

# —🌸— Be an Honor Juliette! —🌸—

Being an Honor Juliette combines a mix of best practices for safety and girl program, while participating in a wide variety of engaging activities. According to girl and parent/caregiver feedback, the most successful Girl Scout experience is one with a variety of activities. Try to include as many of these activities in your Juliette's year plan as possible.

Each Juliette will be eligible for an Honor Juliette patch if she completes all three required items (listed below in bold), in addition to at least **ten elements** of the Honor Juliette checklist. Complete the online Honor Juliette survey by June 15.

## GSGCF Honor Juliette Checklist

- Have a Juliette mentor adult who is registered and has completed a background check.**
- Create a year plan in the Volunteer Toolkit.
- Participate in at least two Girl Scout traditions (See FAQ for examples).
- Juliette Mentor attends at least one Service Unit meeting.
- Earn four or more badges or awards from the Girl Scout Leadership Experience curriculum.**
- Complete at least one Journey.
- Participate in at least one outdoor adventure.
- Complete at least one STEM badge or activity.
- Participate in the Mags and Munchies program.
- Participate in the cookie program.**
- Take at least one field trip away from home to complete a badge or Journey requirement.
- Demonstrate at least two ways your Juliette experience is girl-led.
- Complete at least one community service or Take Action project.
- Attend at least one service unit or council event, either virtually or in-person.
- Renew membership during Early Bird renewal season in the spring.
- Invite at least one friend to experience Girl Scouts. review by June 1.

***Juliettes that complete ALL requirements will be entered to win a gift card to GirlScoutShop.com.***

We encourage you to share your success. Please send photos of your Juliette activities to [marketing@gsgcf.org](mailto:marketing@gsgcf.org) and include girl name and a brief description of the activity in the photos. Please be aware that by submitting photos, you give GSGCF permission for the photos to be used on council social media, print, and/or digital materials.

# Honor Juliette Frequently Asked Question's

## ***What qualifies as a Girl Scout tradition?***

Learn or practice the Girl Scout Promise and Law, make SWAPS, learn a Girl Scout song, have a Girl Scout's Own ceremony, celebrate a Girl Scout holiday, etc.

## ***How do I know when the service unit meetings are?***

Each service unit hosts a regularly scheduled meeting, usually monthly, during the school year. Your Juliette liaison can provide the details of your service unit meeting. Participating in service unit meetings is a great way to stay plugged into all Girl Scouts has to offer, as well as receive training and information for the product programs.

## ***Do fun patches count for earned badges and awards?***

No. Badges and awards may include GSUSA badges, Bronze, Silver, and Gold awards, Journeys, CIT pins, My Promise My Faith awards, Global Action Awards, etc.

## ***What counts as "participation" in the product programs?***

Juliette must have a registered and background checked Juliette mentor adult who completed product program training, and the Juliette should set a goal and work toward it. Juliettes must sell a minimum of ten items in the Mags and Munchies program or 36 packages in the cookie program.

## ***What does it mean to be "girl-led" and how would we demonstrate that?***

Girl-led means that girls are playing an active part in figuring out the "what, where, when, how, and why" of their activities. While a Daisy and Ambassador can demonstrate this in different ways, the opportunity to help create their unique Girl Scout experience should be available to all girls. How did your Juliette plan their field trip or ceremony? Was your girl given a choice as to what badges or Journey to work on? These are all ways you can demonstrate your Juliette's experience is girl-led.

## ***What time frame counts for the Honor Juliette checklist activities?***

Please only include activities your Juliette completes between July 1 and May 31 each year.

## ***Can an activity count toward multiple requirements, such as a STEM camp?***

The intent of the Honor Juliette is to provide girls with a variety of activities. Please choose the single best category for each activity.

## ***What do you mean by "invite a friend?"***

You can encourage a friend to attend a recruitment event or activity or to join you for a Girl Scout badge or Journey activity to introduce them to the Girl Scout program.

## ***When will we receive our patch?***

Honor Juliette patches will be ordered from our vendor after the survey closes on June 15. Late submissions cannot be accepted. Patches may take 4-6 weeks to arrive. Girls achieving Honor Juliette in future years will receive a year bar. Girls moving to a new level may receive a new Honor Juliette patch.

