

girl scouts of greater mississippi





Girl Scouts and Project WILD:

A Supplemental Guide to connecting Skill Building Badges and WILD Activities

Instructions and Information

Girl Scout Badge

This column shows the Girl Scout badge name and image that can be earned in part or in total when the correlated Project WILD activity is completed

Badge Requirements

This column shows the Girl Scout Skill Building Badge requirements that are met when the correlated Project WILD activity is completed

The Step and choice option that best correlates with the identified Project WILD activity is noted below.

*In order to earn the Skill Building Badge, where all required steps are not included in this Guide, see the appropriate Girl Scout Age Level Girl Guide for remaining Badge requirements.

All Girl Scout Skill Building Badges have 5 required steps to be earned; each step offers 3 choice options to meet the requirements of each step.

Project WILD Activity

This column shows the Project WILD activity and page # where the activity details can be found in the Project WILD Curriculum and Activity Guide that facilitates the correlated Girl Scout Skill Building Badge and requirements

Each Project WILD activity listed below is numbered based on the correlated Girl Scout Skill Building Badge steps and choice options.

i.e. (1.a.b. Drawing on Nature p285)
Meets the Bugs Badge requirements for step 1,
choices A and B and can be found on pg. 285 in
the Project WILD Curriculum and Activity
Guide.

(4.a.b.i. Graphananimal p 49
Meets the Bugs Badge requirements for step 4,
choices A and B and can be found on pg. 49 in
the Project WILD Curriculum and Activity
Guide.

4.a.b.ii. My Kingdom for a Shelter p 28)
Is a second option, which meets the Bugs
Badge requirements for step 4, choices A and
B and can be found on pg. 28 in the Project
WILD Curriculum and Activity Guide.

Girl Scout Badge	Badge Requirements	Project WILD Activity			
Brownies					
Bugs Badge	Step 1. Draw a Bug Poster Choice A: Talk to a Bug Specialist Choice B: Find Websites about your bug	1.a.b. Drawing on Nature p2852. Spider Web Geometry p 34			
	Step 2: Try a Bug Craft Step 3: See Bugs in Action Choice B: Find an ant trail Step 4: Explore Bug Homes Choice A: Draw a Cocoon Choice B: Make a Model of a bug house Step 5: Take a Bug Fieldtrip Choice C: Visit a Museum, Zoo or Botanical Garden with a bug collection	3.b. Ants on a Twig p.88 4.a.b.i. Graphananimal p 49 4.a.b.ii. My Kingdom for a Shelter p 28 5.c. Museum Search for Wildlife p182			
*Senses Badge	Step 1: Look Around Choice A: Hold a Scavenger Hunt Choice B: Play Kim's Game Choice C: Go on a Window Hunt Step 2: Listen to the World Choice A: Listen to 10 Different Sounds	1.a.i Microtrek Treasure hunt p 82 1.a.ii. Learning to Look, Looking to See p 278 1.a.iii. First Impressions p 178 1.c.i. Saturday Morning Wildlife Watching p184 1.c.ii. Microtrek Treasure hunt p 82 2.a.i. Bird Song Survey p 406 2.a.ii. Noisy Neighbors, p 317			

*Snacks Badge



Step 1: Jump into the World of Snacks Choice B: Is the Food Good for the Earth? 1.b.i. What's for Dinner? p96 1.b.ii. What did Your Lunch Cost Wildlife? p68 1.b.iii. The Lobster in your Lunchbox p 245

Girl Scout Badge	Badge Requirements	Project WILD Activity
	Juniors	
*Drawing Badge	Step 1: Experiment With Different Materials Choice B: Use Color Step 3: Get Some Perspective Choice A: Draw an Outdoor Scene Choice B: Zoom in on an Object Choice C: Take a Bug's-eye view Step 4: Use your Imagination like a Graphic Artist Choice B: Draw a Cartoon	1.b. Color Crazy p 2 3.a.b.c. Drawing on Nature p 285 4.b. Cartoons and Bumper Stickers
*Scribe Badge	Step 1. Start with a Poem Choice A: Write one Haiku and one Limerick Choice B: Write one Sonnet Choice C: Write a Free-verse Poem	1.a.b.c. Animal Poetry p 282
*Camper Badge	Step 4. Try a New Activity Choice C: Try a New Adventure	4.c.i. Environmental Barometer p77 4.c.ii. Habitrekking p 79 4.c.iii. Habitat Lap Sit p 61 4.c.iv. Habitat Rummy p 41 4.c.v. Forest in a Jar p 137 4.c.vi. Tracks p 30 4.c.vii. Muskox Maneuvers p 130

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Badge Requirements

Project WILD Activity

Juniors

Animal Habitats Badge



Step 1. Find out about Wild Animals

Choice C: List Wild Animals near You

Step 2. Investigate an Animal Habitat

Choice B: Explore an Animal Habitat near You

Choice C: Make a Habitat Collage

Step 3. Create an Animal House

Choice B: Make Your Own Animal House

Step 4. Explore Endangered Habitats

Choice A: The Artic Circle Choice B: The Gulf of Mexico Choice C: The Amazon Rain Forest

Step 5. Help Protect Animal Habitats

Choice A: Wildlife Awareness Party Choice B: Create a Backyard Habitat Choice C: Help Clean up an Animal Habitat 1.c.i. And The Wolf Wore Shoes p 180 1.cii. What's Wild? P7 1.c.iii. Adaptation Artistry p128

2.b.i. Urban Nature Search p 70 2.c.i. What's That, Habitat? p56 2c.ii. Everybody Needs a Home 59

3.b. Improving Wildlife Habitat in the Community p 440

4.a.b.c.i. Back from the Brink p355 4.a.b.c.ii. Shrinking Habitat p 310 4.a.b.c.iii. Polar Bears in Phoenix p

4.a.b.c.iv. Too Close for Comfort p 301

4.a.b.c.v. Hazardous Links, Possible Solutions pg 326 4.a.b.c.vi.Here Today, Gone Tomorrow p 156 4.a.b.c.vii. Too Close for Comfort p

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5.a. No Water off a Duck's Back p 305
5.b. Wildlife Research p 418
5.c. Improving Wildlife Habitat in the Community p 440
5.b.c. Can Do! 446

*Playing the Past Badge



Step 1. Decide Who You Are Choice B: Write a Speech for your Character

1.b. Wild Words p421

Girl Scout Badge	Badge Requirements
	Juniors
*Inside Government	
Badge	Step 3: Look into Laws
	Choice A: Hold a "Mock Vote" on Community Laws Choice B: For 24hrs, List the Laws tha Affect Your Daily Life
	Step 4: Report on the Issue Choice A: Report on a Governmer

Project WILD Activity

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on the Issue a Government Meeting

3.a.b. Know Your Legislation: What's in it for Wildlife p272

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Step 1: Uncover the science of a flower Choice B: Grow Your Flower

1.b. Seed Need p 98

Badge Requirements

Project WILD Activity

Cadettes

*Trees Badge



Step 2: Dig into the science of amazing trees
Choice C: Delve into the forest life cycle

Step 4: Explore the connection between people and trees Choice A: Debate logging, clear cutting & deforestation 2.c.i. Time Lapse, p 158 2.c.ii. Smokey Bear Said What? p 314 2.c.iii. Fire Ecologies p 140

4.a.i. Smokey Bear Said What? p 314 4.a.ii. Time Lapse, p 158 4.a.iii. Shrinking Habitat, p 310 4.a.iv. Changing the Land p 345

Special Agent



Step 1: Investigate investigation Choice A: Organize a CSI themed night for your group, friends, or family.

