

USA Girl Scouts Overseas 2022-2023 Highest Awards Yearbook

Girl Scouts Overseas Promise to Change the World!



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. (English)

SUN-ON

Na-neun na-e myung-ei-rul wi-ha-yo da-ume jo-mo-geul gut-ge-ji-ki-get sum ni-da:
Ha-na-nim-gwa na-ra-reul wi-ha-yo na-e him-eul da da-get seum-ni-da.
Hang-sang da-run sa-ram-ul do-wa joo-get sum-ni-da.
Girl Scout-ui-geu-eu-reul jal ji-ki get sumni-da.
(Korean)

YAKUSOKU

Watakushi wa meiyo ni kakete:
Kami to kuni to ni taisuru tsutome o okonai;
Itsumo tano hitobito o ta-suke;
Gaaru Sukauto no okite o mamoru yoni
itashimasu.
(Japanese)

PRATIGYA

Main maryada purvak pra-tigya karti hoon ki yathas-hakti Ishwar aur apne des ke prati apne kartvya ka palan karungi. Sada dusron ki sahayata karungi. Girl Scout Niyamon ka palan karungi. (Hindi)

承诺

以我的荣誉,我将努力: 为上帝*和我的国家服务, 随时帮助人们, 并按照女童子军法生活。 (Chinese)

VERSPRECHEN

Bei meiner Ehre werde ich versuchen: Gott* und meinem Land zu dienen, den Menschen jederzeit zu helfen, und nach dem Pfadfindergesetz zu leben. (German)

PROMETTRE

Sur mon honneur, j'essaierai: de servir Dieu* et mon pays, d'aider les gens à tout moment, et de vivre selon la loi des éclaireuses. (French)

> يعد على شرفي ، سأحاول: أن أخدم الله * وبلدي ، وأن أساعد الناس في جميع الأوقات ، وأن أعيش وفقًا لقانون فتيات الكشافة. (Arabic)

LA PROMESA

Por mi honor, you tratare De servir a Dios, A mi patria, y a mi prójimo Y vivir conforme a la ley de las Girl Scouts. (Spanish)

The 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.

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"Scouting rises up within you and inspires you to put forth your best."

-Juliette Gordon Low

Girl Scouts is the spark that encourages the flame of community service and leadership to grow within our members. It is the spark and spirit on which our organization was built—and which can be most clearly seen when Girl Scouts take steps to make the world a better place. Taking those important first steps can lead them to earn three separate awards—Girl Scout Gold, Silver, and Bronze Awards—when they dream of a better tomorrow by taking action in big ways today!

Daisies and Brownies learn the basics of what it means to be a good neighbor and how to be helpful to others; this gives them the foundation to earn the Bronze Award.

Juniors earn the Bronze Award by coming together as a troop or enlisting the support of friends to make a difference in their local community.

Cadettes team up to earn the Silver Award by researching an issue, making a plan to address it, and then taking action to improve their larger community.

Seniors and Ambassadors earn the Gold Award by engaging neighbors and community members to identify an area of need, working collaboratively to create a plan of action, and leading a team of peers and experts to create lasting solutions locally and often globally. Gold Award Girl Scouts are the world changers, rock stars, and real-life heroes we look up to, and these skills and passion make them stellar candidates for colleges, scholarships, internships, and exciting careers.

The Girl Scout Highest Awards are just the first step in a lifetime of service and engagement to enact positive change in the world. If you are a member of USA Girl Scouts Overseas and are inspired, check out the Highest Awards section of www.usagso.org and contact overseashighestawards@girlscouts.org.



Lane D. Wallace Executive Director USA Girl Scouts Overseas

Greetings, Girl Scouts!

It is my joy and privilege to serve as Executive Director of USA Girl Scouts Overseas (USAGSO). The work I get to do every day, to support girls around the world makes me excited for the future - especially one led by these Gold, Silver, and Bronze Award Girl Scouts!

The Girl Scout Leadership Experience starts the moment a new member joins our Movement, whether they are a first year Daisy or a third year Cadette. When Girl Scouts decide to use what they have learned to create a lasting mark on their communities, we all prosper. Please enjoy this Highest Awards yearbook which allows us to celebrate the innovative and compassionate ways Girl Scouts engage their neighbors to enact positive change.

