



# The Girl Scout Academic Edge

## Courage

Compared to non-Girl Scouts, Girl Scout are:

- 75% vs 66% more likely to learn from failures and setbacks
- 61% vs 50% more likely to take on challenges to improve herself
- 58% vs 49% more ambitious
- 48% vs 42% more likely to take calculated risks

## Confidence

Compared to non-Girl Scouts, Girl Scout are:

- 85% vs 67% feel more competent & capable in the activities important to them
- 80% vs 70% feel more confident to be the very best at the things they do
- 74% vs 63% generally accomplish what they set out to do
- 70% vs 62% are more confident in their abilities

## Character

Compared to non-Girl Scouts, Girl Scout are:

- 82% vs 68% more likely to be a good person and live a good life
- 67% vs 54% more likely to lead a purposeful and meaningful life
- 65% vs 53% more likely to be optimistic about the future
- 89% vs 80% more likely to be honest and trustworthy
- 73% vs 60% more likely to contribute to the happiness and well-being of others



# Girl Scouts are World Changers

## Compared to non-Girl Scouts, Girl Scout are:

- 48% more likely to volunteer
- 62% more likely to contribute financially to causes they care about
- 71% of current female senators are Girl Scout Alums
- 84% say they have successfully met their life goals
- 88% are satisfied with their lives today

## Connect them to something bigger than themselves—linking them to the community and to a network of girls and women around the world:

- 61% became more responsible members of their communities
- 60% inspired their commitment to community service or volunteering
- 59% felt part of a national or global sisterhood

## Develop their passions and interests:

- 64% developed outdoor skills, including environmental stewardship
- 43% developed their interest in business or entrepreneurship
- 37% developed their interest in science, technology, engineering, or math (STEM)

## Percentage of Alumni Satisfied with Life by Program Tenure

