2019-2020
Girl Scout Program Guide

Where will your next adventure lead YOU?
Dear Girl Scouts,

As Girl Scouts, you have lots of opportunities to explore five exciting areas of programming, and as you do, you'll discover more of what you love, more of what excites you, more of what brings you joy! You'll also discover your inner G.I.R.L. Are you more of a Go-getter, Innovator, Risk-taker, or Leader? The 2019-2020 GSSNE Program Guide is a great resource to help plan where YOU want to go on your Girl Scout adventure.

When looking at my sash from when I was growing up as a Girl Scout, I discovered that most everything I love doing today, I first did in the Girl Scouts! My love of spending time outdoors, traveling, and meeting people all around the world started with Girl Scouts. I'll admit that I wish growing up I had known more about STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math). I love to solve problems, but I never knew that's what scientists and engineers work towards every day! Today in Girl Scouting there are lots of opportunities for you to learn about STEM—and what excites you!

As a young Girl Scout, I went on a two-week trip throughout New England. I learned so much and had so much fun exploring parts of the northeast that I had never been to. We camped every night in some of the most beautiful places and I loved falling asleep listening to the babbling brooks and rivers along which we pitched our tents. Fast forward to a few years ago when I camped in beautiful Glacier National Park in Montana, and yes, you guessed it, pitched my tent right next to the water, this time beautiful Lake McDonald! Girl Scouting opened my eyes to the beauty of the outdoors and I am so grateful!

Here are a few of my favorite activities included in this Program Guide that I hope will open your eyes to what you love:

• Join new Daisy Girl Scout friends while you find the “G” in G.I.R.L. as every Go-getter Daisy Girl Scout explores the outdoors at our Daisy Outdoor Journey!

• Explore the “I” in G.I.R.L. with our Innovation Badge Series for Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, and Seniors or the Mechanical Engineering Program for Daisies and Brownies.

• Courageous enough to live the “R” in G.I.R.L.? Come with your Daisy Girl Scout friends to Buttonwood Park Zoo for their Animal Twilight Tour or take a sneak peek into your potential future at the Girl of the Future STEM Career Day where Daisies, Brownies, and Juniors can explore an array of potential awesome jobs!

• Make an impact in your community by earning your Girl Scout Bronze, Silver, or Gold Award. Find in your heart the issues that matter to you and then create a solution to make a long-lasting change. Get started thinking about these awards by first participating in the Citizen Badge Series for Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors. This is where you’ll become the “L” in G.I.R.L.!

I hope you try something new this year and discover a skill or passion that will stay with you forever. Every activity in this guide, along with everything you do in your troop will unleash your Go-getter spirit that will energize you to take advantage of every opportunity your world has to offer! The options for adventure are endless, and they’re all up to you!

Wishing you a year of adventure, fun, and self-discovery,

Pam Hyland
CEO, Girl Scouts of Southeastern New England
The Girl Scout Difference

Girl Scouts offers the best leadership development experience for girls in the world—one that is defined with, by, and for girls.

Girl Scouts unleashes the G.I.R.L. (Go-getter, Innovator, Risk-taker, Leader)™ in every girl, preparing her for a lifetime of leadership—from taking a nighttime hike under the stars to accepting a mission on the International Space Station; from lobbying the city council with her troop to holding a seat in Congress; from running her own cookie business today to tackling cybersecurity tomorrow.

Our Girl Scout Leadership Experience is a one-of-a-kind leadership development program for girls, with proven results. It is based on time-tested methods and research-backed programming that helps girls take the lead—in their own lives and in the world.

The inclusive, all-female environment of a Girl Scout troop creates a safe space where girls can try new things, develop a range of skills, take on leadership roles, and just be themselves.

Five Important Ways Girls Benefit by Participating in Girl Scouts:

**STRONG SENSE OF SELF**
Girls have confidence in themselves and their abilities, and form positive identities.

**POSITIVE VALUES**
Girls act ethically, honestly, and responsibly, and show concern for others.

**CHALLENGE SEEKING**
Girls take appropriate risks, try things even if they might fail, and learn from mistakes.

**HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS**
Girls develop and maintain healthy relationships by communicating their feelings directly and resolving conflicts constructively.

**COMMUNITY PROBLEM SOLVING**
Girls desire to contribute to the world in purposeful and meaningful ways, learn how to identify problems in the community, and create “action plans” to solve them.

**Why do these five outcomes matter?**

When girls exhibit these attitudes and skills, they become responsible, productive, caring, and engaged citizens. Studies show that the development of attitudes, behaviors, and skills like confidence, conflict resolution, and problem solving are critical to well-being and rival academic and technical skills in their capacity to predict long-term positive life outcomes.
Growing with Girl Scouts

Did you know Girl Scouts are more likely than other girls to get excellent grades, graduate from high school and college, and to expect a great future for themselves? Through Girl Scouts, your daughter will grow in ways that change everything about the way she holds herself, the way she expresses herself, and how big she dreams. This kind of growth is the most important outcome of her Girl Scout experience and what will help her harness her potential and live her best life.

Although some youth-oriented organizations pride themselves on handing out medals and awards to boost a child’s sense of self, at Girl Scouts we believe in education over decoration. By that, we mean that our program comprises meaningful experiences that have been proven to teach girls about themselves and their own potential in their schools, communities, and society at large.

When your girl takes part in Girl Scouting, she’s following in the footsteps of numerous female world leaders, astronauts, inventors, entrepreneurs, and artists. There’s no limit to where Girl Scouts can take her!

Daisies
K & 1st
Learn they can care for animals and themselves, and to protect Earth’s treasures.

Brownies
2nd & 3rd
Go on a quest to find the three keys to leadership. They explore their place in the wide world of girls.

Juniors
4th & 5th
Learn that leaders need power—their own, their team’s and their community’s. Juniors are encouraged to achieve their BRONZE AWARD.

Cadettes
6th - 8th
Develop relationship skills needed to be leaders in their life and their world. Cadettes are encouraged to achieve their SILVER AWARD.

Seniors
9th & 10th
Have a vision and lead the world closer to it. Girls use their sisterhood to better themselves and the world. Seniors are encouraged to achieve their GOLD AWARD.

Ambassadors
11th & 12th
Raise their voices to advocate for issues they care about. They actively move their dreams forward and learn that leaders aim for justice. Ambassadors are encouraged to achieve their GOLD AWARD.
Our Program

Alongside caring mentors and strong role models, everything a Girl Scout does centers around STEM, the outdoors, development of life skills, and entrepreneurship, and is designed to meet her where she is now and to grow along with her.

Whether she’s building a robotic arm, coding her first app, or packing for her first hike, a Girl Scout has an exciting array of choices to suit her interests at every age.

Last summer, Girl Scouts of the USA (GSUSA) rolled out 30 new badges and two new Journeys! The new programming will prepare girls to address some of society’s most pressing needs through hands-on learning in cybersecurity, environmental advocacy, mechanical engineering, robotics, computer science, and space exploration. Enhancing Girl Scouts’ proven girl-led programming, these new badges and Journeys will set girls up for a lifetime of leadership and success, and prepare them to take action to make the world a better—greener and more equitable—place for us all. Check out the new badges and awards on the Volunteer Toolkit (VTK) or in our retail shop.
General Information

Registration Information
You must be a registered Girl Scout or adult member in order to sign up for programs or activities in this Program Guide. Not registered yet or have a friend who wants to join you on a Girl Scout Adventure? No problem! Contact customercare@gssne.org for help signing up for membership.

Chaperone Policy
If you are attending a GSSNE program as an individual girl, you must have an adult chaperone accompany you. Unless specifically indicated, no GSSNE programs are “drop-off” events.

If you are attending a GSSNE program as a troop, you must have two unrelated adult chaperones (both with cleared background checks on file; one of whom is female) and may add additional adults according to minimum safety ratios as outlined in the Safety Activity Checkpoints found in the Troop Leadership Manual on the www.gssne.org website under the “Volunteer” tab, then “Online Support” -> “Forms & Documents”.

How to Register:
1. Go to www.gssne.org and click on “Events” using our Event tab on the homepage.
2. Click the link at the top of the Events page to access the Program & Training Registration Calendar.
3. Please check individual event descriptions to identify Girl Scout member and non-member eligible events.

Refunds & Cancellations
• A full refund of the program fee will be given ONLY if the program is canceled by GSSNE or if you cancel before the registration deadline.
• Refunds will not be processed after the event.
• During inclement weather, call the GSSNE office at 401-331-4500 for program cancellations or changes.
• If a program is canceled and a make-up date cannot be provided, all participants will receive a full refund. If a make-up date has been provided, all participants will receive the new information via email.
Event and Program Etiquette

GSSNE offers council-sponsored programs and events for troops and girls. These events bring together girls from across three states to enjoy an opportunity that they might not be able to create on their own. Please note that each event has a registration deadline and that some events may fill before this date. Don’t worry, program waitlists are available! Full payment will reserve your Girl Scout’s spot on the waitlist; you’ll be notified if a space becomes available in the program, and you will be fully reimbursed for fees paid if a space does not become available for your Girl Scout.

Here are some tips and tricks for proper event and program etiquette:

- Registration closes two weeks prior to program date. Register early to make sure you don’t miss out on the fun!
- Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. We cannot hold a space without payment.
- All programs have a minimum attendance requirement and may be canceled if there is low enrollment.
- Have the girls plan. Show them this guide or visit the “Events” tab on the gssne.org homepage.
- Let girls and their families know that individual girls with an adult may attend most events.
- Questions about registering should be directed to customercare@gssne.org.
- If you have special needs or specific questions about event programming, contact customercare@gssne.org.
- Please be aware that programming often isn’t fine-tuned until the registration deadline, when we know how many girls to expect.
- Bring only those who registered for an event to an event. Some sites are very limited in space. Please don’t assume we can just “add one more.”
- Be prepared. Be sure to have directions to the site and plan on arriving with enough time to walk to check-in. Double check that you have what you need for the day.
- Please be sure to dress appropriately. Wear your Girl Scout uniform and check the weather. Your Welcome Letter will have more information on appropriate attire.
- Adults: It’s great to meet and network! If you’d like to have conversations, ask the facilitator if it’s OK if you step outside. Conversations can be distracting to the girls, and we want them to have the most fulfilling program experiences.
- Whether it is a GSSNE staff member, volunteer, or community partner, whomever is facilitating the program loves sharing their skills and experiences with the girls, and puts a lot of effort into what they do. A “Thank You” is always appreciated.

BADGE VS. PATCH:

What’s the difference?

Patches, sometimes called fun patches, are emblems signifying participating in Girl Scout activity. Patches are placed on the back of the sash or vest. Think of them as a scrapbook of her Girl Scout experience.

Badges are official symbols that indicate an increase in knowledge or skill in a particular subject. Badges can be earned at every age level and are placed on the front of her sash or vest.
### CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THE GIRL SCOUT YEAR 2019-2020

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Please note: Not all programs listed in this guide are included within the Save the Date. Please visit www.gssne.org for updated dates and times.
You've Made It!

It’s time to learn about all of the awesome programs GSSNE is offering for the 2019-2020 Girl Scout year! All programs are organized by pillar: Entrepreneur, Global, Life Skills, Outdoors, STEM, and include a description and age level categorization. At the back of this guide you’ll find more information on Leadership opportunities, Adventures your troop can participate in, and Girl Scout Product Programs.

Please note: To save space in this guide, we have combined all multi-date events to be listed once within the corresponding pillar. All programs are listed alphabetically within the pillars rather than chronologically. The Save the Date list on pages 6 & 7 is a great resource for cross-referencing your calendars as it is listed in sequential order!

OUTDOOR
Unplug by going hiking, cooking over a fire, or camping. Connect with nature and learn the ethics of caring for the environment.

GLOBAL
Become a global citizen by understanding and appreciating cultural differences by “thinking globally, acting locally” to change their corners of the world.

LIFE SKILLS
Engage with topics including self-esteem, nutrition, bullying, and positive lifestyle choices.

ENTREPRENEUR
Girl Scouts hone their financial literacy skills through badge programs, and the Fall Product and Cookie Programs.