I am confident you will be as inspired as I have been, by these amazing young leaders. Congratulations to each Girl Scout who saw a need, worked with their community to address it, and earned their Girl Scout Highest Award. This is just the beginning of your journey, down a path to be the leaders we will all need, for a brighter tomorrow.

Yours in Girl Scouting,

Lane D. Wallace

Lane D. Wallace



2022 - 2023 Bronze Award Girl Scouts

The Girl Scout Bronze Award is a leadership adventure for more than half a million Girl Scout Juniors in the United States and around the world. It is the first of the three Highest Awards Girl Scouts can earn, and it is the highest award a Junior Girl Scout can earn. In the USAGSO community Girl Scout Juniors earn the Bronze Award as a troop, by teaming up with non-member peers, or with the assistance of a small support network of adults. While it is the recommendation of USAGSO that the Bronze award be completed as an in-person or virtual troop, it is understood that some of our remote members and Juliettes do not have that option. The USAGSO Highest Awards Yearbook recognizes Junior Girl Scouts in our communities who earned and reported their Bronze Award to USAGSO.

Girl Scout Juniors that complete their Bronze Award develop confidence, meet new people and learn to work collaboratively. This yearbook recognizes their work and celebrates the inspiring global impact of these young leaders!

Junior Girl Scouts can become Bronze Award Girl Scouts if they:

- Are in fourth grade, fifth grade or the local equivalent to these US grade levels
- Are a registered Girl Scout Junior (Note: For USAGSO recognition you must be registered with USAGSO while working and an active member of Girl Scouts when submitting the final report)
- Have completed at least one Junior Journey

To earn the Bronze Award a Junior Girl Scout should follow these steps:

- Visit usagso.org, review the Bronze Award section, and download the girl and adult guides
- Build a Girl Scout Bronze Award team (the whole troop, peers your age, a small group of supportive adults)
- Explore your community and speak with your neighbors to identify a local need
- Vote as a team to decide on a project and meet a community need
- Make a plan of action, each Junior Girl Scout should have a time log for at least 20 hours
- Put your plan in motion
- Spread the word, tell the world and USAGSO for proper recognition
- Celebrate this achievement



251 Junior Girl Scouts completed 43 projects





These Girl Scouts have dedicated more than 5,700 hours to their communities



USAGSO military
communities participated
in the Girl Scout Bronze
Award program

Nearly 50% of Bronze Awards are completed in support of our military communities overseas







Vienna

Aliya, Dora, Leyla, Lubanzi, Madeleine, Maisie, Maya



Guangzhou

Yanning Yan Reese Uly



Shanghai

Angela Amy Ada Leshan Gwyneth

Hannah May Maia Olivia



Addis Ababa

Marie



Paris

Valentine, Eva, Sibylle, Eliza, Abby, Garance, Anna, Blanche, Gabriella, Apolline, Chiara, Safiya, Olivia, Josephine, Gwenna, Carmen, Salomé, Abigail, Ninon, Flora



Bonn

Katya



Kaiserslautern

Ava Kailee Ava Alanna Gabriella Julia



Ramstein

Lillian Ella Emma Ziva Sarah Allyson Emily **Amilya** Naylene Arianni Kiralee Anarah Trinity Lillian Mikayla Lucia Lylah

Stuttgart

Olivia, Catherine, Sarah, Harper, Lena, Emily, Sarah, Adelaide, Arabella

Wiesbaden

Bailey, Lilian, Madilyn, Jocelyn



Guam

Lya, Madison, Penny



Hong Kong

Ana, Ariana, Charlize, Kayla, Nicole, Sophie



Naples Vicenza

Lydia	Kyra	Alyssa
Mia	Katherine	Olivia
Willa	Alma	Jairy
Natalie	Tamia	Elliana
Annabeth	Elizabeth	Isabella
Jenae		



