



## Girl Scout Badge Workshops and Event Frequently Asked Questions

**Q: What is the schedule for Girl Scout workshops during the 2020/2021 school year?**

**A:** Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we are providing multiple options for Scout workshops this fall: virtual and in person at the Amazeum. In November, we will make a decision about the format for workshops in Spring 2021.

- Virtual:** Girl Scouts will engage in a variety of unique, hands-on STEAM challenges and experiences from their homes. Materials for activities will be provided in kits. Kits can be picked up a week in advance from the Amazeum or Scout Shop. During the workshop, an Amazeum educator will lead the Girl Scouts through activities via Zoom. Zoom links will be sent to registered participants a few days prior to the workshop.
- In Person:** Workshops will have a reduced capacity of 10 Girl Scouts and up to 4 leaders per workshop. Educators, Girl Scouts and leaders will be required to wear face coverings during the workshop. Girl Scouts will be given a kit which will include all supplies needed to complete their discoveries – no sharing required! After the program, Amazeum educators will clean and sanitize the kits.

Girl Scouts			
Scout Level	Adventure	Fall Dates and Times	Registration Closing Date
Daisy	Robotics 1: What Robots Do	September 26, 2020, 9-11am (virtual)	September 17
		September 28, 2020, 6:00-8:00pm (in person)	September 24
Brownie	Home Scientist	October 24, 2020, 9-11am (virtual)	October 15
		October 26, 2020, 6:00-8:00pm (in person)	October 22
Junior	Product Designer	November 14, 2020, 9-11am (virtual)	November 5
		November 16, 2020, 6:00-8:00pm (in person)	November 12
Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors	Textile Artists	December 5, 2020, 9-11am (virtual)	November 25
		December 7, 2020, 6:00-8:00pm (in person)	December 3

In November, we will make a decision about the format for workshops in Spring 2021. Mark your calendar for these upcoming workshops:

- Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Digital Movie Maker, January 9 or January 11, 2021
- Junior, Detective, February 6 or February 8, 2021
- Brownie, Senses, April 10 or April 12, 2021
- Daisy, Robotics 2: How Robots Move, May 1 or May 3, 2021

**Q: Will face coverings be required for Girl Scout workshops?**

**A:** Yes! Due to the longer duration and workshop setting, face coverings are required for all participants over the age of 2. Amazeum educators are also required to wear face coverings. Face coverings should be worn at all times covering the nose and mouth.

**Q: What if I don't have a face covering or mask?**

**A:** Guests without face coverings who wish to enter the Amazeum will be provided with a disposable mask at no cost. Entry to the museum and workshop is prohibited without a face covering.

**Q: Will there be any health screenings i.e. temperature checks, pre-entrance questionnaires, etc.?**

**A:** The Amazeum will not be checking the temperature of Girl Scouts and adults entering the museum. When registering for the workshop, all guests will be asked to confirm that no one in their group is experiencing COVID-19 symptoms – fever, cough, difficulty breathing, sore throat or loss of taste or smell or have knowingly been exposed to someone with COVID-19 in the past 14 days. Girl Scouts and leaders will be prompted again upon arrival to the Amazeum and anyone experiencing symptoms will be asked to return on another day.

Girl Scout leaders and adults will be asked to provide contact information for at least one person in their group. This information will be used to follow-up with guests should the need arise for contact tracing.

**Q: Will capacity be limited during the workshop?**

**A:** Yes! In order to encourage physical distancing, capacity of Girl Scout workshops is limited to 10 Girl Scouts and up to 4 leader/co-leaders.

**Q: What other health requirements are in place during a workshop?**

**A:** We've minimized hands-on components in the Girl Scout workshops but maximized minds-on discoveries. Individualized activity kits will be available during the workshop. Girl Scouts will be given a kit to explore during the workshop which will include all supplies needed to complete their discoveries – no sharing required! After the program, Amazeum educators will clean and sanitize the kit.

As Girl Scouts and leaders enter and exit the workshop area, they will be asked to wash their hands. Hand sanitizer stations are placed throughout the workshop area for easy access. Frequent handwashing is encouraged of all Girl Scouts, leaders, and the Amazeum team.

**Q: What is the fee for a Girl Scout workshop?**

**A:** In person and virtual workshops are \$15 per Girl Scout. The troop leader and co-leader attend the workshop at no cost and are expected to serve as active chaperones during the workshop experience.

**Q: I'm not a troop leader but I want to sign up my child for a workshop. Can I register my child separately from a troop?**

**A:** Due to the collaborative experience of the workshop, the troop leader should register the troop. Individual Girl Scouts interested in attending the workshop should contact their troop leader.