Step 2: Reveal reality
Choice B: Try the eyewitness
challenge
**(Modify these requirements to
reflect on animals, instead of people)
Choice C: Make some impressions

Step 3: Try the science Choice B: Forensic physics

Step 4: Key into body language Choice B: Research body language Choice C: Check out voice analysis

Step 5: Practice the art of detection

Choice B: Sculpt a suspect or photograph a crime scene. Choice C: Create or re-create a spy scenario and design a disguise 1.a. Habitrekking p70

2.b.i. Learning to Look, Learning to See p 278 2.b.ii. Wildlife is Everywhere p 51 2.c. Tracks! p 30

3.b. Tracks! p 30

4.b. Thicket, p 114 4.c.i. Bird Song Survey, p 46 4.c.ii. Noisy Neighbors, p 317 4.c.iii. Power of a Song, p 194

5.b. What Bear Goes Where? p 118 5.c.i. Color Crazy, p 2 5.c.ii. Adaptation Artistry, p 128 5.c.iii. Surprise Terrarium, p 120

Badge Requirements

Project WILD Activity

Cadettes

*Public Speaking Badge



Step 1: Get a feel for performing solo Choice C: Read aloud three poems or

one short story

Step 2: Focus on Body Language Choice A: Write a speech about something you believe in Choice B: Videotape yourself mimicking an animal or famous person, using action.

Step 4: Choose or create a piece to perform Choice A: Write a Speech about something You Believe In

1.c.i. WILD words, pg 41 1.c.ii. For Your Eyes Only, pg 199 1.c.iii. Power of a Song, pg 195

2.a.i. We're in this together, p 44 2.a.ii. Stormy Weather, p 85 2.b. Animal Charades, pg 280

4.a. Career Critters, pg 371

*Night Owls Badge



Step 1: Take a Field Trip to explore the night Choice B: Get into Nightlife

Step 2: Tour your world after dark

Choice A: Tour your neighborhood at

Step 4: Explore Nature at Night Choice B: Create a nocturnal animal

1.b. Urban Nature Search, p 70

2.a. Urban Nature Search, p 70

4.b.i. Adaptation Artistry, p 128 4.b.ii. Drawing on Nature, p 285

*Animal Helpers



Step 1: Explore the connection between human and animals Choice A: Find out how views of animals have changed over the centuries.

Step 5: Look at how animals might help us in the future Choice A: Get a sense of different animals unique skills and abilities Choice C: Practice being a scientist 1.a.i. A Picture is Worth a Thousand Words, p 408 1.a.ii. Changing attitudes, p 255 1.a.iii. First Impressions,

> 5.a.i. Career Critters, p 371 5.a.ii. Thicket game! 5.a.iii. Which Niche? 5.c. Good Buddies, p 93

Badge Requirements

Project WILD Activity

Seniors

*Voice for Animals Badge



Step 1. Find out about domestic animals

Choice B: Interview an animal rescue worker

Step 5. Look into an animal issue

Choice A: Debate a political decision.
Choice C: Create a public service
advertisement

1.b.i. Interview a Spider, p 12 1.b.ii. What's WILD, p 7

5.a.i. What You Wear, is What They Were p 216 5.a.ii. What Did Your Lunch Cost Wildlife? p 68 5.c. Cartoons and Bumper Stickers, p 192

*Adventurer



Step 1. Enhance your adventure

Choice B: Get to know the ecology of your area Choice C: Add an element

Step 2: Get in the team spiritand refine your teamwork Choice C: Spend a day practicing cooperative and initiative games

Step 4: Plan your service to the great outdoors
Choice A: Help the natural environment

1.b.i. Bird Song Survey, p 407
1b.ii. Environmental Barometer p 506
1.b.iii. Habitrekking p 79
1.b.iv. Tracks! p 30
1.b.v.Urban Nature Search p 70

1.c.i. Bird Song Survey, p 407
1.c.ii. Habitrekking p 79
1.c.iii. Tracks! p 30
1.c.iv. Oh Deer! P 36
1.c.v. Thicket Game p 114
1.c.vi. Seed Need! p 98
1.c.vii. Quick Frozen Critters p 122

2.c.ii. Habitat Lap Sit, p 61

2.c.iii. Habitat Rummy p 15 2.c.iv. Museum Search for Wildlife, p 183 2.c.v. For Your Eyes Only, p 197 2.vi. Ethi-Reasoning, p 207

4.a.i. Can Do!, p 447 4.a.ii. Improving Wildlife Habitat in the Community, p 440 4.a.iii. Eco-enrichers, p 102

Girl Scout Badge	Badge Requirements	Project WILD Activity			
Seniors					
*Truth Seeker	Step 1: Evaluate your sources Step 2. Investigate what the experts say Choice A Choose an article from political blog or newspaper opinions. Step 5. Become a citizen journalist Choice C: Research and write an article	1.i. First Impressions, p 178 1.ii. Changing Attitudes, p 255 1.iii. Changing Societies, p 258 2.a. Checks and Balances, p 387 5.c. Checks and Balances, p 387			
*Social Innovator	Step 2: Make Connections Choice B: Biomimicry Step 3: Build empathy for people affected by your issue Choice A: Spend a day in the life Choice C: Interview an expert of professional in your topic area. Step 4: Develop a solution from a specific point of view Choice B: As an Engineer Choice C: As a business owner Step 5: Practice pitching ideas and getting feedback	2.b. Adaptation Artistry, p 128 3.a. The Hunter, p 287 3.c.i. Which Niche'? p 66 3.c.ii. Sustainability: Then, Now and Later p 449 3.c.iii. History of Wildlife Management, p 267 3.c.iv. To Zone or not to Zone, p 321 3.c.v. Wildwork, p 385 4.b.c.i. Planning for People and Wildlife, p 436 4.b.c.ii. Cabin Conflict, p 353			
*Science of Style	Choice C: Design a magazine advert or video commercial	4.b.c.iii. Philosophical Differences, p 364 5.c.i. Cartoons or Bumper Stickers, p 192 5.c.ii. We're in This Together, p 45			



Step 5: Formulate Future Style Choice B: Create Your Own Science of Style Project

5.b. Make a Coat! p 243

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Project WILD Activity

Ambassadors

*Water Badge



Step 1: Have fun reflecting on your relationship with water.
Choice A: Visit water in its natural state

Step 2: Celebrate Water Artand create Your Own

Step 3: Find Out About Water Issues Choice B: Investigate endangered

marine life

1.a. Wildlife is Everywhere, p 51

2.i. Cartoons and Bumper Stickers, p 193 2.ii. Adaptation Artistry, p 128 2.iii. A Picture is Worth a Thousand Words, p 409 2.iv. Tracks! p 30

3.b.i. Habitat Lap Sit, p 61
3.b.ii. Polar Bears in Phoenix, p125
3.b.iii. Riparian Zone, p 341
3.b.iv. Hazardous Links, Possible 3.b.v.
Solutions, p 336
3.b.vi. Here Today, Gone Tomorrow, p
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Public Policy Badge



Step 1: Find out how activists advocate for change.
Choice A: Interview an Activist

Step 2: Engage as a global citizen Choice A: Compare Laws Choice C: Explore an International NGO

Step 3: Dig into National or State Public Policy Choice B: Talk to an interest group that promotes your issue

Step 4: Explore local and community policy
Choice B: Compare different local positions

Step 5: See public policy creation in activism Choice A: Shadow a policy-maker Choice B: Volunteer at an office Choice C: Interview a policy-maker 1.a. Can Do! p 446

2.a.c.i. What you Wear, is What They Were, p 210 2.a.c.ii. Deer Crossing p 392

3.b.i. Enviro-ethics, p 443 3.b.ii. Philosophical Differences, p 364

4.b.i. Planning for People and Wildlife, pg 436
4.b.ii. Enviro-ethics pg 443
4.b.iii. To Zone or not to Zone, pg 321

5.a.b.c. What's in it for Wildlife, p 272

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