

Troop #:

Troop Leader:

Tel: _____

Meeting:

Day/Time/Place

Parent's Guide to Girl Scouting

Discover + Connect + Take Action = Leadership

Girl Scout Leadership
Experience

Inspire her
WOW!



Get Social with US!

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Girl-led activities promote...

life **skills** sense of self **problem solvers**
values thinking critical
Cooperative Learning
team **building**



Girl Scouts leadership isn't just about building future leaders, it's about building girl leaders for today!

It is a journey, designed to help girls be confident leaders in their daily lives—and in the world.

Girl Scouts understands that girls have unique needs that are best met in a program designed specifically for them and delivered in an all-girl setting that provides a place where she can be herself and take on new challenges.

The Girl Scout Leadership Experience

There are so many exciting activities to participate in.

- **Amazing Friendships:** Develop teamwork skills and confidence in a friendly environment.
- **Service Projects:** Impact our community with a girl-led project.
- **Camp:** Zipline and ride horses at our properties with summer camp, family and troop camping.
- **Badges:** Focus on areas important to her (fitness, science, business) and earn badges for it.
- **Travel:** Take a trip to New York City's Broadway or Chalet in Switzerland. The possibilities are endless and costs can be offset or funded through cookies and other money earning activities.
- **Events & Ceremonies:** Themed community events throughout the year and you can share in our rich history with bridging ceremonies (i.e. Daisies bridging to Brownies) and by earning the Bronze, Silver, and Gold Awards.

Girls in grades 6-12, with special interests or skills can also start a themed group or series around a specific topic.

Choose Your Journey

At every program level, leadership Journey books guide girls on topics that matter most to them—science, art, cooking, and so much more.

What's cool about Girl Scouts is that there's a few ways to participate. She can choose a troop setting or independently as a 'Virtual Girl Scout.'

Troop —She will meet regularly with girls to create incredible experiences.

Independent — Virtual Girl Scouts' is designed for the busy girl who may not have time for scheduled troop meetings. She can still participate and connect with other girls through camp and events.



with Girl Scouts' Highest Awards and earn a college scholarship!



Girl Scouts' highest awards are designed to help girls in grades 9-12 learn the leadership skills through a project that makes a positive impact on her community, while growing in confidence and inspiring others, as she sets the stage for a lifetime of achievement.

Support the Experience

For more info visit:
GirlScoutsATL.org

Support Your Troop

Troops are successful when adults work together. *How can you help? Become a:*

- Troop Treasurer
- Troop Cookie Manager
- Chaperone

It starts with one day, one meeting, and one role model that shows her she can accomplish more than she ever imagined. At Girl Scouts, we want every girl to feel so excited about her future, because she knows she can achieve anything she sets her mind to.

It begins with YOU!

As a Girl Scout Volunteer, you'll introduce girls to new experiences that make every day the best day ever. To become a volunteer visit, **Volunteer. GirlScoutsATL.org**

Support Campaign

My Family Supports Girl Scouts

Girls and troops are more successful when parents join too. Show your support by registering as an adult member of the Girl Scout movement and your daughter will receive this My Family Supports patch. Each year for 5 years, she'll earn another rocker/bar.

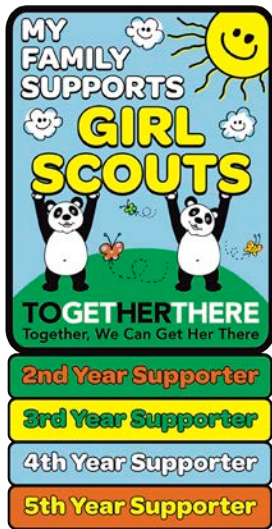
To qualify for the patch, girls must:

- Register one adult family member each year.
- Register a family member or adult friend for each girl.

Incentive Program details:

- Girls are awarded a patch the 1st year.
- Girls are awarded year bars the 2nd thru 5th year of participation.

Patches will be distributed to Troop Leaders. Use request form located on our website forms page.



No girl will be denied membership based on an inability to pay.

Annual Fund Campaign

Why Give to the Annual Fund?

Every penny of our Annual Fund stays right here in Greater Atlanta for program development whereas the **\$15** Membership Fee goes to Girl Scouts USA. We ask that each family make a **\$50** tax-deductible donation per girl, but every gift—no matter how big—makes a difference in the lives of our girls.

The Annual Fund campaign supports:

- Volunteer Training & Background Checks
- Camp Properties, Activities & Animals
- Financial Assistance...And much more!
- Donate when you register for membership via eBiz or by check to:

Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta
5601 North Allen Road
Mableton, GA 30126

As a **Special Thank You**, families who donate \$50 or more will receive our Invest in Girls patch for their daughter to wear proudly!

Questions?

Contact the Annual Fund Manager at
annualfund@gsgatl.org.



Girl Scout Uniforms and Books

Girl Scout Program Levels					
d	Daisy	K-1	c	Cadette	6-8
b	Brownie	2-3	s	Senior	9-10
j	Junior	4-5	a	Ambassador	11-12

Starter Kits – Every Girl Deserves Her Own

A Starter Kit has everything your daughter needs to start a fun-filled year of Girl Scouts! Included is *The Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting* and the Leadership Journey book of your choice.

GET STARTED WITH
STARTER KITS includes



Price Range: \$53 - \$76
Based on Customer Selections.

Shop Online or Find Store Locations at GirlScoutsATL.org/shop.

This is Girl Business!



The Skills
5 Girls
Learn



- 1 Goal Setting
- 2 Decision Making
- 3 Money Management
- 4 People Skills
- 5 Business Ethics

Help her run her own business and learn a lifetime of skills. She'll earn money for troop activities and community projects, as well as take home great rewards.

Treats & Keeps Program

Chocolates, Nuts, Magazines and Photo Keepsakes

September-November

helpline@gsgatl.org

Cookie Program

January-March

cookies@gsgatl.org