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Program	Cost	Attendees	Other
<p>Write Your Rep! <b>b j c s a</b></p> <p>Girls will learn the importance of communicating their ideas, questions, and concerns with their elected officials. We will explore archival letters written to President Ford in the 1970s, then learn how to identify our elected officials today and contact them via email or letter.</p> <p>Girls do not need to bring supplies. This is a virtual program and all content will be provided during our Zoom session. Supplementary resources will be provided through the Seesaw platform. All participants will need the ability to join a Zoom call with video and audio and will need to pre-register for the Zoom call.</p>	No cost	10 min 25 max	This on-demand program can be scheduled Monday - Saturday at a time that is mutually agreed upon by both the Troop leader(s) and Gerald Ford Foundation staff.
<p>Getting to Know Your Three Branches! <b>j c</b></p> <p>Girls will learn the importance of communicating their ideas, questions, and concerns with their This virtual program will provide girls with an opportunity to explore the three branches of the U.S. government. Through a guided slide presentation, videos, and games, girls will learn what each branch does, who works in them, and how a system of checks and balances ensures that not one branch becomes too powerful. Join us for some fun in working toward your democracy badge!</p> <p>If additional supplies are needed for participation, they will be emailed to the troop leader prior to the class. Participants will need to be able to join a Zoom call using a device with a camera and microphone.</p>	No cost	10 min 25 max	This virtual class is offered Monday-Saturday on a mutually agreed-upon date and time organized by the troop leader and the education team.