Iwakuni

Austyn

Emma

Emma

Isabella

Dalila

Sevannah

Zoey

Samora

Camp Foster, Okinawa

Audrey Haley
Ayrabelle Kiley A
Bella Madelyn
Elsie Marceline

Bella Madelyr Elsie Marcelin Esmeralda Millie Evelyn Shyla

Kobe

Luna, Cassanya, Leona

Annalise

Yokosuka

Acadia

Camp Zama

Kira

Ariah Astrid Elise Joy Keira Natalie Rosemina



DHAHRAN

Yasmeen Amelie Frida Sarah Sophia Beth Ayza Clare Olivia Zaynie Dana Cemal Celeste Dareen Eshie Latisha Haadiya Inaya Izza Kiriaki Nicole (Corina) Ayesha Sara Maryam Khyati Kamila Minal Hafsa Isabella Minna Fatima **Amina** Aya Maria

RIYADH

Sophie Lamar Nay Julia Deema





SINGAPORE

Leila	Olivia
Ayla	Allison
Minjin	Lucy
Maya Levitt	Ira
Ahaana	Rori



Camp Humphreys

Emma	Michelle
Lesley	Victoria
Sydney	Emily
Lillith	Mackenzie
Claire	Madalynn

Daegu

Aubrey

Osan

Alice, Carsynn, Maran, Bailee, Azure, Melaina, Hali'i



Madrid	Rota
Sofia	Arlinda
Alba	Liliana
Alena	Carolyn
Elisa	Chelsea
Daniela	Emma
Chiara	Magdalena
Frida	Coraline
	Victoria
	Kaelyn



Taipei Emma, Jewel, Madeleine, Mina, Ally, Eva, Chloe



Dubai

Maitha
Julia
Nora
Beliz
Madison
Liana
Annie

Bianca Daphnee Isabella Aya Naiya Maryam



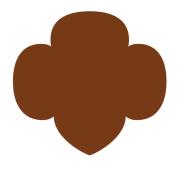
Runnymede

Ruby, Marin, Sienna



St. Thomas

Elize, Cynthia, Samantha, Layla, Morgan, Nyla



Juliette

Emma





2022 - 2023 Bronze Award Girl Scouts



2022-2023 Silver Award Girl Scouts

The Girl Scout Silver Award is the opportunity for Girl Scout Cadettes to take a look at the world around them and make a change for the better. The Silver Award is the highest award a Girl Scout Cadette can earn. Working in small groups of four to six active members, Girl Scouts at the Cadette level not only serve, but engage their community. Girl Scout Cadettes work with community partners to see their vision realized. USA Girl Scouts Overseas has members in communities large and small, connecting to troops and participating as Juliettes. Some Cadette Girl Scouts may not have a small group of fellow Cadettes nearby, instead these Cadettes may complete the Silver Award on their own, making community connections and leading their team or working virtually with other Juliettes from around the movement. The USAGSO Highest Awards Yearbook recognizes Girl Scout Cadettes in our communities who earned and reported their Girl Scout Silver Award to USAGSO.

Girl Scout Cadettes that complete their Silver Award build confidence, develop their passions, and learn to work collaboratively with community members. This yearbook recognizes their work and we know their positive impact will inspire more!

Cadette Girl Scouts can become Silver Award Girl Scouts if they:

- Are in the sixth, seventh, eighth grade or the local equivalent to these US grade levels
- Are registered as a Cadette (Note: For USAGSO recognition you must be registered with USAGSO while working and an active member of Girl Scouts when submitting the final report)
- Have completed at least one Cadette Journey

To earn the Silver Award Cadette Girl Scouts should follow these steps:

- Visit usagso.org, review the Cadette Award section, and download the girl and adult guides
- Select a Girl Scout Silver Award team (four to six Cadette Girl Scouts and supportive adults and/or peers)
- Explore your community and speak with your neighbors to identify a local need
- · Vote as a team to decide on a project and meet a community need
- Research the topic and include at least one cited source to support their statement of the issue.
- Make a plan of action, each Cadette Girl Scout should have a time log for at least 50 hours
- Identify at least one goal and put your plan in motion
- Spread the word, tell the world and USAGSO for proper recognition
- Celebrate this achievement



80
Cadette
Girl Scouts
completed
29 projects





These Girl Scouts have dedicated more than 4,200 hours to their communities

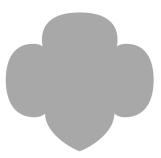


USAGSO proudly serves military families living in communities overseas 7 of these communities benefited from Silver Award projects