STEM
Examine how science, technology, engineering, and math are relevant to everyday life.
9th Annual Junior T.R.E.C. 🍋🍊🍊
Junior troops come and learn, improve, or perfect your camp skills such as knots, lashing, fire building and more! Bring a lunch, water bottle, and sit-upon, and dress for the weather! Email TeamTREC@hotmail.com to ask any questions. Many of the requirements of the Camper Badge will be fulfilled.
**Saturday, May 9, 2020 | 9:00am-4:00pm**
**Camp Hoffman**
Cost: $15 per girl, $0 per adult

14th Annual T.R.E.C. 🍋🍊🍊🍊
Sign up your group and challenge other girls your age at our annual T.R.E.C. event of outdoor competitions! Pitch your own tents and compete in lashing, fire building, cooking, orienteering, Leave No Trace, and more with your patrol! Email TeamTREC@hotmail.com for additional information on this event.
**Friday, October 25 – Sunday, October 27, 2019 | 5:00pm-1:00pm**
**Camp Hoffman**
Cost: $15 per girl, $0 per adult

Backpacking 201 🍋🍊
This program is for adults and Girl Scouts in grades 11-12. This is a hands-on training that teaches backpacking, hiking, and carrying all of your gear to a backcountry camping site. Topics will include: Leave No Trace camping principles, how to cook on a backpacking stove, water purification techniques, food safety and storage, sanitation basics, and selection of a three-point campsite. You'll harness your inner power by carrying a 25-35 pound pack on a two-mile hike!
**Pre-Meeting: Wednesday, May 13, 2020 & Wednesday, May 27, 2020 | 6:30pm-9:00pm**
**Hike: Saturday, June 6, 2020 – Sunday, June 7, 2020**
**Time: TBD at pre-meeting**
**GSSNE Leadership Center and Arcadia State Park, Exeter, RI**
Cost: $50 per girl, $50 per adult

Bullseye 🍋🍊🍊🍊🍊
Shoot for bullseyes! Come learn the basics of archery and spend time at the range perfecting your aim.
**Thursday, April 16, 2020**
**9:30am-11:30am 🍋**
**12:00pm-2:00pm 🍋🍊**
**2:30pm-4:30pm 🍋🍊🍊**
**Camp Hoffman**
Cost: $10 per girl, $0 per adult

**SIGNATURE PROGRAM**

Camp Cooking Throw Down: Tinfoil Edition 🍋🍊🍊🍊🍊
Are you a gourmet camp cooking chef? What about a wizard at tinfoil cooking? Unsure of what tinfoil cooking is, but want to give it a try? If the above applies to you, then join us for a cooking throw down! Learn about safe food prep and the art of cooking with tinfoil, then it's competition time!
**Saturday, April 25, 2020 | 10:00am-5:00pm**
**Camp Hoffman**
Cost: $20 per girl, $0 per adult

Can U Canoe? 🍋🍊
Learn the basics of canoeing and paddle out onto the beautiful Larkin Pond! We'll teach key maneuvers including forward, backward, sweep, and J-strokes and will also have time for canoe races and games!
**Saturday, June 20, 2020 | 9:30am-11:30am OR 12:30pm-2:30pm**
**Camp Hoffman**
Cost: $10 per girl, $0 per adult

**SIGNATURE PROGRAM**

Chill Factor: Daisy Snow or Trail Adventure 🍋🍊🍊
It's time to go on an adventure! Dependent on weather, this Signature Program offers Daisies the chance to play in the snow or explore the outdoors. Imagine whooshing down a snowy hill or traversing trails with an adventurous hike. Come for fun, a snack, and leave having earned the Outdoor Adventurer badge!
**Saturday, February 8, 2020 | 2:00pm-5:00pm**
**Camp Hoffman**
Cost: $20 per girl, $0 per adult

Crawling Critters 🍋🍊🍊
Explore the world of bugs, and learn more about why these creatures are so important for our environment. Earn your Bug’s badge and spend time learning about adaptations, how to identify insects, and go on a bug hunt!
**Tuesday, April 14, 2020 | 12:00pm-2:00pm**
**Camp Cookie**
Cost: $15 per girl, $0 per adult
Create for Change
Master art by learning how it can be used to share an important message. Earn your Outdoor Art Expert or Outdoor Art Master badge. Learn how different mediums like photography, video, writing, and sculpture can be used to advocate for the environment.
Friday, April 17, 2020 | 9:00am-11:30am
Camp Promising Acres
Cost: $18 per girl, $0 per adult

Eco Challenger
What role do you play when it comes to protecting the environment? Learn about what it means to be an environmental advocate and how they help by participating in a mock stakeholder meeting. You will have a chance to learn about current environmental issues and create your own action plan to make positive changes to the environment. Earn your Eco Explorer or Eco Advocate badge!
Friday, April 17, 2020 | 12:30pm-2:30pm
Camp Promising Acres
Cost: $15 per girl, $0 per adult

Fireside Chef
During this outdoor workshop you'll practice your fire-building skills and learn different outdoor cooking methods. In the afternoon, you'll relax as you snack on all of the delicious things you've made. You'll even have time to roast some 'mallows for s'mores around the fire!
Saturday, September 28, 2019 | 9:00am-2:00pm
Camp Hoffman
Cost: $17 per girl, $17 per adult

Flower Power
Discover that there's more to flowers than just their beauty. Without flowers, our world would be a much different place. Discover the science behind flowers and pollinators, test your senses, and create growing paper, all while earning your Flowers badge!
Wednesday, April 15, 2020 | 12:30pm-2:30pm
Camp Rocky Farm
Cost: $15 per girl, $0 per adult

Hiking 103
Build your hiking confidence on a TBD hiking trail in Central or Southern RI with experienced hikers and backpackers. Practice packing and carrying a backpack properly, navigate trails and work with your group to make it through successfully. Location will be determined by the group at the planning meeting and may be dependent on the weather, group size, and skills. Must have completed Hiking 101 and 102 previously.
Pre-Meeting: Wednesday, October 9, 2019 6:30pm-8:00pm
Hike: Saturday, October 19, 2019 | 9:00am
Pre-Meeting: Wednesday, May 6, 2020 6:30pm-8:00pm
Hike: Saturday, May 16, 2020 | 9:00am
Cost: $12 per girl; $12 per adult

Into the Woods
This isn't your regular primitive camping experience. Pitch a tent in the woods, find your own water, and navigate back to main camp before time runs out. Can your team complete the challenges and be the first to conquer the woods? All participants are required to attend one pre-competition meeting.
Saturday, August 1 – Sunday, August 2, 2020
Time: TBA December 2019
Camp Hoffman
Cost: $35 per participant, $0 per adult

Nature Creator
Explore the outdoors to find inspiration for fun art projects and the tools that you will use to create your art. Earn your Outdoor Art Creator badge and express your natural creativity through music and dance, sketching, and photography.
Tuesday, April 14, 2020 | 9:00am-11:00am
Camp Cookie
Cost: $15 per girl, $0 per adult (adult required)
Outdoor Art Explorer
Step outside and find creative inspiration from the natural world around you. Make your own music and songs, learn the art of nature photography, and use natural materials to design a bird house!
Wednesday, April 15, 2020 | 9:00am-11:30am
Camp Rocky Farm
Cost: $18 per girl, $0 per adult

