



Quick Guide: Bronze Award

Before you begin: All Girl Scouts are required to complete one Junior Girl Scout level journey, including the journey's Take Action project before working on the Bronze Award

Who: Girl Scout Juniors- Girl Scouts may not begin working on their Bronze Award prerequisites until October 1, of their 4th grade year.

What: Girl Scouts' highest award for Juniors!

When: Complete as a Junior Girl Scout

How:

1. Build your Girl Scout Team
2. Explore your community
3. Choose your Bronze Award Project
4. Make a Plan- Girl Scouts should spend 20 hours (not including time spent on prerequisites) planning and implementing their project.
5. Put your plan in motion
6. Spread the word
7. You've earned the Bronze Award!

Find the Bronze Award Guidelines and other resources on our Council website: www.gscnc.org/bronzeaward



Frequently Asked Questions

Q: How many hours are required to earn the Bronze Award?

A: Junior Girl Scouts should spend 20 hours of time planning and implementing their project. This time does not include time spent on prerequisites. Girl Scouts are responsible for their own 20 hours of time.

Q: Does council need to approve our project idea before beginning the award?

A: No, GSCNC does not need to preapprove the project before you begin.

Q: Does council need to approve the project once the project is complete?

A: No, GSCNC does not need to approve the Bronze Award. It is a troop leader approved project.

Q: Is there an annual council-wide recognition ceremony for Girl Scouts who earn the Bronze Award?

A: No, GSCNC does not have a Council wide recognition ceremony for the Bronze Award. Your Troop, Service Unit or Association may choose to recognize the Girl Scouts with a ceremony in a way that is most meaningful to the Girl Scouts.

Q: How does a troop leader purchase the Bronze Awards?

A: Troop leaders may purchase the Bronze Award by visiting any of our GSCNC shop locations or by calling 202-274-3312.

Q: Where do I find the details regarding Bronze Award guidelines?

A: Please visit the Bronze Award page on the GSCNC website for the Bronze Guidelines and more information.

Q: Can troops request in-kind donations from local businesses or friends and family members to support the Bronze Award project?

A: Yes, in-kind donations may be sought. Girl Scouts should write a formal letter requesting donations from businesses. If they visit a business in person, they should wear their Girl Scout uniform. Girl Scouts should speak about their project when requesting donations. An adult must do the actual ask for the donation, Girl Scouts do not handle the money.