



New Troop

Jumpstart

- ✓ New friends.
- ✓ Exciting adventures.
- ✓ Making a difference.




Launch a Girl Scout troop today—there's no better time than now to get started. **Register between August 18–October 1 to be eligible for our New Troop Jumpstart.** New troops will receive \$100 in start-up funds when the following occurs within 30 days of registering:

- ▶ Two leaders complete their background checks
- ▶ Take their required trainings
- ▶ Open the troop's bank account



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Ready, Set, Change Lives!

7 Steps to Becoming a Girl Scout Leader

The benefits of being a Girl Scout leader are many: grow as a leader yourself by developing new skills and talents (and enhance your resume!), become part of a network where you'll find friendships that stand the test of time, engage with your community to make the world a better place, and enjoy new adventures while creating memories.

1. Find adults to be co-leaders

- Troops must have two, unrelated adults registered as troop leaders.
- No prior GS experience is needed!

2. Rally girls to join the troop

- Troops must have a minimum of two girls.
- Troops have girls from the same community, school, or neighborhood.

3. Spread the word about the troop

- Council can help with this!
- Use social media and word-of-mouth.

4. Sign-up as a troop leader

- Register as an annual Girl Scout member and troop leader.

5. Complete your background check

- Help ensure the safety of our girls by completing a background check.

6. Start your leader training

- Complete online training courses.

7. Be introduced to your support network

- Discuss your personalized next steps with Council staff

Troop Leaders...

- Teach girls they can do and be anything!
- Encourage girls to build their skills and ethics.
- Mentor girls as they grow as decision-makers.

INTERESTED IN STARTING A DAISY TROOP
(Kindergarten and First Grade) IN HARMONY
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