

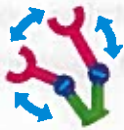


# New Journeys and Badges

Here's the inside scoop on our newest  
STEM and Outdoor programs!

New Girl Scout offerings for STEM and Outdoor are on the way! Each is topic-specific, aligned to the five program outcomes, and can be used as a prerequisite to the Bronze, Silver, and Gold Awards. Look for these new Journeys and badges as they roll out **this summer** at your Girl Scout council. Until then, here's a sneak peek at what's coming.

## STEM JOURNEYS



**Engineering | Think Like an Engineer** Girls learn how to think like a designer by participating in hands-on design challenges and completing a Take Action project.

DEVELOPED IN PARTNERSHIP WITH WGBH/DESIGN SQUAD. DAISY THROUGH JUNIOR, MULTI-LEVEL (K-5) ● ● ● ●

**Computer Science | Think Like a Programmer** Girls participate in interactive computational-thinking activities to learn how programmers solve problems. Girls also complete a Take Action project. DEVELOPED IN PARTNERSHIP WITH CODE.ORG. DAISY THROUGH JUNIOR, MULTI-LEVEL (K-5) ● ● ● ●

**Outdoor STEM | Think Like a Citizen Scientist** Girls learn the scientific method by undertaking a citizen science project that involves making observations, collecting data, and working with scientists to receive feedback on research and findings. Girls also complete a Take Action project. DEVELOPED IN PARTNERSHIP WITH SCISTARTER. DAISY THROUGH JUNIOR,

MULTI-LEVEL (K-5) ● ● ● ●

## OUTDOOR JOURNEY



**Outdoor** Anchored by the Troop Camping badge, this new Journey will deepen girls' outdoor skills through badges that lead to a Take Action project and inspire girls to take an interest in environmental stewardship. DAISY THROUGH AMBASSADOR ● ● ● ● ● ●



## BADGES

**Engineering | Robotics** Girls design their own robots after learning how they're built and programmed. "Unplugged" activities allow girls to earn badges without buying kits.

DAISY THROUGH JUNIOR ● ● ●

**Engineering | Mechanical Engineering** Girls complete hands-on engineering activities, such as building and testing roller coasters, race cars, and jumping robots.

DEVELOPED IN PARTNERSHIP WITH GOLDIEBLOX. DAISY THROUGH BROWNIE ● ●

**Girls' Choice | Troop Camping** This year, girls from across the United States had the chance to vote for their favorite badge category and topic. And the winner is...Troop Camping! DAISY THROUGH AMBASSADOR ● ● ● ● ● ● ●

**New Daisy Badges** Two new Daisy badges, Outdoor Art Maker and Good Neighbor, give Daisies a chance to get in on the creativity other Girl Scouts already enjoy and discover all about their school, city or town, and state! DAISY ●





## The Girl Scout Leadership Experience

























Through Girl Scouting, girls unleash their skills, talents, and passions. They connect with other Girl Scouts and people in their communities, *and* they take action to change the world. Our program is girl-led, so girls team up and work together to explore the things that interest them most as they learn by doing. That's how Girl Scouts unleash their inner G.I.R.L. (Go-getter, Innovator, Risk-taker, Leader)<sup>™</sup> as they achieve the five leadership outcomes:

- Sense of self • Positive values • Challenge seeking**
- Healthy relationships • Community problem solving**



# New Program Content at a Glance

Key:  = On VTK July 18;  = On VTK as PDF Mid-August  
 Shading: Light orange are Journeys; Blue are Badges. Note: \*Outdoors is technically both; it's a journey comprised of badges.

	Daisy	Brownie	Junior	Cadette	Senior	Ambassador	Multi-Level	Available on VTK	Available for download in online store	Available for purchase in Council store
Journey	Think Like an Engineer							✓		
	Think Like a Programmer							✓		
	Think Like a Citizen Scientist							✓		
Badge	Outdoors							✓	✓	✓
	Robotics	 3	 3					✓	✓	✓
	Goldie Blox/Engineering	 3	 3					✓	Available September	
	Troop Camping							✓	✓	✓
	Civic Engagement		Already Available	Already Available	Already Available	Already Available	Already Available	✓	✓	✓

# How to Access New Program Content

**Leader**

New Badge Requirement Booklets can be purchased from the Shop or online.

Meeting Plans for new Badges and Journeys are found on VTK.

New Journey Requirements are found ONLY on VTK.

**Individually Registered Girls (Juliettes)**

New Badge Requirement Booklets can be purchased from the Shop or online.

Meeting Plans for new Badges and Journeys available on VTK Demo site.

New Journey Requirements are ONLY found on VTK Demo site.

**Trainer**

New Badge Requirement Booklets can be purchased from the Shop or online.

Meeting Plans for new Badges and Journeys available on VTK Demo site.

PDFs of New Journeys available upon request through AVD.

**Parents**

New Badge Requirement Booklets can be purchased from the Shop or online.

You are able to view the Year Plan and Resources for each meeting plan on VTK once the leader creates the Year Plan.

Ask your leader for copies of the new Journey Meeting Plans if your daughter is completing on her own.

**Other Administrative Volunteers**

New Badge Requirement Booklets can be purchased from the Shop or online.

Meeting Plans for new Badges and Journeys available on VTK Demo site.