Outdoor Art Trailblazer
Explore nature through an artist’s eye. Learn about famous female artists and how they used nature as inspiration. Earn your Outdoor Art Apprentice badge while you find your inner nature artist through photography, writing, and design.
Thursday, April 16, 2020 | 9:00am-11:30am
Camp Hoffman
Cost: $18 per girl, $0 per adult

Tall & Small
Spend time learning what Girl Scout Overnight Camp is all about! This program is great for the first time overnight camper (grades 1 and up) and her favorite adult (all genders welcomed). The price of the program includes two meals on Saturday and one on Sunday.
Saturday, July 18 – Sunday, July 19, 2020
Time: TBA December 2019
Camp Hoffman
Cost: $55 per participant

Terrific Trees
Have fun learning about trees and discover how they serve the world around us. Join us and learn more about the science of trees, play games, and create tree art. Earn the Trees badge and have the chance to explore the connection between people and trees, and help to protect our forests.
Thursday, April 16, 2020 | 12:30pm-2:30pm
Camp Hoffman
Cost: $15 per girl, $0 per adult

The Great Escape
Brownie through Ambassador troops/groups are invited to join us for an amazing outdoor weekend, experiencing all the fun camp has to offer! Cost of the program includes three meals on Saturday and one on Sunday.
Friday, June 26 – Sunday, June 28, 2020
Time: TBA December 2019
Camp Hoffman
Cost: $70 per girl | $0 per adult
Our Camps*

**Camp Cookie | 116 Long Entry Rd., Chepachet, RI 02814**
Founded in 1956, Camp Cookie is a 125-acre quintessential camp with a natural pond, wooded sites, and hiking trails. Enjoy camp activities like archery, swimming, boating, arts & crafts, hiking, singing, and cookouts.

**Camp Green Forest | 2850 Ministerial Road, West Kingston, RI 02892**
Founded in 1990, Camp Green Forest is on the same 178-acre property as our overnight camp, Camp Hoffman. Leave your personal touch at Green Forest by adding to our rock garden!

**Camp Hoffman | 2850 Ministerial Rd., West Kingston, RI 02892**
Camp Hoffman is situated on the shores of Larkin Pond and is known for its beautiful pine groves, open meadows, a historical cemetery, many hiking trails, and a deluxe ropes challenge course! Camp Hoffman is the site of our overnight camp programs. In 2021, Camp Hoffman will celebrate its 100th Anniversary!

**Camp Promising Acres | 591 Dillon Lane, Swansea, MA 02777**
Founded in 1968, Camp Promising Acres is an 81-acre property with an onsite swimming pool, rolling hills, and the charming Root Beer River and Soda Pop Pond where campers can explore the wildlife.

**Camp Rocky Farm | 160 Carroll Avenue, Newport, RI 02840**
Founded in 1950, Camp Rocky Farm is a 7-acre property right by the beach in Newport. This camp is within walking distance of Ocean Drive and the Newport Mansions. At nearby Gooseberry Beach, campers build sandcastles, hunt for hermit crabs, and enjoy swimming.

*Please note: All of our camps are nut-free facilities.*
Business Planning with Toyota

Bring out the inner business woman in YOU! Whether you’d like to run your own business one day or just learn more about business; take the first step by earning BOTH your Business Plan & Marketing badges with Toyota. Through this insightful and interactive program, you will expand your business knowledge and learn about the importance of values, goal setting, product, marketing, and long-term planning. Both badges to be provided at completion of program.

Thursday, October 24, 2019 | 6:00pm-8:00pm
Toyota Motor Sales, Mansfield, MA
Cost: $5 per girl, $0 per adult

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Business Innovator

Have a great idea? Turn it into a business plan! Cadettes learn about financial strategies and share business ideas of the future! Did you identify a social problem? Develop a Take Action Project and change the world! Seniors explore “the big picture”, identify a social problem, and pitch an idea to save the world!

Saturday, December 7, 2019 2:00pm-4:30pm
GGSSNE Leadership Center
Cost: $18 per girl, $0 per adult

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Product Inventor

Find out how to become an inventor or product designer with this signature program! Brownies will have the chance to learn about the process of inventing and earn their Inventor badge, while Juniors find innovating ways to create a product and earn their Product Design badge! Make observations, solve problems, and share your creations!

Saturday, May 2, 2020 | 2:00pm-4:30pm
GGSSNE Leadership Center
Cost: $18 per girl, $0 per adult

Entrepreneurship Progression

Progression allows girls to gain new skills, build their confidence, and develop an entrepreneurial mindset over time. As they engage in the Girl Scout Cookie Program and beyond, girls learn five valuable skills that will serve them for the rest of their lives. As you work with girls, acknowledge their skill development and encourage them to challenge themselves further. Eventually, they’ll be ready to translate their skills into true entrepreneurship or bring an entrepreneurial mindset to whatever path they choose.

Five skills learned from the cookie program:
- Goal setting
- Decision making
- Money management
- People skills
- Business ethics

How to adopt an entrepreneurial mindset:
- Be curious.
- Embrace challenge.
- Take initiative.
- Adapt to change.
- Take creative risks.
Do you have wanderlust? Do you want to explore the world, and learn about yourself in the process?

Check out the Girl Scouts travel progression, the ultimate adventure program, with options to travel regionally, nationally, and internationally. There’s no limit to what a G.I.R.L. can do!

Getaways
If your troop is looking for all of the adventure of a trip, but wants to have the details taken care of, Getaways are the answer! Specifics will depend upon the particular Getaway you choose, but generally accommodation is provided as well as some activities and meals. To see Troop Getaway opportunities visit: http://forgirls.girlscouts.org/travel/take-a-trip/getaways/.

Destinations
Cadettes and older, you can be whisked away to the far corners of the world! Destinations are hosted by GSUSA or individual Girl Scout councils. Girls must apply individually to attend. Application and references are due by December 1 through the online application tool. For a current list of Destinations and applications, visit: http://forgirls.girlscouts.org/travel/take-a-trip/destinations/.

COUNCIL-SPONSORED TRAVEL OPPORTUNITIES

Daisy “Travel” Day
Start your travel progression off early! This year, our Global Action Volunteers are hosting a Daisy “Travel” Day at Camp Hoffman. It’s an opportunity for Troop Leaders, Daisy Parents/Guardians, and Daisies themselves to begin getting comfortable spending time in a new environment. Visit the “Events” page on our www.gssne.org website and click the link for our Program and Training Calendar.

