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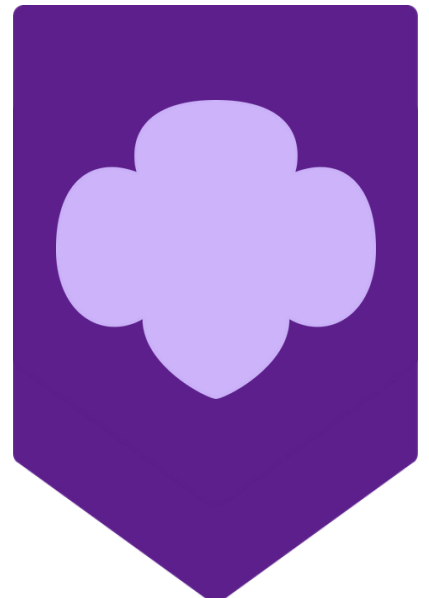
*...plus High Awards, Camp, and more!*

## OLDER GIRL FALL FESTIVAL

Join us as we kick off a new outline for Older Girl Program with our first ever Older Girl Fall Festival!

At this year's Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador EXCLUSIVE fall festival, girls will learn about what programs our council has to offer this year as well as an opportunity to meet and socialize with other older girls in our council! In addition to a program overview, we will spend the afternoon doing fall inspired crafts and eating fall inspired treats.

[REGISTER](#)





## LEADERSHIP & LIFE SKILLS

lead/er/ship (noun). A skill that allows an individual or group to guide others.

### National Leadership Awards

Did you know that you can earn a special Award for being a leader or completing service to your community and Girl Scouts? Girl Scouts can earn the Leadership Torch, Community Service Bar, or Service to Girl Scouting Bar Awards each year as Cadettes, Seniors, or Ambassadors. Simply identify an opportunity and then submit the application!

Age: Cadettes, Seniors, & Ambassadors

Learn more or submit your application after you've earned it!

[Application Form](#)

### Lime Green Giraffe

#### The Write Stuff: College Essay Edition

Hey Girl Scout Ambassadors (11th and 12th graders), you're invited to join us for The Write Stuff: College Essay Edition to learn how to craft your best personal statement and admissions essays. We know writing those essays for college can be stressful, but we're here to give you some tips and tools so it doesn't have to be!

Ages: Ambassadors

Date: 9/16

**REGISTER**

#### The Write Stuff: Writer's Workshop

Join the Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta's own Lime Green Giraffe magazine for a writing workshop, where you will learn the "Write Stuff" from professional writers. Our fun writing activities will help you sharpen your creative skills while getting to know other kids who love to write! The workshop will be in two two-hour segments with a break for lunch and optional hang out time.

Ages: 11+

Date: 2/3

**TICKETS**

## MISS MEDIA

Become a media and public speaking rock star! Be the face and voice for Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta! Miss Media is a fun and exciting eight month program (October – May) providing the opportunity for girls to explore the evolving media environment, have hands-on experience developing communication skills, and engage in career exploration. We encourage you to find new and inspiring ways to connect your own experiences to the Girl Scout Movement and tell your stories through the Miss Media program!

The 2023 - 24 Miss Media program will be curated by Community Partner, The WICT Network: SE (Empowering Women In Media, Entertainment, & Technology)

Age: Juniors and Up  
Applications accepted  
8/1-9/30

### **APPLICATION** **INSTRUCTIONS**

*Miss Media meets every 3rd Sunday from 2-4pm beginning in September. For more information, contact [ajordan@gsgatl.org](mailto:ajordan@gsgatl.org)*

# STEM

stem. (noun). Exploring and discovering. Curiosity and innovation. Problem solving through trial and error.

For more information,  
email [STEM@gsgatl.org](mailto:STEM@gsgatl.org)  
with questions



## STEM Expo

Start your engines for this year's STEM Expo! Race to the Atlanta Motor Speedway on November 11, 2023, for a fun-filled STEM event. Girl Scouts can explore all things transportation, from engineering to robotics to roller skating! Save the date and check the GSGATL event calendar for updates and registration for the STEM Expo. Email [STEM@gsgatl.org](mailto:STEM@gsgatl.org) with questions!

Girl Scouts are also invited to apply to take part in the Girl Scout Science Fair at STEM Expo! For more information on the Science Fair and Application, click the link below.

Ages: All Levels

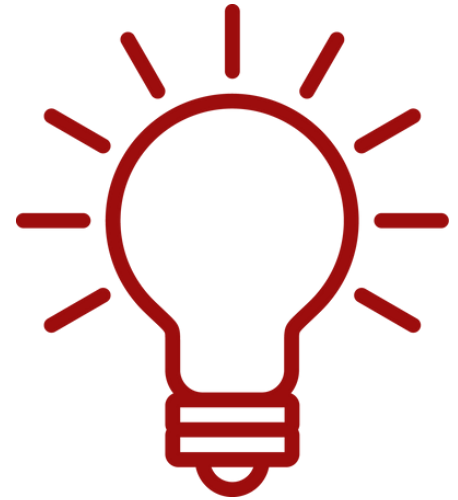
**[APPLY](#)**

## Girls in STEM Fun Patch: Circuit Challenge

Get your Girl Scouts excited about STEM with this fun, hands-on patch program, sponsored by ABB! Practice the Design Thinking Process by learning how to build a circuit, then develop your own emergency light prototype. This challenge can be completed virtually or in-person, and is great for Brownies-Ambassadors. Register for a FREE individual or troop supply box for this challenge!

Kits can be picked up from the Mableton campus October 2-October 15, 2023, for free, or can be shipped to you for a reduced shipping fee of \$7. Registration opens September 11, 2023.

