

Awards	Girl Scout Bronze Award®	Girl Scout Silver Award®	Girl Scout Gold Award®
Grade	Girls must be in 4 th or 5 th grades and a registered Girl Scout Junior	Girls must be in 6 th , 7 th , or 8 th grades and a registered Girl Scout Cadette	Girl must be in the 9 th , 10 th , 11 th or 12 th grades and a registered Girl Scout Senior or Ambassador
Overview	Complete a Junior Journey. Be part of a group where girls take the lead. Take action on a community issue the group cares about. Help and guidance provided by the volunteer. *Council approval needed for any additional money-earning. Suggested *minimum hours included in the girl, adult, and council materials.	Complete a Cadette Journey. Work as an individual or in a small group where girls take the lead. Take action on a community issue the girls care about. Help and guidance provided by the volunteer. *Council approval needed for any additional money-earning. Suggested *minimum hours included in the girl, adult, and council materials.	Complete two Journeys (Senior or Ambassador) or earn the Silver Award and complete on Senior or Ambassador Journey. Individually girl-led; girl selects and recruits her project advisor. Take action on a community issue the girl cares about. Help and guidance provided by the project advisor. *Council approval needed for any additional money-earning. Suggested *minimum hours included in the girl, adult, and council materials.
*Minimum Hours	Bronze Award: 20 hours	Silver Award: 50 hours	Gold Award: 80 hours
Take Action Project	Group Take Action project focuses on something the girls care about that they would like to improve within their Girl Scout or local community. Puts the Girl Scout Promise and Law into action.	Individual or group Take Action project focuses on something the girls care about and makes the local neighborhood or community better. Puts the Girl Scout Promise and Law into action.	Individual Take Action project focuses on something the girl cares about and makes a lasting impact in the local community, region, or beyond. Puts the Girl Scout Promise and Law into action.
Sustainable	After the project is complete, girls develop an understanding of sustainability by talking together about how solutions can be lasting.	Girls demonstrate an understanding of sustainability in the project plan and implementation.	Take Action project includes provisions to ensure sustainability.
Global	After the project is complete, girls develop an understanding of the wider world by talking together about how others may experience the same problem that their project helped resolve.	Girls connect with new friends outside their immediate community, learn how others have solves similar problems, and determine whether others' ideas can help with their plan.	Girl identifies national and/or global links to their selected issue. Learns from others and develops a plan to share the results of project beyond the local community.
Project Approval	Volunteer (Troop Co-Leader or Project Advisor); submit final report to council	Volunteer (Troop Co-Leader or Project Advisor); submit final report to council	Council's Gold Award Committee approval required for proposal and final report; submit proposal and final report to council via GoGold
Resources	Junior Journey Book Bronze Award Guidelines on GSUSA website Council guide on gsvsc.org website Adult guide on GSUSA website Council learning opportunities (in-person & online workshops)	Cadette Journey Book Silver Award Guidelines on GSUSA website Council guide on gsvsc.org website Adult guide on GSUSA website Council learning opportunities (in-person & online workshops)	Senior and/or Ambassador Journey Books Gold Award Guidelines on GSUSA website Council guide on gsvsc.org website GoGold Online Adult guide on GSUSA website Council learning opportunities (in-person & online workshops)