Miranda, Sophie, Serena

Beijing Troop 05701

"Gender Inequality issue in ISB middle school"



Artemis, Sisi, Maggie Beijing Troop 05701 "Empowering Hearts and Minds"



Lillian, Caroline, Soon (Sue), Kendall, Kaitlyn, Valentina, Vivienne

Shanghai Troop 05813

"Wall of Well-Being"



Renée Shanghai Troop 05891 "Social Justice"



Adriana, Yanching Emily, Lujing, Julie

Shanghai Troop 05891

"Animal Rescue-Helping Stray Cats"



Germany



Grace Baumholder Troop 55077 "Buddy Bench"



Finley, Sydney, Daleah, Sara Wiesbaden Troop 56102 "Hut Renovations - Cadette, Daisy, Senior Huts, and Stairwell 19"



Zoey, Claire Stuttgart Troop 53514 "Brain Break Stations"



Maleah, Emily, Zoe, Alonna Wiesbaden Troop 56102 "Hut Renovation Project - Brownie Hut, Junior Hut, Stairwells 17 and 21"



Japan



Nicole Yokota Troop 80518 "Increasing Accessibility to Books in Different Languages at Yokota Library"







Maliah Nairobi Troop 21509 "Girl Scout empowerment for sustainability workshop"



Madigan Nairobi Troop 21509 "Eliminating Homeless Animals on the Streets of Nairobi"



Qatar



Maya, Emma, Nisan, Nahla, Sophie, Alice, Leen Doha Troop 33001 "Confidence Camp"



Naomi, Ruthika, Ela, Kiilana, Isabella Doha Troop 33013 "Afghan Refugee Mental Health Project"



Jenna, Jawaher, Zeina Doha Juliettes "The Labyrinth Project "Shamsiya" - Heenat Salma Farm, Caravane Earth"

Saudi Arabia



Fay Riyadh Troop 34900 "Coding for Kids"



Aisha, Khadija Riyadh Troop 34900 "The Community Library Project"



Nataly, Solaf, Sarah Riyadh Troop 34900 "The Importance of First Aid"

Singapore



Delaney Singapore Troop 35522 "SAS knitting club"



Isla

Singapore Troop 35522

"Encouragement for Girls to Do Competitive Sports"



South Korea



Nora, Elizabeth, Skylar Camp Humphreys Troop 80730 "Central Elementary School Little Libraries"



Jayden, Rylee, Emma Camp Courtney Troop 83099 "Project Stop Vandalism"



Sylvia
Daegu Troop 82100
"Area IV Youth Welcome Guide"



Spain



Annika

Barcelona Juliette

"Celebrating PRIDE with LGBTQ+ authors and books"



United Arab Emirates



Luna, Addison Taipei Troop 39508

"Health and Wellness"



United Kingdom



Berrak, Grace, Olivia, Juliette, Leyla, Ilze, Sita, Laea, Misha, Mounira

Dubai Troop 42005 and 42007

"An adventurous and fun learning day of Giving Back"

Maliah, Catherine

Alconbury Troop 62558

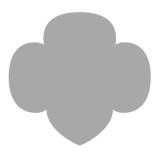
"Learning About and Combatting Gender Stereotypes with Girl Scouts"