**Q: How do I register for a workshop?**

**A:** Troop leaders should register the Girl Scouts in their troop for the workshops. The workshops are designed to be a collaborative experience for troops rather than individual Girl Scouts.

Girl Scout workshops registration is available through the Girl Scouts - Diamonds of Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas Council [website](#). Advanced registration and payment is required.

**Q: If a registered Girl Scout is not able to attend, will I be able to get a refund?**

**A:** Payment for the workshop is collected at the time of registration. At this time, refunds are not available once the registration has been confirmed.

**Q: What does the workshop registration fee include?**

**A:** The registration fee includes a 2 hour workshop of focused hands-on activities that meet specific requirements of the Girl Scout badge.

The troop leader and co-leader are free and are expected to serve as chaperones during the workshop. Workshop registration fee does not include the physical badge. Please purchase separately from your Council store.

**Q: Can parents/adult guardians or siblings attend the workshop?**

**A:** In order to foster a cohesive experience, workshops are designed for Girl Scouts and their troop leaders that have registered for the workshop. Additional adults or siblings will not be granted admission into the workshop.

**Q: When does workshop registration open?**

**A:** Girl Scout workshops registration is available through the Girl Scout Council website. Please check the [website](#) for registration details.

**Q: During the workshop, will Girl Scouts play in the exhibits?**

**A:** The two hour activity focused workshop is located in the Learning Loft or 3M Tinkering Workshop. Exploration of the exhibit hall is not included in the focused workshop experience.

## Girl Scout Amazeum Fun Patch Event

### Frequently Asked Questions

#### **Q: When is the Amazeum Fun Patch Event?**

**A:** Amazeum Fun Patch Event will be Friday, March 12, 2021 from 6:00-8:30pm.

#### **Q: What is the Amazeum Fun Patch Event for Girl Scouts?**

**A:** All levels of Girl Scout are taking over the museum for an exclusive, afterhours STEAM event! Girl Scouts will be challenged to visit a certain number of stations in order to earn their unique Amazeum Fun Patch. Come play in the exhibit hall while completing hands-on STEAM challenges.

Advanced registration and payment is required. Registration for the Amazeum Fun Patch Event for Girl Scouts is available through the Amazeum's Reservation Specialist by calling 479-268-4542 or emailing at [reservations@amazeum.org](mailto:reservations@amazeum.org).

#### **Q: What is the fee to attend the Amazeum Fun Patch Event?**

**A:** The fee is \$10 per Girl Scout and one adult and \$7 per any additional adults or siblings.

#### **Q: Will capacity be limited?**

**A:** Yes. Amazeum Fun Patch Event will have a limited capacity to allow space for Girl Scouts and Amazeum team to physically distance and play 6 feet apart.

#### **Q: Will face coverings be required for Girl Scout Amazeum Fun Patch Event?**

**A:** Yes! Face coverings are required for all Girl Scouts and guests ages 10 and older inside and outside the building, and encouraged for children between the ages of 2 and 9. Face coverings are not required for children under 2. Amazeum team is required to wear face coverings. Face coverings should be worn at all times covering the nose and mouth.

#### **Q: What if I don't have a face covering or mask?**

**A:** Guests without face coverings who wish to enter the Amazeum will be provided with a disposable mask at no cost. Entry to the museum and event is prohibited without a face covering.

#### **Q: What other safety requirements are in place during Amazeum Fun Patch Event?**

**A:** Activity stations will be available during the Amazeum Fun Patch Event. Girl Scouts will be given a kit at each station to explore during their visit which will include all the supplies needed to complete their discoveries – no sharing required! Once the exploration is over, return the kit to an Amazeum educator. We will clean and sanitize each kit.

Hand sanitizer stations are placed throughout the museum for easy access. Sanitizing wipes are available in the PlayScape. Frequent handwashing is encouraged of all guests and the Amazeum team.

#### **Q: I'm not a Scout leader but I want to sign up my child for the Amazeum Fun Patch Event. Can I register my child separately from the Girl Scout troop?**

**A:** Yes! This event is a collaborative experience, so if your child is not attending with a troop, an adult will need to attend the event with the child.

**Q: Is there a required chaperone to Girl Scout ratio during the event?**

**A:** The Amazeum requires a minimum of one adult to 10 Girl Scouts during the event.

**Q: Can parents/adult guardians or siblings attend the event?**

**A:** Yes! Additional adults or siblings will need to pre-register and pay the registration fee. Only Girl Scouts will receive the Amazeum Fun Patch at the end of the event.

**Q: If a registered Girl Scout is not able to attend, will I be able to get a refund?**

**A:** Payment for the event is collected at the time of registration. At this time, refunds are not available once the registration has been confirmed.