

Scholarship Application: Girl Membership

This form can also be completed online [here](#).

Girl Scouts – Dakota Horizons (GSDH) is committed to providing all girls the opportunity to participate in the Girl Scout Leadership Experience. The GSDH Girl Membership Scholarship is designed to assist new and renewing girl members in our council jurisdiction by providing supplemental resources beyond a family’s ability to pay. Scholarship allocations are subject to availability within the council’s current operating budget. The eligibility and important information below are offered to outline the application process and help navigate the council’s procedure.

ELIGIBILITY

- Available to new or renewing girl members
- Form must be completed in FULL and submitted by the parent/guardian on behalf of their girl
- Girl scholarship applicants/family must:
 - Be in good financial standing with the council
 - Commit to assisting with transportation to and from activities and other needs as able/willing

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Applications are kept confidential.
- GSDH encourages girls and families to contribute to membership dues and add the amount the household can pay to the application.
 - A copy of the application and contribution payments should be remitted to GSDH Headquarters at the time of application.
- Scholarships are not granted to an entire troop
- Scholarships will not be provided for funds already spent
- When GSDH’s annual operating budget allows and applicant qualifies, GSDH scholarships will be awarded as follows:

Girl	Requirements	Membership Dues Scholarship
New Member (1st year)	1. Complete Scholarship Application 2. Receive free/reduced meals or provide a compelling statement of need	Up to \$35 annual membership dues
Renewing (2+ years)	1. Complete Scholarship Application 2. Receive free/reduced meals or provide a compelling statement of need	Up to \$25 annual membership dues

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GIRL INFORMATION

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

County _____ School Name _____

Date of Birth _____ Grade (Correspond to the Girl Scout Year, Oct 1 - Sept 30) _____

Girl Scout Level: Daisy (K-1st) Brownie (2nd-3rd) Junior (4th-5th)
 Cadette (6th-8th) Senior (9th-10th) Ambassador (11th-12th)

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Name _____ Email _____

Phone (Home) _____ Phone (Cell) _____ Phone (Work) _____

GIRL PARTICIPATION INFORMATION

How does she participate in Girl Scouts? Individually Registered Member Troop # _____ Unsure

Did girl member participate in Cookie or Fall Sale Programs? (check all that apply)

Yes, Fall Sale Program Yes, Cookie Sale Program No, she/troop did not participate
 No, she's a new member Unsure

Has girl member received a scholarship from GSDH in the past? Yes No Unsure

HOUSEHOLD FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Dependents in Home _____ Girl Scouts in Home _____ Adult Girl Scouts in Home _____

Does girl qualify for: Reduced Meals Free Meals Neither

Household Statement of Need (check all that apply)

Medical bills Single family income Receives federal assistance in addition to free/reduced school lunches
 Children attend Title I school Homeless Other _____

REQUEST FOR SCHOLARSHIP

Girl Scouts - Dakota Horizons encourages troops and service units to support girl and adult members. Each group manages their money independently following council guidelines and can award scholarships at their discretion. Inquire with the Troop Co-Leader and/or Service Unit Manager regarding availability of funds.

Type	Dues	Who	Valid Dates
Extended Year 2018 & 2019 Girl Membership	\$35	NEW Members Only	May 1, 2018—September 30, 2019
2019 Girl Membership	\$25	New or renewing	October 1, 2018—September 30, 2019

Membership Option:

- Extended Year 2018 & 2019 Girl Membership
 2019 Girl Membership

1. Annual Membership Dues Total _____

Projected Contributions

Enter amounts each party will contribute in lines 2-5

2. Family _____
3. Girl's Dakota Dough _____
4. Troop _____
5. Service Unit _____
6. Total Contributions _____

Add lines 2-5

Total Scholarship Requested _____

