

# **Junior Awards**

#### My Promise, My Faith Award (earn one per year)

- Choose one line from the Girl Scout Law. Find a story, song, or poem from your faith with the same ideas. Talk with your family or friends about what the Law and the story, song, or poem have in common.
- Find a woman in your own or another faith community. Ask her how she tries to use that line of the Law in her life.
- Gather three inspirational quotes by women that fit with that line of the Girl Scout Law. Put them where you can see them every day!
- Make something to remind you of what you've learned. It might be a drawing, painting, or poster. You could also make up a story or a skit.
- Make a commitment to live what you've learned. You may want to talk to your friends, family, or a group in your faith community about how you plan to keep the connection between your faith and the law strong. Maybe you'd enjoy performing your skit or showing them what you made! Or you can choose to make a personal commitment to yourself, by writing a commitment statement that you keep private.

# Safety Award

· Earn this award by completing three steps found in Girl Scout Safety Award Directions.

#### **Global Action Award**

• Complete the five steps listed in the <u>Activity Guide for Daisies</u>, <u>Brownies</u>, and Juniors.

### **World Thinking Day Award**

Complete the five steps listed in the <u>World Thinking Day Activity Guide for Daisies</u>,
Brownies, and Juniors.

## **Journey Summit Award**

• Earn this award by completing three National Leadership Award Junior Journeys.

## Cookie Entrepreneur Family Pin (earn one each year)

• Complete the five steps listed on the **Cookie Entrepreneur Guide** with your family.

#### **Junior Aide**

- Get Ready: Talk with your adult volunteer or the person who is helping you in Girl Scouting about becoming a Junior Aide. With their help or with the help of your Girl Scout council, find a group of Girl Scout Daisies or Brownies you can work with.
- Get Set: Talk to the adult volunteer who guides the group of younger Girl Scouts. Find out what you can do to help out. Arrange with the adult volunteer the times, dates, and places that you will get together with the younger girls. Discuss with her the activities you would like to help with for at least three meetings.
- Go: meet with the younger girls. Partner with an adult volunteer to guide the activities you chose.

#### **Bridge to Girl Scout Cadettes Award**

At the end of your 5th grade Girl Scout year complete the following 2 bridging steps.

**Pass It On**: Share your talents and skills by teaching younger Girl Scouts something you learned to do as a Junior. Below are a few ideas to get you started. You only have to do one of these, or something like it, to complete the step.

- Invite Brownies to attend one of your meetings and share something that will make them look forward to being a Girl Scout Junior.
- Invite girls your age who are not Girl Scouts to join you in a fun activity.
- Team up with the girls in your group who earned a Bronze Award and hold a question and answer session for interested Brownies.

**Look Ahead**: There's no better way to find out what you have to look forward to than by talking with your Cadette sisters. Below are some ideas, but you only have to do one to complete the step.

- · Ask a Girl Scout Cadette to talk to you about her experiences.
- Do you want to work on your Silver Award? Find a Cadette who has earned this honor and ask her for tips.
- · Talk to Cadettes about which Journeys they went on.

**Meritorious Service Awards** (These awards require the completion of an application packet and approval by both GSofSI and GSUSA.)

- Medal of Honor: This award is given to a Girl Scout who has shown presence of mind and true Girl Scout spirit in an emergency.
- Bronze Cross: This award is given to a girl who has shown extraordinary heroism or risked her life to save another's.

**Girl Scout Bronze Award** (Deadline September 30 after graduating from 6th grade)

This is the highest award a Girl Scout Junior can earn.

- · Complete at least one Junior Girl Scout Journey.
- Review the GSUSA steps on the **Girl Scout Bronze Award Guidelines**.
- · Complete your **Bronze Award Final Report.**

