

Girl Scout Gold Award

Seniors & Ambassadors work independently to build a team of trusted adults and peers to earn the highest achievement in Girl Scouting, the Gold Award.

Eligibility

Senior or Ambassador Girl Scout Minimum of 80 project hours Earned by an individual Girl Scout

Prerequisites

Complete 1 Senior/Ambassador Journey (if earned Silver Award) or 2 Senior/Ambassador Journeys. Take GSU's Gold Award Training.

7 Steps to Gold

- * Research an issue you are passionate about and identify the root cause.
- * Submit a paragraph about your idea to GSU
- * Form a team of experts and people in your community to help you.
- * Submit your proposal in GoGold & attend an initial interview.
- * Lead your team in implementing your project
- * Submit your final report in GoGold & attend a final interview.
- * Reflect on the change you've made, share your story, and inspire others to make a difference!

Final Deadlines for Graduating Girl Scouts

- * Submit project idea by beginning of the membership year in which you will graduate.
- * Receive approval on your project proposal by March.
- * Submit final report by August 31.
- * Final project approval by September 30.

Recommended (not required!) Timeline: 1–1.5 years

Complete Senior Journey (9th grade)

If you haven't earned Silver Award, complete a second Journey (10th grade)

Brainstorm ideas, research, and submit your project idea. (~1 month)

Additional research, work with committee liaison, build your team, and create a full project plan (several months)

Submit Project Proposal, reviews with Gold Award Committee, and interview with the committee (~1 month)

Implement Project (several months—dependent on the project)

Write and submit Final Report, project review with Gold Award Committee, and final interview (1-2 months)

Visit www.gsutah.org/gold-award for more information on earning your Gold Award.