**[REGISTER](#)**



## Monthly Career Panels

Join us to explore careers in STEM! Meet our panelists working in this month's featured STEM career field, learn about their career paths, and ask them questions about their jobs. This month's topic will feature women who help to produce all sorts of media and entertainment, from movies to podcasts and TV shows and more! Come with your curiosity and questions for these awesome women in STEM!

All ages of Girl Scouts can earn their STEM Career Explorer badge by attending TWO virtual panels and completing an age-appropriate worksheet (which will be provided via email before the program). Please note that this virtual STEM Career Panel will NOT be recorded for the safety and privacy of the Girl Scouts participating.

# SPECIALTY EXPERIENCES

spe/ci/al/ty (noun). A skill or area of study that someone has spent much time and effort to master.

## OLDER GIRL COOKIE SEASON

Cookie Season is just around the corner and it'll come quicker than you think! Below are some special opportunities we would like to provide to our older Girl Scouts to help prepare them to prepare to be the best cookie entrepreneur:

## Beyond the Booth with Chick-fil-A

Older Girl Cookie Experience begins at the Chick-fil-A headquarters in Atlanta. The Chick-fil-A staff will be teaching our Girl Scouts how to have exceptional customer service and different ways they can market their cookie sales through the roof! Stay tuned for more info.

*\*Reach out to [cgarden@gsgatl.org](mailto:cgarden@gsgatl.org) with questions\**

## Cookie Rally

Cookie season prep will continue at this year's Cookie Rally! Cookie Rally is a great opportunity for Girl Scouts to learn some new Cookie sale skills and practice their sales pitch! This year will also include exclusive older girl activities and tables!

Save the Date:

12/9 - Cobb Galleria Center 10:00 am - 4:00 pm



## GET MOVING WITH GEM

Does your Cadette troop have a special interest in physical activity and healthy living?

The Girls Empowerment Movement (GEM) is a statewide program by girls, for girls to increase physical activity and fitness levels of Georgia's middle school girls! Troops who participate in GEM will help motivate almost 200,000 girls across Georgia to get moving by Taking Action in their communities.

Join us for our second year of the GEM program full of physical activity programming, leadership training, and the chance to earn your Silver Award!

**Ready to get moving? Join us for Girl Scouts Love State Parks Day on Sept. 9&10!**

**REGSITER HERE**

Contact [cgarden@gsgatl.org](mailto:cgarden@gsgatl.org) with questions!





## CAMP & OUTDOOR

girl/scout/camp (noun). Where girls come for adventure.  
To try new things. Make memories with friends.

### Camp Misty Mountain

Are you ready to take on the Zombies that have invaded Camp Misty Mountain? Come spend the weekend with us learning how to be prepared for anything! We will focus on each girl earning their first aid badge this weekend, learn how be prepared for an emergency, and have some fun while the Zombies begin to disappear as we learn!

Dates: 10/27 - 10/29

[REGISTER](#)

### Camp Meriwether

Composting and Canning! These are two of the most important skills for anyone interested in growing and preserving their own food. Join us this fall for a weekend designed to teach you the ins and outs of being more self-sustaining in your daily food needs. This event will allow Girl Scouts to learn about the process and importance of composting as well as preserving various food stuffs for the winter months like canning and dehydration.

Date: 11/3 - 11/5

[REGISTER](#)



## COMING SOON!

### Day at the Capitol

February 2024

Take a day to learn about advocacy and legislation. Join your sister Girl Scouts from around the state and discover the issues impacting girls in our community.

### Camp CEO

May 2024

Camp CEO is a fun, four-day overnight camp that brings together 30 girls and 30 of the Atlanta area's most accomplished women executives. Girls and senior-executive women will participate in camp and networking activities alike throughout the week.

### Journey to Justice

July 2024

If you are a problem solver, a changer-maker, or a community leader who uses your voice to fight for what is right—this is the place for you. Take the journey of a lifetime back through the Civil Rights era and explore how our justice heroes started a national movement for diversity, equality and inclusion in the U.S. South, and work with your Girl Scout sisters to learn how teens continue to answer the call for justice through grassroots organizing and bold action.

*Stay tuned for more updates on our [GSGATL Event Calendar](#).*



## HIGH AWARDS

world chan/ger. (noun). Leader changing the world for good by taking action in their communities and beyond.

### From Good to Gold Workshops

Are you planning to earn your Gold Award this year? This virtual workshop-style training is exclusively for girls who are ready to take their ideas From Good to Gold. This is a hands-on experience for the girls showing them how to start with an idea or an interest and develop it into a Gold Award Project. Registration opening soon--check our [events page](#) for details!  
Ages: Seniors & Ambassadors  
Cost: Free, must register  
Dates: 9/9, 10/14, 11/18, 12/7, and more to come in the spring!

## HIGH AWARDS HIGHLIGHT

Our High Award Highlight goes to NATALIE GEORGE, the 2023 National Gold Award Girl Scout scholarship recipient, earning \$18,000 in scholarship funds from our Council and GSUSA. Read more about her project below:

### Do Better, Buy Less

Fast fashion refers to the production of cheap, unsustainable clothing that harms the environment. Most people have never heard of this term, and aren't aware of the impact of their clothing. Natalie wanted her Gold Award to spread education and awareness about the negative impacts of fast fashion. So, she created multiple educational resources and held workshops. The resources are on the project's website, and have also been given to her local high school.

[READ MORE](#)

*For questions about the Gold Award, contact [goldawardsupport@gsgatl.org](mailto:goldawardsupport@gsgatl.org)*