Monthly Patch Program

International Destinations

How to Participate: Daisies and Brownies complete 3 of 5 steps, Juniors and Cadettes complete 4 of 5 steps, and Seniors and Ambassadors complete all 5 steps. Step 1 is required for all levels.

- 1. Girl Scout Knowledge
- 2. Discover More About a World Center
- 3. Plan out Your Dream Trip
- 4. Budget, Budget, Budget
- 5. Make a List and Check it Twice

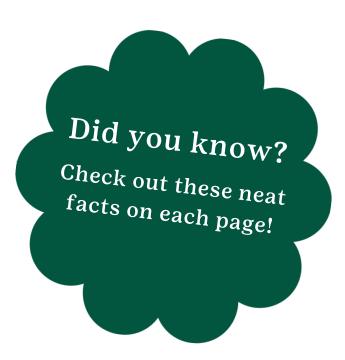
Each month will contain both research and activities which will need to be completed to earn the patch.

Ready to go ALL IN? Order all your monthly patches at once! The All-In order is \$30 and is due October 15. Patches will still be mailed out on a monthly basis but this option allows you to order all patches up front at the beginning of the year.

Patch orders are due the 15th of the following month. For example, October's patch registration is due November 15th. Each patch is custom designed and will be mailed out roughly 8-10 weeks after the order is due. Individual patches are \$3 each.



***Patch design concept ONLY.
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Girl Scout Knowledge

With permission from a parent or guardian, see if you can find the answers to the following questions either online or in your Girl Scout handbooks..



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• Which World Center has been around the longest?
Which World Center has been around the longest: Which World Center is the most recent addition?
What kinds of trips can Juniors and up take?
What's the first Girl Scout level where you can travel basically anywhere?
What are the two kinds of travel Girl Scouts can do?
Can 6th grade and up travel independently?
Can you find travel destinations from other councils on the GSUSA website?
What do you need to do to go on a trip outside of your council?
What is one place you would love to go either with your Girl Scout troop, or

Discover More About a World Center

Pick one of the five World Centers and learn more about them. Using your research, answer the questions below. Our Chalet is located in the Swiss Alps and was the first World Center to be built.

World Center:	
Has it had any other names?	be huilt
Does the name of the World Center have	ve a special meaning?
When was it established as a World Ce	nter?
Does it have a special story?	
Can you stay at this World Center? What do they offer Girl Scouts and Girl	l Guides?
What else could you do in that country	besides visit the World Center?
Draw the country's flag	Try drawing the World Center

Plan Out Your Dream Trip

Is there somewhere that you have always wanted to visit and see in real life? Spend some time planning out your dream trip to your dream location. Research the place, fun things to do, and where you would like to stay. For this activity, money is no object!

Kusafiri in Africa has no fixed site, but instead provides experiences throughout Africa.

Where are you going?	
How are you getting there?	
Where are you staying?	
How long are you staying for?	
What is the best time of year to go?	
Name 5 places you want to visit there:	
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
Name 5 activities you want to do there:	
1	
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3	
4	
5	
What makes this place so cool to you?	

Budget, Budget, Budget

Using your dream trip in Activity 2, plan out your trip with a budget. You can do this two ways. Either pick a budget first and plan out your trip to keep under your budget or plan out your trip first and see how much you need to save for your trip.

The World Center
in India is named
Sangam which
means "Coming
Together" in
Sanskrit.

- Look up flights, train rides, or the cost of a rental vehicle from your current location to your destination. Also look up the cost of gas along the way or at your destination. See if there are any parking fees as well.
- Look up hotels, resorts, and vacation homes during the time you would like to go to get an estimated cost.
- Look up local restaurants that sound appetizing. Most places have menus online nowadays so you can see about how much things cost before you go.
- What is there to do and around how much does it cost?
- Do you want to take mementoes home with you? How much are you willing to spend?
- What do you need in case of an emergency? Enough for an emergency flight home? Or just enough to have extra for more gas just in case?

Total Budget:
Travel:
Plane tickets:
Train tickets:
Rental Vehicle:
Gas:
Parking:
Public transit/rideshare:
Lodging:
Food:
Entertainment:
Museums:
Concerts:
National Parks:
Amusement Parks:
Souvenirs:
Emergency money:

Make a List and Check It Twice

Do you know what you would need to take with you on your dream trip? Make a list designed just for you! Don't forget to check currency exchanges, special customs, and electrical outlets if you are planning an international destination!

Pax Lodge, located in Hampstead Village, England, offers a wide selection for cultural programs as well as leadership seminars.

What will the weather be like when/where you are going?
What clothing will you need to pack?
Do you need anything special for your planned activities?
If you are road tripping, what do you need to bring in your vehicle?
International Destinations:
What's the currency exchange? \$1 US =
Are the electrical outlets different from USA?
Are there any certain customs guests to this country need to follow?
Write out your list here: