Ambassador Girl Scout Way



## **Badge Overview**

As a Girl Scout Ambassador, you're perfectly poised to help our sisterhood fly into its second powerful century. Though the badges, books, and presidents have changed along the way: Through song and celebration, service and action, the Movement continues to educate, inspire, and bring people together. Share our legacy in this badge as you spread your wings and launch Girl Scouting into the future.

## **Badge Components Part 1**

#### 1. Use song to bring people together or to spread a message

Earn this step by creating a songbook with at least 5 Girl Scout/camp songs that you know or find! You can create it digitally, or by hand with arts and craft supplies.

O Bonus! Next time you connect with your Girl Scout sisters, share your songbook with them and sing one of the songs together.

### 2. Celebrate World Thinking Day

World Thinking Dayis a day to celebrate international friendship.

- O Earn this step by first exploring Girl Scouting/Guiding around the world—the WAGGGS <u>site</u> is a great place to start.
- O Find the common values and create a collage to celebrate these common threads that tie international Girl Scouts and Guides together.
- O Bonus! Next time you connect with your Girl Scout sisters, share your collage with them.

#### 3. Share sisterhood around the world

Sisterhood extends beyond family relations, and even beyond your Girl Scout troop. There is a national sisterhood brought together under the Girl Scout Law, and an international one under the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts.

- O Earn this step by watching this video on the Stop the Violence campaign launched by WAGGGS in 2011.
- O Then, check out this page to learn more about the program and this issue that affects girls and women in every country.

## **Materials**

- · Something to write with
- Something to write on
- Access to internet

# Florida Educational Standards

The content of all Girl Scout national proficiency Badges and Journeys have been correlated by grade level to national and state learning objectives.

**Click here** for more information on how Girl Scout Badge-work supports Florida's educational standards.



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# **Badge Components Part 2**

#### 4. Leave your world better than you found it

Girl Scouts always strive to leave a place better than they found it. Earn this step by doing one of the two choices below.

- Reduce your trash! Recycling is a great way to reduce the amount of waste in landfills. Whether you already recycle or are just starting out, it is important you research what your city or county policies are regarding recycling, which you should be able to find on their government websites.
  - o You will want to ensure you recycle only the items that are a part of your area's program and that they are separated appropriately if needed.
  - o Note: If you do not have the appropriate bin(s), check to see if your area offers them for free or for a small fee.
- Reduce your food waste! Food waste accounts for almost a quarter of the waste in landfills, and there are multiple ways you can reduce your waste.
  - o One way is to find ways to utilize all of an ingredient. For example, you can use stale bread to make croûtons or breadcrumbs
  - o Another way is through composting, which reduces your waste and creates something that can help your yard and plants. This page goes over the benefits and basics to get you started.
    - For how-to make your own outdoor composting bin check out this page.
    - For an indoor option, check out this page. You can also find other options online or purchase
      a bin specifically designed for composting.

### 5. Enjoy Girl Scout traditions!

One of the oldest Girl Scout traditions is knot-tying.

Earn this step by learning some new knots with this GSUSA blog post. You can use things like rope, yarn, string, or shoelaces to practice along with the videos!

# Ambassador Girl Scout Way (continued)



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