

What You'll Need:

- Volunteers
- Paper to write down answers for all to see or chalkboard.
- Girl Scout Trivia Handout
- Girl Scout Trivia Answers (attached)

Time: 10 – 15 minutes

Questions? Comments?
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Girl Scout History



Juliette "Daisy" Gordon Low assembled 18 girls from Savannah, Georgia, on March 12, 1912, for a local Girl Scout meeting. She believed that all girls should be given the opportunity to develop physically, mentally and spiritually. With the goal of bringing girls out of isolated home environments and into community service and the open air, Girl Scouts hiked, played basketball, went on camping trips, learned how to tell time by the stars and studied first aid. Within a few years, Daisy's dream for a girl-centered organization was realized.

Today, Girl Scouts of the USA has a membership of nearly 3 million girls and adults, a significant growth from its modest beginnings nearly a century ago. In fact, more than 50 million women in the U.S. today are Girl Scout alumnae. We invite you to learn about our robust organization and its rich history. From our willingness to tackle important societal issues, to our commitment to diversity and inclusiveness—Girl Scouts is dedicated to every girl, everywhere.

Instructions:

1. Ask the volunteers to think of all the different things that make Girl Scouting unique? Consider our values, activities, traditions, mission—why are we special?

Suggested answers can include:

- Girl Scout Promise and Law
- Friendship Circle
- World Thinking Day (Feb. 22)
- Girl Scout Cookies
- Girl Scout Trefoil
- Juliette Gordon Low
- WAGGGS
- The Gold, Silver, and Bronze Awards
- Badges
- *The Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting*
- Journey's
- Bridging
- Program Aides
- Buddy system
- Dunk bag
- Fly up
- Daisy Flower and Petals

2. Make copies of the attached Girl Scout Trivia or call out the questions, and see how much your volunteers know about Girl Scouting. Share answers.

If time permits, have volunteers come up with additional Trivia questions.

Girl Scout Trivia Handout

What do you know?

1. Who is the founder of Girl Scouts?

- Daisy Powell
- Juliette Bow
- Juliette Gordon Low
- Julie Brown

2. What are the six levels of Girl Scouts?

- Brownie, Daisy, Robin, Cadette, Senior, Delegate
- Bluebird, Brownie, Junior, Cadette, Senior, Ambassador
- Cadette, Pansy, Brownie, Junior, Senior, Ambassador
- Daisy, Brownie, Junior, Cadette, Senior, Ambassador

3. What is the Girl Scout motto?

- 'Be Prepared'
- 'Be Ready'
- 'Do Your Best'
- 'Have Fun'

4. What year was the first Girl Scout troop chartered?

- 1921
- 1913
- 1912
- 1910

5. How many fingers does a girl hold up when saying the Girl Scout Promise?

- 1
- 4
- 2
- 3

6. What color uniform does a Girl Scout Daisy wear?

- Blue
- Tan
- Brown
- Green

7. On what date each year do Girl Scouts celebrate Thinking Day –a day set aside to think about Girl Scout sisters around the world?

- February 12
- February 23
- February 22
- February 21

8. What was the founder of Girl Scouts nickname?

- 'Daisy'
- 'Violet'
- 'Rose'
- 'Jewel'

9. What U.S. holiday is celebrated the same day as the founder of Girl Scouts birthday?

- Christmas
- Thanksgiving
- Valentine's Day
- Halloween

Girl Scout Trivia

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Answer Sheet

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