girl scouts spirit of nebraska

Girl Scouts: A Little Bit of Everything! Challenge 2024



1. Your limited-edition Earliest Bird 2024 patch is on its way to you, ready to be added to your tunic, vest, or sash once you complete the suggested activities for your level.

   Number of Activities Suggested for Each Grade Level:

Daisy = 3	Junior = 5	Senior = 8 + 1 "Older Girl" Activity
Brownie = 4	Cadette = 6	Ambassador = 8 + 1 "Older Girl" Activity

2. Share the fun and show off your Earliest Bird accomplishments by sharing your photos/videos for our social media or Girl Scout publications. Tag us with #GSSN or #EarliestBird2024—or **email photos to Marketing**.

Challenge Options for All Grade Levels

- ☐ 1. Explore Nebraska's native plants and animals—have you spotted any in your area?
- ☐ 2. Learn three knot types like the square knot or bowline, then challenge family and friends to a knot-tying relay race.
- ☐ 3. Turn trash into treasure by repurposing discarded items found around your home.
- ☐ 4. Invite friends to join Girl Scouts and brainstorm four activities to enjoy together using our **Event Calendar** for ideas.
- ☐ 5. Using your favorite art medium, create a mural that represents the community you live in.
- ☐ 6. Select four exciting programs from the **2024 Girl's Guide to Summer Fun** to attend.
- ☐ 7. Research **Girl Scout camps in Nebraska**, plan to visit a new one this summer.
- ☐ 8. Impress loved ones with a delicious meal by learning a favorite recipe from a relative, cookbook, or cooking program.
- ☐ 9. Experiment with new s'mores recipes—incorporating ingredients like peanut butter cups or Girl Scout Cookies.
- ☐ 10. Explore the stars at a local observatory and identify the constellations in your area. Learn how you can earn one of the Space Science badges.
- ☐ 11. Enhance physical and mental health through yoga—try classes at a local studio or online.
- ☐ 12. Combat climate change by participating in the **Girl Scout Climate Challenge**.
- ☐ 13. Make a positive impact on the environment with the **Girl Scout Tree Promise**, solving community issues through teamwork.
- ☐ 14. Learn ten interesting facts about **Juliette Gordon Low**, the founder of the Girl Scout Movement, and share them with others.
- ☐ 15. Visit a farmer's market with a friend, try a new fruit or vegetable, and expand your palate.
- ☐ 16. Explore **travel opportunities** offered by Girl Scouts Spirit of Nebraska; plan your next adventure today.
- ☐ 17. Celebrate **World Thinking Day** by raising awareness and fundraising for Girl Guides and Girl Scouts worldwide.
- ☐ 18. Utilize Cookie Dough and Nut Bucks at **Juliette's Boutique** to discover new items.
- ☐ 19. Capture troop memories through fun photos and videos then share them for a chance to be featured on social media or in our Girl Scout **publications**. Email your photos/videos **to Marketing**.

Challenge Options for Older Girls

- ☐ 1. Before your next camping trip, master the seven principles of **Leave No Trace** and pass on your knowledge by teaching younger girls or troops.
- ☐ 2. Explore entrepreneurship by researching its significance and discovering a woman-owned company, perhaps even locally.
- ☐ 3. Promote the Girl Scout message by creating engaging social media posts and tagging them with *#GSSN #GirlScouts #GirlScoutsNE.*
- ☐ 4. Investigate the **Highest Awards in Girl Scouts**, understand the requirements for your grade, and consider attending **a workshop** to learn more.
- ☐ 5. Create a vision board by cutting out images and words from old magazines that represent your future aspirations, then display it in your room for motivation.
- ☐ 6. Discover the **five World Centres** in Girl Scouts, research their locations and activities, and dream of visiting one someday.
- ☐ 7. **Convert your Cookie Dough and Nut Bucks into Travel Bucks** to fund Girl Scout trips or **Destinations** and learn more about their usage today.