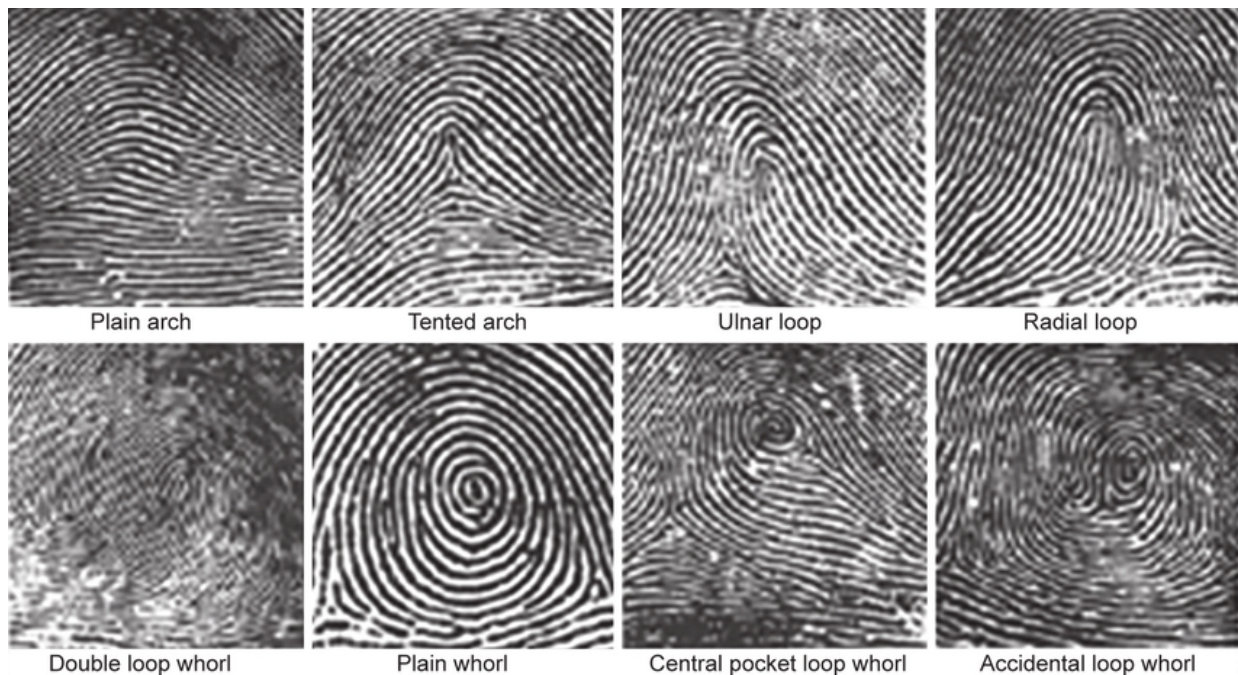
REQUIREMENTS FOUR AND FIVE

The Merit Badge Series requests that you roll your own fingerprints onto blank paper. In a classroom environment, we would, (together with my help), roll your fingerprints. Obviously, this is not feasible in a virtual training session.

Therefore, I have provided you with FOUR ACTUAL FINGERPRINT CARDS containing the fingerprints of well known persons. During the Merit Badge Session, I will ask each Scout to provide their analysis of a particular fingerprint. Each Scout will identify the Fingerprint Card by Number and a particular finger by number. For Example: Scout #1 selects Fingerprint Card #4 and from that card selects the fingerprint tracing for Finger #1. The Scout would then give his/her analysis of the fingerprint pattern for that particular tracing.

Below are examples fingerprints. These examples of the fingerprint patterns are ones you should see on the fingerprint cards you have downloaded and printed. Some of the “rolled” prints on the cards are difficult to “read” and some are very clear. This is typical of what a fingerprint technician faces in the real world.

Here are the examples:



The Double loop whorl is poor, so this is what it looks like:

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