**Sunday, September 29, 2019 | 12:00pm-5:00pm**
Camp Hoffman
Cost: $20 per girl, $10 per adult

Summer 2020: Journey Down Under!
Join EF Tours and GSSNE Volunteers on a trip across the globe to New Zealand and Australia. Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors are invited to sign-up for this trip of a lifetime. Experience exotic wildlife, beautiful nature, fascinating indigenous cultures, and even snorkel in the Great Barrier Reef! Registration is open through December 2019. Learn more by visiting www.eftours.com/jduj or contact customercare@gssne.org.
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International Day of the Girl

Change the world! Team up with countries around the globe to celebrate your inner G.I.R.L. (Go-getter, Innovator, Risk-taker, Leader)™ by taking part in a World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS) curriculum event that encourages girl empowerment! You'll participate in themed activities that will make you want to stand up and speak out about real issues in our global community, and "make the world a better place".

Saturday, October 12, 2019 | 2:00pm-4:30pm
GSSNE Leadership Center
Cost: $18 per girl, $0 per adult

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World Thinking Day

Discover the power of joining forces with girls globally to be change makers in each of our communities! Each year on February 22, 10 million Girl Scouts and Girl Guides from 150 countries celebrate World Thinking Day to work together to create a strong, positive effect on something or someone.

Saturday, February 22, 2020 | 2:00pm-4:00pm
GSSNE Leadership Center
Cost: $15 per girl, $0 per adult

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GIRL SCOUTS OF SOUTHEASTERN NEW ENGLAND PROGRAM GUIDE

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Aim High to Be Your Best!  
Have a blast and work on the My Best Self badge. Try out trampolines, bars, and balance beams in our world-class gymnastics facility and complete badge requirements 2, 3, and 5 while you’re here!  
*Please visit www.gssne.org for dates and time.  
Aim High Academy, East Greenwich, RI  
Cost: $12 per girl, $0 per adult

Aim High to Stay Fit  
Have a blast and work on your Staying Fit badge. Try out trampolines, bars, and balance beams in our world-class gymnastics facility and complete badge requirements 1, 3 and 4 while you’re here!  
*Please visit www.gssne.org for dates and time.  
Aim High Academy, East Greenwich, RI  
Cost: $12 per girl, $0 per adult

Brownie Painting  
Earn your Legacy Art Painting badge with Artiste Arts and Crafts as you talk about famous artists, painting mediums, materials used and create a flower garden with watercolors. While your painting dries, you’ll play a game, too!  
Saturday, November 9, 2019 | 4:00pm-5:45pm  
Saturday, March 21, 2020 | 4:00pm-5:45pm  
GSSNE Leadership Center  
Cost: $17 per girl, $0 per adult

Interfaith Day of Service  
Girl Scouts of all faiths are invited to attend this afternoon of service. Participate in a lower elements team building challenge course and then take part in a camp cleanup project. Conclude the day with an Interfaith Service.  
Sunday, April 26, 2020 | 1:00pm-5:00pm  
Mother of Hope Camp, Chepachet, RI  
Cost: Free Registration

Junior Drawing  
Earn your Legacy Art Drawing badge with Artiste Arts and Crafts! You’ll talk about drawing materials and techniques, and become a master of pointillism. A drawing game adds to the fun!  
Saturday, November 9, 2019 | 6:15pm-8:00pm  
Saturday, January 11, 2020 | 4:00pm-5:45pm  
GSSNE Leadership Center  
Cost: $17 per girl, $0 per adult

Junior Jeweler  
Learn to create some empowering pieces of jewelry from a local artist, Gail Ahlers, in her studio. Girls will get to use jewelry-making tools to craft personalized pieces of jewelry with wire, recycled materials, gems, and more. Learn about the history of jewelry and get hands on experience making your own jewelry as you complete the steps to earn the Junior Jeweler Badge.  
*Please visit www.gssne.org for dates and time.  
Empowerment Factory, Pawtucket, RI  
Cost: $22 per girl, $0 per adult

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Marathon in a Month  
Lace up your sneakers because the Fourth Annual Marathon in a Month Challenge is ready to launch! Your goal is to log 26.2 miles of physical activity within a month...that’s less than 1 mile per day. We will be your coach and cheerleader by helping you keep track of your miles and reach your goals!  
Sunday, March 1, 2020 – Tuesday, March 31, 2020  
Virtual Event  
Cost: Free Registration, Patch for Purchase

Science of Happiness  
“Don’t worry. Be happy.” Let’s gather together and examine what makes us happy and how we can increase the joy in our lives and our community. We can’t always control what happens to us in the world, but we can choose how we react to things. Join Gail Ahlers, the Ambassador of Joy, and Karen King, Strengths Coach, as we explore how we can create a happier, healthier, more empowered life.  
*Please visit www.gssne.org for dates and time.  
Empowerment Factory, Pawtucket, RI  
Cost: $26 per girl, $0 per adult

Senior Collage  
Here’s an opportunity to earn your Legacy Art Collage badge with Artiste Arts and Crafts! You’ll talk about collage artists, create a paper cubomania collage, and use decorative paper to collage a bottle made uniquely by you.  
Saturday, March 21, 2020 | 6:15pm-8:00pm  
GSSNE Leadership Center  
Cost: $17 per girl, $0 per adult
LIFE SKILLS

**Sundown Sing-a-long**
Would you like to learn new Girl Scout songs? Come to this workshop run by the GSSNE Chorus and participate in a sing-a-long. A campfire and s’mores will top off the evening, and a super-sweet event patch is included, too!

**Friday, September 20, 2019 | 6:00pm-7:30pm**
**Friday, May 15, 2020 | 6:00pm-7:30pm**
**Camp Cookie**
Cost: $8 per girl, $0 per adult

**Sunny’s Tea Party**
Dress up, bring your favorite stuffed friend and enjoy a tea party just for you! There will be story time, petit snacks and fun crafts that include a dainty tiara just for you! This event completes requirements for the “Sunny” Daisy petal too.

**Saturday, January 18, 2020 | 10:00am-12:00pm**
**Camp Hoffman**
Cost: $10 per girl, $0 per adult

**National Girl Scout Week: March 8-14, 2020**

- **Girl Scout Sunday (8th)**
  - Reflect on what the Girl Scout Promise and Law mean to you.

- **Girl Scout Spirit Day (9th)**
  - Get out your green gear and let everyone know you’re a G.I.R.L. at heart.

