Overview

This slide deck walks you through activities to complete all or most steps of a badge. It includes a variety of interactive activities that you can do as a troop—including video, group conversations, hands-on activities, and more. Review the full deck and notes section prior to your meeting for tips and suggestions. In addition, these first slides will outline the general meeting plan.

Depending on the length of your virtual meetings, you may choose to complete this badge over the course of 1-2 meetings. Connect with families ahead of time to let them know what materials they should have ready prior to logging in. Badges can be purchased by the troop for family in the online shop.

Materials Needed

Paper
Writing utensil

Overview for the troop leader
# Daisy Good Neighbor Badge Virtual Meeting Overview

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Daisy Good Neighbor Badge
Step 1: Explore your school
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Step 3: See what makes your state special
Girl Scout Promise

On my honor, I will try:
To serve God* and my country,
To help people at all times,
And to live by the Girl Scout Law.

*Members may substitute for the word God in accordance with their own spiritual beliefs.

Open your meeting with the Girl Scout Promise and Law.
Girl Scout Law

I will do my best to be
honest and fair,
friendly and helpful,
considerate and caring,
courageous and strong, and
responsible for what I say and do,
and to
respect myself and others,
respect authority,
use resources wisely,
make the world a better place, and
be a sister to every Girl Scout.

Open your meeting with the Girl Scout Promise and Law.
Ice Breaker
What's something that made you laugh this week?

Ice breaker question
Step 1: Explore your school
Step 2: Discover your city or town

Ask girls if they know what the word “community” means. Explain that groups of people are called communities.

Then play the video to explore the types of communities that people belong to: https://youtu.be/IGC0zxgRNJQ
Name some communities you're a part of!

Your Neighborhood  Your School  Girl Scouts

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Ask girls what different communities they’re a part of. Your neighborhood, your school, and Girl Scouts are all examples!
Draw a map of your community

Draw a picture of one of the communities you belong to. You can include:

- Your school
- Your house
- Your neighbors
- Your temple, church, or mosque
- Your local park

Step 1: Explore your school
Step 2: Discover your city or town

Have girls draw a map of their community. Give them a few minutes to complete this activity. While they’re drawing their maps, you can stop sharing your screen so everyone can hang out and chat while they draw.

Troop leaders, draw a map of your own community to share with your girls during the next slide.
Share your map!

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Have girls who would like to share their map explain what they chose to draw and what they included in their maps. Stop sharing your screen so girls can see each other.
Step 3: See what makes your state special

Ask girls if anyone knows how many states there are in the United States. If no one guesses the correct answer, explain that there are 50 states that make up the United States.

Then ask them to name the state they live in.

Explain that the state they all live in also represents a kind of community.

Then tell girls that each state has special things that they’re known for. Let’s see how much they know about their state!
How much do you know about Minnesota?

- Capital: St. Paul
- State fruit: Honeycrisp apple
- State bird: Loon
- State muffin: Blueberry
- State drink: Milk

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Step 3: See what makes your state special

Ask girls to guess the answer for each category. Press the spacebar to reveal the answer to girls. (For example, “What’s the capital of Minnesota?” [Press spacebar] “St. Paul!”)

- State Capital
- State Fruit
- State Bird
- State Muffin
- State Drink
How much do you know about Wisconsin?

- **Capital:** Madison
- **State Fruit:** Cranberry
- **State Bird:** American Robin
- **State Animal:** Badger
- **State Drink:** Milk

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Step 3: See what makes your state special

Ask girls to guess the answer for each category. Press the spacebar to reveal the answer to girls. (For example, “What’s the capital of Wisconsin?” [Press spacebar] “Madison!”)

- State Capital
- State Fruit
- State Bird
- State Animal
- State Drink
How much do you know about Iowa?

Capital: Des Moines
State tree: Oak
State bird: Eastern Goldfinch
State flower: Wild Prairie Rose

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Ask girls to guess the answer for each category. Press the spacebar to reveal the answer to girls. (For example, “What’s the capital of Iowa [Press spacebar] “Des Moines!”)

- State Capital
- State Tree
- State Bird
- State Flower
What makes your community special?

Step 2: Discover your city or town
Step 3: See what makes your state special

Ask girls what else makes their community special. Give girls a chance to call out some answers. The thing that really makes a community special is the people in it! That’s you and me!

Then play the video to explore everyone who plays a part in creating and supporting a community:
https://youtu.be/I8xbgh76K2g
How can we show our community that we care?

In the video, we saw a few different ways we can be a good citizen of our community. Can you think of some other ways we can show our community that we care?

Step 2: Discover your city or town

Discuss how girls can play a part in supporting their community.
Step 2: Discover your city or town

Have girls create a colorful sign they can tape to their window or door for their neighbors to see. What types of messages could you put?

- Hi Neighbors!
- Thank you!
- We miss you!
- Enjoy your walk!

While girls are drawing, you can stop sharing your screen so girls can hang out and chat.

If girls would like and if time allows, have girls share their signs.
It's almost time to say goodbye

Let's sing together before we go!
Make New Friends

Make new friends
But keep the old
One is silver
And the other is gold

A circle is round
It has no end
That's how long
I want to be your friend.

If you need the tune for this song:
https://youtu.be/E5ZmDA7nN-I
Yay! You've earned the Good Neighbor badge!

See you next time, friends!

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