US Virgin Islands



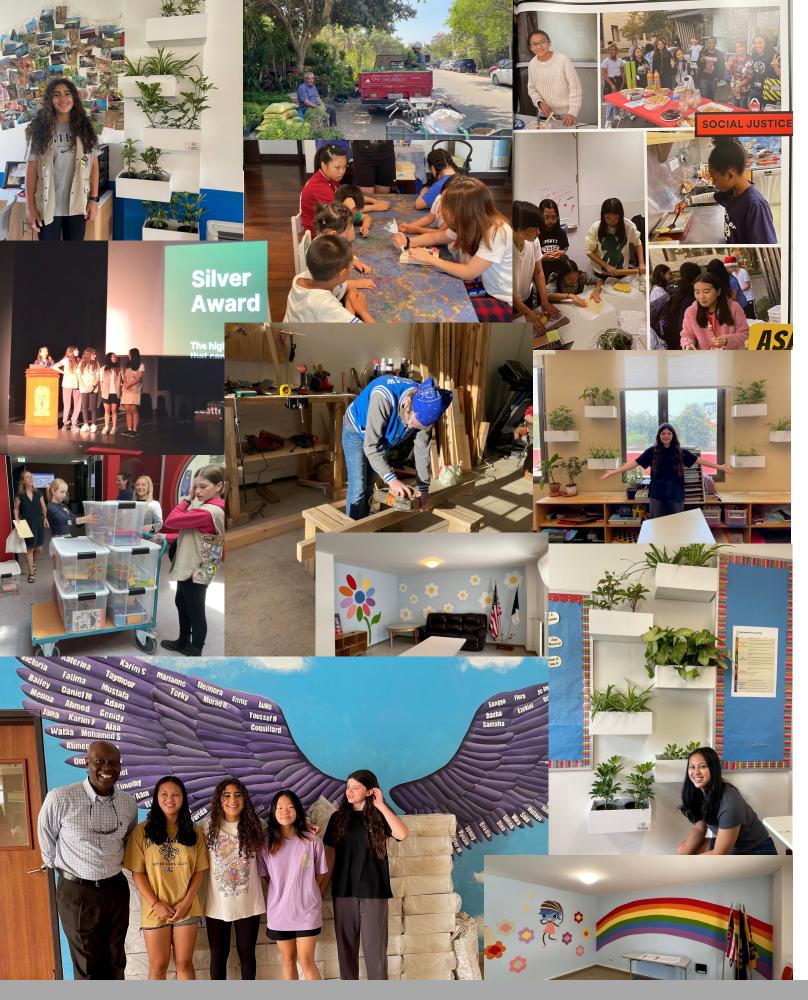
Janaya St. Thomas Troop 44508 "Can A Woman"

Juliette



Jaida, Salah USAGSO Juliettes "Healthy Food"





2022 - 2023 Silver Award Girl Scouts



2022 - 2023 Gold Award Girl Scouts

The Girl Scout Gold is earned by Senior or Ambassador Girl Scouts whose passion for an issue meets the needs of their community. Approximately 6% of Senior and Ambassador Girl Scouts throughout the movement earn the Gold Award. The decision to complete the Gold Award is a major commitment of time, energy and attention. Senior and Ambassador Girl Scouts work independently to select a community partner, work collaboratively with that partner to identify need, and lead a team of peers, professionals, and other volunteers to complete a project that meets the identified need. While Gold Award Girl Scouts must lead a project independently they do not complete a project alone; connecting with community partners and building a strong and supportive team is an important part of the Gold Award leadership journey. The USAGSO Highest Awards Yearbook recognizes remarkable Girl Scouts in our communities who earned and reported their Gold Award through Girl Scouts' GoGold Online platform.

Girl Scout Seniors and Ambassadors that complete their Gold Award build valuable management and leadership skills that will last a lifetime! This yearbook recognizes their work and we know their stories will inspire more!

Senior and Ambassador Girl Scouts can become Gold Award Girl Scouts if they:

- Are in ninth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth grade or the local equivalent to these US grade levels
- Are registered Girl Scout Seniors or Ambassadors (Note: For USAGSO recognition USAGSO registration is required, USAGSO recommends earning the Gold as a Senior)
- Have completed two Senior or Ambassador Journeys OR the Silver Award and one Journey

To earn the Gold Award Senior or Ambassado<mark>r Girl Scouts should follow these steps:</mark>

- Visit usagso.org, review the Gold Award section and related resources
- Visit gogold.org and start to build your Gold Award proposal
- Research an issue or issues you are passionate about and meet with community members
 to find out how that issue is effecting your community and potential target audience
- Complete and submit your proposal to the USAGSO Gold Award committee through GoGold Online. (Note: Allow for 2 to 3 months for committee approval)
- Once approved, put your plan in to motion. Gold Award requires at least 80 hours
- Submit your final report through GoGold Online for approval from the USAGSO Gold Award Committee
- After approval request recognition materials from USAGSO and celebrate



Senior &
Ambassador
Girl Scouts
Honored





These Girl Scouts dedicated on average 100+ hours to their communities



One fourth of our Gold Award Girl Scouts are proudly serving with their military family overseas









Doris Wang, Shanghai Canvas for Youth

Doris introduced youth in her local community to art, giving it new meanings and connections to the world around them. Through her partnership with the community organization ARTPASS, she created a summer camp curriculum that invited local artist in to lead art talks. Doris believes passionately that art can be used to showcase ideas, display

one's personality, push agendas, impact history and applied to different careers. Using artist like names Doris has changed the way ARTPASS students see art and themselves. Doris' Gold Award was also an opportunity for her to challenge herself and preserver.



Germany



Adeline Hannon, Frankfurt Effects of Nutrition

In collaboration with school officials and students Adeline connected her passion for healthy, sustainable eating with the need for better nutrition education. Over the course of the school year, Adeline used a hands on approach to teach children about making healthy, sustainable choices when it comes to food. Adeline saw how students interest increased and attitudes because more positive as they saw the products of their labor develop in the school garden they help to design and plant. Adeline's Gold Award helped her discover that youth are passionate

when they make connections to the topic and understand they impact they can have



Hong Kong



Leah Gillette, Hong Kong Increasing Volunteerism for Sunshine Action

When Leah noticed the decline in Sunshine Action volunteers, she decided to take action to make a positive difference in her community. After meeting with Sunshine Actions director they decided could use her goal to earn the Gold Award to increase their volunteers and expand their reach. Leah created recruitment, training and orientation materials to raise awareness about Sunshine Action's work and prepare a variety of volunteers to make a positive

sustainable impact on their local community. Leading a team of almost 20 people to execute her vision was no simple task, but she made meaningful connections and prioritsed communication.







Anna Mendoza, Kadena School Beautification Project

Many of our families overseas are familiar with regular transition. Growing up in a military family Anna knows exactly what it is like to make a new start every few years and the difference it can make to receive a warm welcome. Working with her school administrators and students, Anna created a program to give students a voice in what makes their school beautiful. Anna had to use her resources wisely and think critically to bring her vision to life. Leading a large team of adults and youth has it's

challenges, but Anna's Gold Award journey has taught her to communicate clearly so that everyone understands their role.





Maliana McCollum, Kwajalein Promoting Early Literacy on Ebeye

When Maliana saw the connection between poverty and low literacy rates in her community she wanted to make a sustainable difference. Working with 8 local schools Maliana lead a team of Girl Scouts and community members to model good reading behaviors and reading aloud to four and five year olds and their families. In this island nation getting to a school is not as simple as hoping on a local bus, Maliana's project inspired school to work together to provide transportation for volunteers and local

families to be more active in their children's education. Maliana also received support from the Ministry of Education. Maliana loved working with the children and learned to never give up no matter the challenges or conflicts that arise.



After researching Kendal discovered how stress, anxiety and depression are common in communities around the world. Which supported what she learned about her own community after conversations with community members. Kendal decided she wanted to do a project that brought her community together and gave them a creative outlet to deal with their emotions. When COVID

hit the community and stop all social gatherings, Kendal was able to see first hand how lack of connection increased feelings of stress, anxiety

and depression. Kendal got a lot of great feedback from her community about her positive impact.



Beautification







Philippines



Sophia Elizabeth Tan, Manila Sustainable URban Fish farm (S.U.R.F.)

Sophia saw a connection between youth outside of the traditional education system taking life skills classes and sustainable urban farming that no one was making, so Sophia decided to make it herself. Working with a local school and community organization Sophia lead a team of community members and

students to construct a fish farm at the school and translate a curriculum and instruction into local language for the teachers. Sophia navigated COVID lockdowns to successfully complete her project and become "ate," older sister, for the many students involved with her project.





Saudi Arabia



Shruthi Juttu, Dhahran Comics for Community

During the COVID pandemic it was difficult for Girl Scouts around the world to complete Gold Award projects, for Girl Scouts in the USAGSO community it created another barrier in the already difficult world of international engagement. However, shruthi decided to use COVID as the inspiration for her Gold Award. Shruthi used her creativity and artistic skills to educate communities in the US and India about COVID and what they need to do to project themselves. Shruthi learned a lot about her working style and enjoyed connecting her passion for art with science education.