- **Troop Tuesday (10th)**
  - Tag us on Social Media using #gsweekgssne to show us your Girl Scout pride!

- **STEAM Day (11th)**
  - Be a critical thinker and solve a problem!

- **Girl Scout Birthday (12th)**
  - Happy Birthday Girl Scouts! 108 years and going strong.

- **Outdoor Adventure Day (13th)**
  - Explore a park near you, go hiking or participate in a campativity!

- **Girl Scout Sabbath (14th)**
  - Learn about faiths other than your own.
Anchor Watch

Experience hands-on activities by day and sleep on board the 1882 square-rigged vessel Joseph Conrad by night. Begin your adventure with an introduction to Mystic Seaport and spend the evening immersed in these activities. On the second day, participants enjoy breakfast at the Galley Restaurant on campus, have the opportunity to climb the rigging of the Conrad, and then tour the Museum. Themes include Seaport Sampler, Seaport Sleuths, and Destination Outer Space.

*Please visit www.gssne.org for dates and time. Mystic Seaport, Mystic, CT
Cost: $85 per girl, $85 per adult

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Coding for Good

Unlock your coding skills with Coding for Good! Juniors learn about women in computer science, create algorithms, use loops, and play a game with conditionals, making your program even more exciting! Complete all these steps to earn your Coding Basics badge!

Saturday, March 7, 2020 | 2:00pm-4:00pm
GSSNE Leadership Center
Cost: $15 per girl, $0 per adult

Crazy About Animals Critter Camp-In

Join us for an overnight adventure and wake up in the Zoo! Learn about some of the daily activities of a zookeeper and even meet an animal they work with. Enjoy interactive animal themed activities, Science on a Sphere®, and a nighttime tour of the Zoo while working towards your Animal Helpers and Voice for Animals badges. Each group must have a Troop Trips trained adult in order to attend.

*Please visit www.gssne.org for dates and time.
Buttonwood Park Zoo, New Bedford, MA
Cost: $57 per girl, $57 per adult

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Design Challenge: Board Game & Leap Bot

Put on your thinking cap and come up with a design fit for a Girl Scout! In this design challenge, Daisies create a board game and Brownies design a Leap Bot. Figure out what works and what needs fixing in order to earn your badge for Mechanical Engineering!

December 14, 2019 | 2:00pm-4:00pm
GSSNE Leadership Center
Cost: $15 per girl, $0 per adult

Engineering Your Tomorrow: Think like an Engineer

Be the first to go on this Journey with Society of Women Engineers (SWE) in this activity-packed workshop! You’ll design and build three different structures: A paper structure able to hold heavy loads, a model emergency shelter, and a structure able to withstand an earthquake. After the design challenges have been completed, troops will gather together and brainstorm ideas for the Take Action project for this Journey before leaving. Please bring your lunch!

Saturday, November 2, 2019 | 9:00am-1:30pm
University of Rhode Island, Pastore Hall, Kingston, RI
Saturday, February 8, 2020 | 9:00am-1:30pm
Roger Williams University, Engineering Building, Bristol, RI
Cost: $10 per girl, $0 per adult
Everyday Science

Begin the day by completing a science-themed quest through the museum as you discover science in surprising places all around us. Then join museum educators for a special workshop where you will create fizzy, frothy experiments from everyday household items. Be a scientist for the day and discover how you might want to be a scientist in the future!

**Saturday, January 11, 2020 | 10:15am-12:00pm**
Roger Williams Museum of Natural History, Providence, RI
Cost: $10 per girl, $5 per adult

Galactic Girls

Suit up, astronaut! Take a leap by exploring the stars and planets, the exciting life of a space explorer all while taking a closer look at the tiny pieces that make up our universe. Girls will learn all about our galaxy in the planetarium and complete steps for the new Space Science badges.

**Saturday, November 2, 2019 | 10:15am-12:00pm**
Saturday, February 1, 2020 | 10:15am-12:00pm
Saturday, March 14, 2020 | 10:15am-12:00pm
Roger Williams Museum of Natural History, Providence, RI
Cost: $10 per girl, $5 per adult

Girl of the Future

Have you ever been asked what you want to be when you grow up? Explore the exciting fields of science, technology, engineering, the arts, and math at this STEAM career day! You will learn about jobs in STEAM and meet with real professionals from Ivory Ella, RISD, Electric Boat and more!

*Please visit www.gssne.org for dates and time.
Westerly Education Center, Westerly, RI
Cost: $12 per girl, $5 per adult

Museum of Science Overnight

Camp inside at the Boston Museum of Science! A typical camp-in includes a variety of hands-on science activities, demonstrations, an Omni Theater Show, a late-night activity, and time to explore the museum. Each troop must have a Troop Trips trained adult in order to attend. The following program dates at the Boston Museum of Science run from 5:00pm-11:00am.

**Friday, November 22 – Saturday, November 23, 2019**
Saturday, March 14 – Sunday, March 15, 2020
Saturday, March 28 – Sunday, March 29, 2020
Saturday, May 16 – Sunday, May 17, 2020
Saturday, May 30 – Sunday, May 31, 2020
Friday, June 5 – Saturday, June 6, 2020
Boston Museum of Science, Boston, MA
Cost: $65 per girl, $65 per adult

The Animals We Live with Twilight Tour

Experience the Zoo after hours! Learn about domestic and wild animals and how to be the best advocate for them. Enjoy animal themed activities, Science on a Sphere®, a nighttime tour of the Zoo and more while you work towards your Considerate and Caring Petal!

*Please visit www.gssne.org for dates and time.
Buttonwood Park Zoo, New Bedford, MA
Cost: $35 per girl, $35 per adult
Highest Awards

The Bronze, Silver, and Gold Awards are the highest honors any Girl Scout can earn! These awards give Girl Scouts the chance to choose an issue in their communities that matter to them and then create a solution that really makes a difference.

Juniors may want to create a take-and-leave library for their Bronze Award, a Cadette could decide that she wants to begin a STEM mentorship program in her middle school, and a Senior or Ambassador could found a sustainable advocacy group for immigration rights. Whatever project you choose, the important thing to remember is that the issue matters to you!

Highest Awards Trainings are required for girls and supporting adults for both the Gold and Silver Award. Bronze Award Training is recommended for Junior Troop Leaders and supporting adults. Please visit the “Events” page of our gssne.org website to access the Program and Training Registration Calendar.

