

Troop 5 Meeting Skill

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Types of Shelters

Tarp A Frame



POSITIVES:

- PLENTY OF SPACE TO SLEEP 2 OR MORE PEOPLE
- EASY FAST SETUP
- GREAT DURING HEAVY RAINFALL

NEGATIVES:

- NO GROUND SHEET
- STILL LIMITED HEADROOM

Wedge Tarp

Advantages:

- Relatively quick set up
- No past experience needed

Disadvantages:

- Limited space
- Open side



Tarp Shelter

Advantages:

- Relatively quick set up
- No past experience needed
- Can use fire for warmth

Disadvantages:

- Not protected well from elements
- Need ridgeline and trees nearby



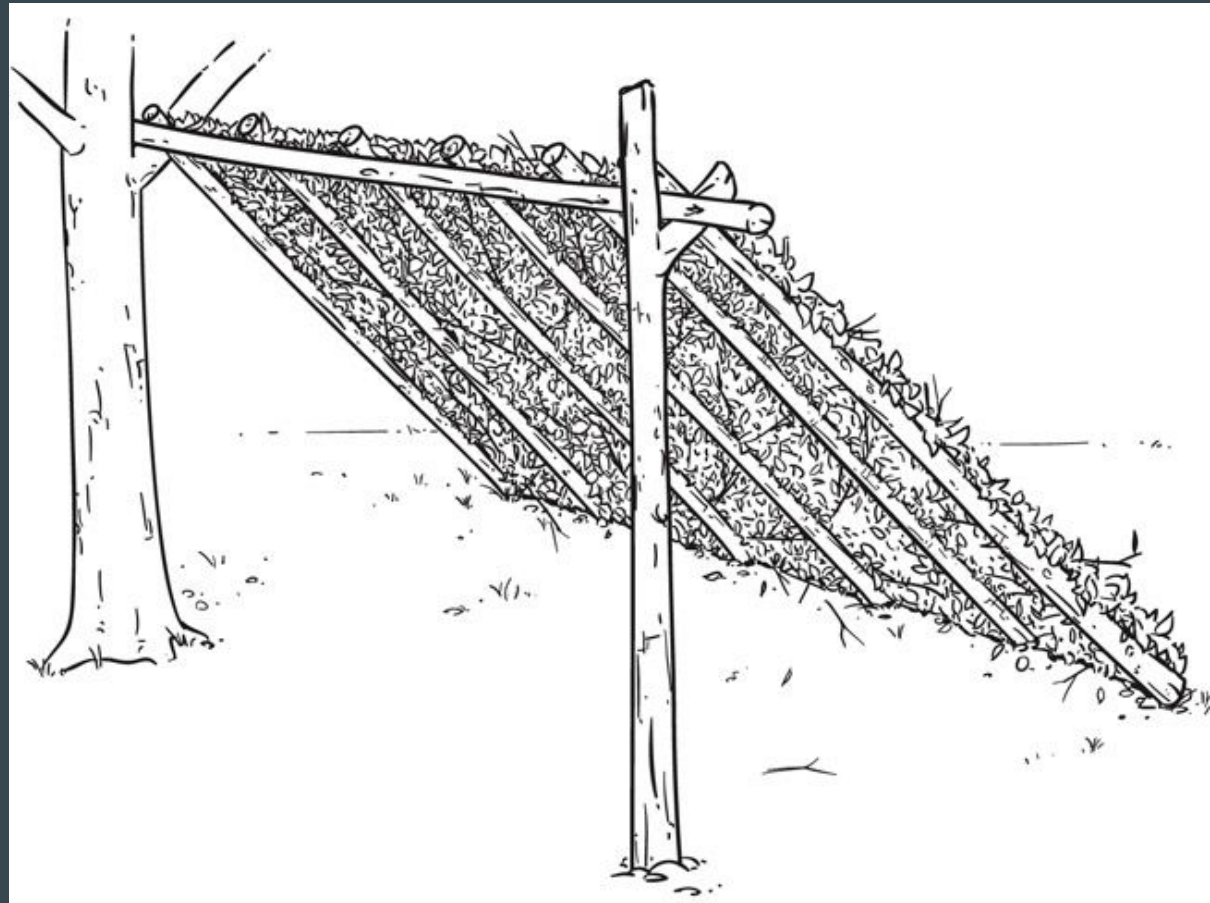
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Advantages:

- Can use fire for warmth
- Use natural materials
- Does not require lots of skill

Disadvantages:

- Set up time



A-Frame

Advantages:

- Great insulation
- Protection from rain

Disadvantages:

- Set up time
- No Fire
- Need a lot of Materials
- Single person
- Very little living space



Debris Shelter

Advantages:

- Not as hard to make
- Can provide more room
- Don't need to spend as much time gathering the right materials (use what you have)

Disadvantages:

- Set up time
- No Fire
- Lot of materials needed



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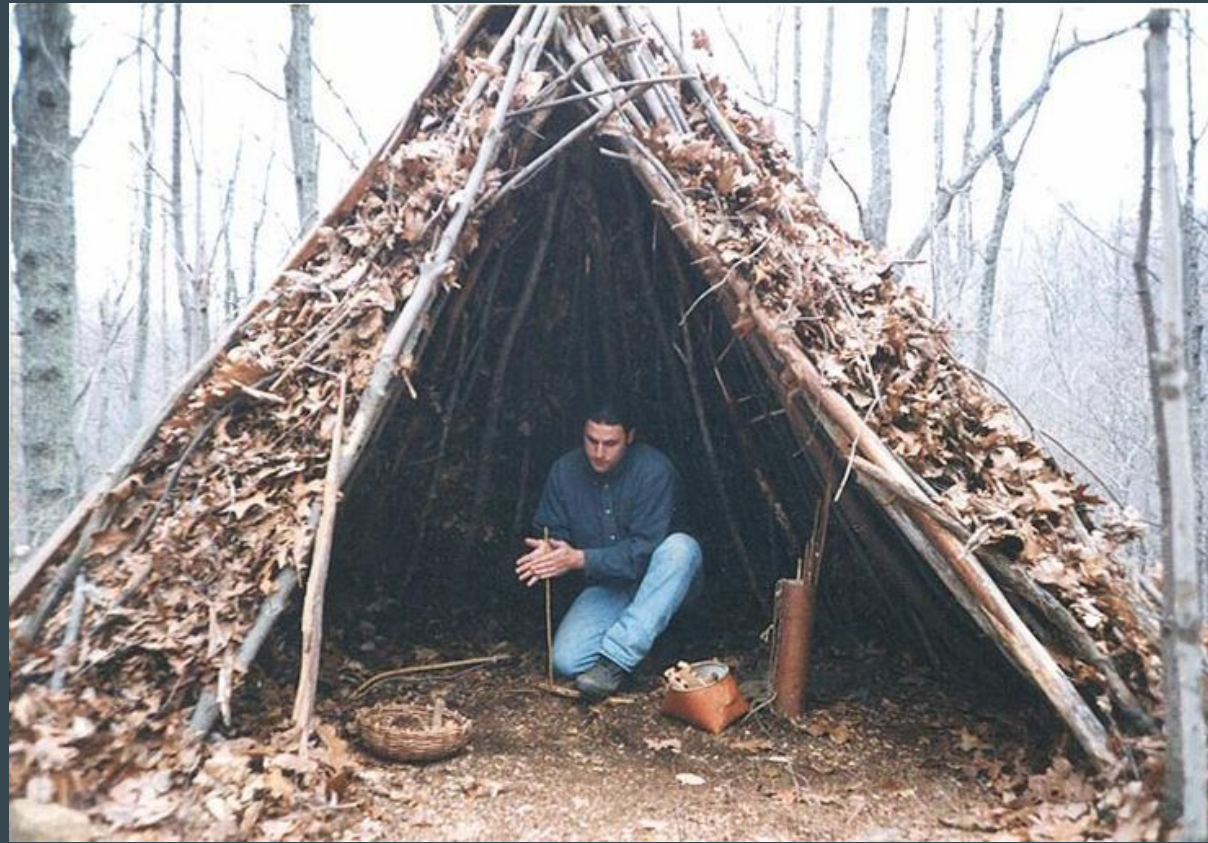
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Advantages:

- Fire inside shelter
- Long Term
- Can support a few people

Disadvantages:

- Set up time
- Practice required
- Lose headroom



No Shelter

Advantages:

- No Setup Required
- Sleep as many as needed
- Any environment
- No skill needed

Disadvantages:

- No protection from the elements