**Highest Awards Trainings Trainings:**
- Bronze Award Training is recommended for Junior Troop Leaders.
- Silver Award Training is required and projects must be pre-approved by the GSSNE Girl Experience Team.
- Gold Award Training is required, and those pursuing the award must complete a minimum of 80 project hours. The GSUSA platform GoGold must be used, and projects are pre-approved by the Highest Awards Committee.

**Girl Scouts Shine Ceremony**

The Girl Scouts Shine Ceremony is our annual celebration of girls and young women who have earned the Highest Awards in Girl Scouting: The Bronze, Silver, and Gold Awards. The reception and ceremony includes light refreshments and provides the opportunity to learn about the inspiring projects Girl Scouts in grades 4-12 have spearheaded locally to change their communities! Stay tuned for the date and location of our 2020 Girl Scouts Shine Ceremony.
LEADERSHIP

NATIONAL LEADERSHIP AWARDS

As Girl Scouts, we take pride in providing service to others and doing what we can to make the world a better place. To recognize older girls, Cadettes – Ambassadors, for their dedication and commitment to both their Girl Scout community along with their own communities, girls can be recognized for the below awards. You will find more information in the Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting book for each age level or on our website under the “About” tab, on the “Our Program” page.

Community Service Bar

When girls make a difference in their community and practice the values of the Girl Scout Promise and Law, they can earn this award while getting involved with a cause they care about.

Service to Girl Scouts Bar

Earned by volunteering at least 20 hours for the Girl Scout organization such as helping out with an event for younger Girl Scouts, assisting with council office or service unit projects, or blazing trails at camp.

Torch Award

Recognize girls who act as leaders in their community after completing a Girl Scout Leadership Journey and serving for one full term in a leadership position at school, place of worship, library, community center, or similar organization.

RELIGIOUS AWARDS

Everything in Girl Scouting is based on the Girl Scout Promise and Law, which includes many of the principles and values common across religions. So while we are a secular organization, Girl Scouts has always encouraged girls to take spiritual journeys via their faiths’ religious recognitions. In addition to the My Promise, My Faith pin, please check out the “Religious Awards” page of our website under “About” -> “Our Program” -> “Highest Awards” for additional Religious Recognitions.

My Promise, My Faith

Girls of all grade levels can earn the My Promise, My Faith pin, which allows them to strengthen the connection between their faith and Girl Scouts. Once each year, a girl can earn the My Promise, My Faith pin by carefully examining the Girl Scout Law and tying it directly to tenets of her faith. Requirements and more info for this pin can be found in The Girl’s Guide to Girl Scouting for all levels.

ADDITIONAL LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Program Aide Training

This Cadette-only training is for girls who love to take the lead! You’ll learn techniques and strategies to run programs for Daisies and Brownies, and improve your leadership skills. Before training: Girls can have completed their LiA Award prior to training, but is not required. After training: It’s up to you to schedule six activity sessions working with younger Girl Scouts to earn the Program Aide pin. Visit the “Events” page of our website to register for scheduled trainings!

ASHI Babysitting Training for Cadettes

Earn a nationally-recognized ASHI Child and Babysitting Safety certification! This volunteer-led training is available for troops and groups on a request basis. The course typically takes a total of two 4-hour sessions and costs $40 per person. To request a training, please contact customercare@gssne.org at least two months in advance of your requested date. This training will also fulfill some of the requirements for the Cadette Babysitter badge.

By Girls, For Girls Advisory Board

Are you a passionate Girl Scout in grades 9-12 for Fall 2019? Want to take on a leadership role that will allow you to influence the direction of our local Girl Scout council? We want YOU to join our By Girls, For Girls Advisory Board. We’re looking for 8-10 Seniors and Ambassadors to identify what girls want and need. BGFG Members will serve from October, 2019 - June, 2020 and attend meetings once a month (exact dates TBD). Apply by September 27, 2019! Contact customercare@gssne.org for more details.

G.I.R.L. Media Team

GSSNE is looking for girls to join our 2020 G.I.R.L. Media Team to represent our Girl Scout council via various media opportunities throughout the year! Junior, Cadette, Senior and Ambassador Girl Scouts may apply. No experience necessary, but you must be willing to flex those Go-getter muscles and speak loud and proud on behalf of Girl Scouts everywhere! We are looking for team members to agree to a one-year participation commitment and attend at least one G.I.R.L. Media Team training & information session provided by GSSNE. Check out the www.gssne.org website for application submission details!
**Adventure Park at Storrs**
Are you ready for the best climbing and zip lines Connecticut has to offer? The Adventure Park provides family fun for ages 7 and up. This aerial forest adventure is fun, exciting, and safe for all participants. We provide a harness and equipment and give you a safety briefing that demonstrates how to climb and zip line in the park. Visit https://storrsadventurepark.com/ for more information.

**Community Boating Center**
Sailing programs are rich environments for STEM learning. Every time a student steps into a boat, pulls the tiller, or trims a sail they are experiencing powerful lessons. The weather above, the water below, and everything on the boat in-between can provide daily, real-world science lessons. Connecting these hands-on, experiential learning experiences to educational objectives can open up a whole new world of learning and opportunity to both sailors and sailing programs. Visit http://www.communityboating.com/youth-sailing/ to learn more.

**MobileQuest**
MobileQuest is a mobile edutainment company bringing hands-on, standards based STEAM education to kids in grades K-12 by way of extended learning programs, Girl Scout troops, birthday parties and strategic community partnerships. MobileQuest comes to your meeting space to provide programming to help earn Daisy, Brownie, Junior, Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador STEM Journeys and Badges. Contact brian@mobilequestadventures.com or visit www.mobilequestadventures.com for more information.

**Potter League**
The Potter League offers workshops designed especially for Girl Scout Daisies, Brownies, and Juniors. Girls will meet the animals at the shelter, learn about animal care and pet responsibility, and create a craft. A Potter League patch will be awarded to each participant. Visit https://www.potterleague.org/learn/youth-programs/girl-scout-programs/ to register.

**Providence Children’s Museum**
Special Museum Discovery Days are designed for the youngest Girl Scouts! Bring your troop to the Museum during Girl Scout Discovery Days—designated Saturdays and Sundays in winter and spring, and receive reduced admission rates. There will be information on how to play and explore in exhibits to accomplish badge/petal steps and you can participate in drop-in activities in Discovery Studio that align with badges/petals. For more information and dates, visit www.ChildrenMuseum.org/Scouts.asp or call (401) 273-5437.

**PATCH PROGRAMS**
Looking for even more fun things to do with your girls? GSSNE has several fun patch programs girls can participate in! All programs include a packet with directions on what to do. Girls can complete them individually or with a troop. To read more about each of our Patch Programs, go to www.gssne.org and click on “Patch Programs” under the Events tab, or check the Volunteer Toolkit Resource for age-appropriate options.
TROOP ADVENTURES

THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX WITH PROGRAM BOXES!

Program Boxes are pre-made activity guides and program kits that include everything you need to lead a successful meeting. Create fun, educational, and memorable troop activities for your Girl Scout! Program Boxes are available for pick-up Monday thru Friday 9:00am - 5:30pm. A small deposit may be required.

DON’T MISS A THING!

Our social media accounts (especially Facebook) and our Program and Training Registration Calendar are the best places to check out any newly added programs and the most up-to-date opportunities. Visit www.gssne.org and click on Events to access our Calendar!

GSSNE LEADERSHIP CENTER

The Girl Scout Leadership Center is a hub for girl-led creativity, connectivity, exploration, and inspiration! Located on the lower level of the GSSNE council office at 500 Greenwich Avenue, Warwick, RI 02886, the Leadership Center provides a perfect program or meeting space for Girl Scout members. The Leadership Center includes girl-centric furniture (tiered seating, swivel chairs, and low scooches) and STEAM equipment; from digital play panels and robotics, to iPads, GoPros, and electronic origami, there is something fun and inspiring for everyone! The Leadership Center includes a lounge and three separate conference rooms, accommodating up to 145 people. To request to use the Leadership Center on a certain desired date OR borrow STEAM equipment, contact customercare@gssne.org.

Happy Birthday, GSSNE!

This year, Girl Scouts of Southeastern New England is celebrating 100 years of Girl Scouting in our region—we’re only seven years younger than the entire Girl Scout Organization! This 2019 centennial marks 100 years of building girls of courage, confidence, and character, who make the world a better place.

On December 2, 1919, Girl Scouts of Rhode Island was chartered by Girl Scouts of the USA, and while times have changed and our world is very different than 100 years ago, we are proud to say that Girl Scouting in Rhode Island, Southeastern Massachusetts, and Pawcatuck, Connecticut continues to provide girl-led leadership experiences supported by innovative programming and life-changing opportunities!

In honor of this milestone, GSSNE looks forward to hosting a few special events and opportunities, some of which are already in the works:

• Centennial Patch Program: October 2018 - December 2019
  – Girl Scouts have the opportunity to work towards this patch and learn about our local Girl Scout history.

• Rededication ceremony and celebration at Slater Park: September 21, 2019

• Virtual council-wide Centennial Ceremony: December 2, 2019

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Girl Scout Product Programs

Girl Scout Product Programs combine educational activities along with money earning opportunities for troops. When girls participate in these programs, they can earn proceeds for troop activities and at the same time build self-confidence, learn strong values and how to work as a team. All registered Girl Scouts from Daisies through Ambassadors may participate in Girl Scout Product Programs.

GSSNE has two council-sponsored product programs: the Fall Product Program and the Girl Scout Cookie Program. During the Fall Product Program, girls participate in selling nuts, candy, tumblers, greeting cards, candles and magazines. During the Cookie Program, girls get a chance to participate in the largest girl-led entrepreneurship program in the world selling everyone’s favorite treat—Girl Scout Cookies!

Five Essential Skills

When girls participate in the girl-led product programs, they develop these five essential skills:

1. **Goal Setting:** Girls learn to be goal setters, both individually and with their sister Girl Scouts, developing cooperation and team building skills along the way!

2. **Decision Making:** Girls will become decision makers who decide how to spend their product program proceeds using critical thinking and problem-solving techniques.

3. **Money Management:** Girls become money managers and determine the real costs associated with the goals they want to achieve. They manage their participation level, gain practical life skills, and improve their financial literacy!

4. **People Skills:** Girls learn healthy relationship and conflict resolution skills while educating their families and community members about the importance of the Girl Scout Leadership Experience and asking for support to help reach their goals.

5. **Business Ethics:** Girls grow to appreciate the value of responsibility and honesty while becoming entrepreneurs and running their own businesses!
PRODUCT PROGRAMS

NEW! GIRL SCOUTS OF SOUTHEASTERN NEW ENGLAND PROGRAM GUIDE

The Cookie Entrepreneur Family pin enables girls and their families to learn to think like entrepreneurs as they participate in the Girl Scout Cookie Program. Each Girl Scout grade level will have its own set of requirements to help families guide their Girl Scout as she runs her own cookie business year after year. Girls can earn all 13 pins in the collection—one unique pin for every year they participate.

Learn more about this pin collection at gssne.org/cookiesandfall

Cookie Rally

Every January, GSSNE hosts a Cookie Rally to kick off the cookie season. This event is a fun way to get Girl Scouts excited about the Girl Scout Cookie Program and allows them to participate in a variety of hands-on activities for all ages! All registered Girl Scouts, leaders, and family members are eligible to attend. For more information on the 2020 Cookie Rally, check out gssne.org for the most up-to-date details!

The Girl Scout Shop!

The Girl Scout Shop is located at 500 Greenwich Avenue, Warwick, RI and we have everything you need—uniform pieces, Journey books, guide books for each level, fashion apparel, gifts, and so much more!

For hours of operation (which vary by season), please visit gssne.org and click “Shop” on our homepage.

And don’t forget, you can save time (and gas!) by shopping online at girlscoutshop.com/gssne!

For more information about GSSNE Product Programs, visit gssne.org/cookiesandfall

Important Dates

Fall Product Program

September 14-October 25: Girls take orders from friends and family. Online sales end at 11:59pm on October 25. Girls can begin taking orders at any time during the program!

October 26-27: Submit all order cards and payments to your troop leader.

November 14-15: Nut/candy delivery begins—just in time for the holidays! Girls then deliver to friends and family members.

Cookie Program

December 21: Girls may begin taking orders and online sales begin!

January 18-26: Cookies are delivered to communities and booth sales begin.

February 28-March 1: National Girl Scout Cookie Weekend!

March 29: Cookie Program Ends.
Girl Scouts are prepared for a lifetime of leadership.

- 90% of all female U.S. astronauts
- 76% of all female U.S. senators
- 80% of all female tech leaders
- 100% of all female U.S. secretaries of state

...WERE GIRL SCOUTS

Girl Scouts practice leadership with grit like a Go-getter, problem solve like an Innovator, embrace new challenges like a Risk-taker, and show empathy like a Leader.

If we want stronger leaders, we need more Girl Scouts.