Singapore



Chloe Hanford, Singapore Digital Marketing for Good

Even though social media is a regular part of our lives many organizations don't know how to use the available tools to make the most of their platforms, increase their reach and raise awareness about the important issue they address. Chole taught her fellow students and community members how to use digital marketing for good and it was a great success. Chloe found that she

loved learning through collaboration. Her conversations I had with her target audience and mentor were what gave her the purpose and context for my research. This engagement help her generate questions and connect with a diversity of people.





Jessica Kim, Singapore Introducing the Holocaust to Upper Elementary Students

Jessica knows that a lack of knowledge of world history can have disastrous results. After conducting a survey of 450 fellow students from fourth to twelfth grade she found that this well educated group of students lacked knowledge of the Holocaust. With the help of her team of educators and experts, Jessica created a leveled curriculum for more the 600 students to follow and learn, not only what happened, but some of the stories of those who were impacted by this horrific world event. Jessica proud of the engagement and interest of her students.





Spain



Belén Gonzalo Centeno, Madrid E.D.ucation

Belén's main objective for her Gold Award was to destigmatize mental health, in particular Eating Disorders (EDs) among teenagers. Even though her research found Eds to be common, there are

still stigmas which make people feel isolated and avoid asking for help. Belén hosted workshops for 90 9th graders that included presentations and role play for student to better understand EDs and remove the stigmas. Belén never thought she could complete a project of this scale, but she learned a lot about herself and what she is capable of by

completing the Girl Scout Gold Award.



Laura Victoria Griffin Saenz de Santa Maria



Laura Victoria saw the need for her fellow students to have a where students could request to meet with anyone in a non-threatening, relaxed atmosphere. After conversations with her peers she realized that many students prefer to speak with adults at the school who may not be in an official counseling role. Laura Victoria's project provided a space and system for student to request time with any trusted adult in the school. Laura Victoria went outside of her comfort zone to gain the

support of a variety of stakeholders to make her vision a reality. Laura Victoria's Gold Award was a great success as now students have a unique

counseling space of their own design, that will be maintained by the school for years to come.









The Girl Scout Gold Award Scholarship Girl Scouts of the USA Recognition

The Gold Award, and Girl Scouts itself, evolves over time to better support, serve, and celebrate members around the world. In an effort to recognize the amazing work of Gold Award Girl Scouts throughout the movement, GSUSA expanded the National Woman of Distinction recognition, which previously only recognized 10 of the hundreds of remarkable Gold Award Girl Scouts, to create The Girl Scout Gold Award Scholarship. The Girl Scout Gold Award Scholarship recognizes one outstanding Gold Award Girl Scout from each council and USAGSO. Gold Award Girl Scouts who have earned their Gold Award from April Ist of the previous year to March 31st of the scholarship year, are eligible to apply for the Girl Scout Gold Award Scholarship in March and April. Eligible Gold Award Girl Scouts have the opportunity to submit essay responses to updated sustainability and impact information, as well as add reflection on their time and work. Scholarship applications are reviewed by a selection committee from GSUSA and USAGSO, and Girl Scouts are notified of their status in May.

Congratulations to the 2023 recipient of the Girl Scout Gold Award Scholarship, Kendal Warren!



Lifetime of Leadership Award USA Girl Scouts Overseas Recognition

The Gold Award is a Girl Scout's first step on a lifelong journey of meaningful engagement, positive impact, and sustainable personal growth. The leadership journey started with the Gold Award is one that will last a lifetime and USAGSO hopes that her lifetime of leadership includes Girl Scouts. To help keep some of these remarkable leaders connected to the Girl Scout movement, we offer the Lifetime of Leadership award. This recognition is given to Gold Award Girl Scouts from USA Girl Scouts Overseas, providing them with a Young Adult Lifetime membership.

The USAGSO Gold Award Committee selects up to three outstanding Gold Award Girl Scouts who will transition to adult membership in October of the selection year. This is no easy task! The Committee looks for meaningful engagement with community and target audience, and a strong plan for sustainability. Recipients are selected in May and notified that they have been awarded a Girl Scout Lifetime membership in June.

Congratulations to the 2023 Lifetime of Leadership recipients!

Emilie Callender, 2021 - 2022 Gold Award Girl Scout from USAGSO Brussels Sophia Elizabeth Tan, 2022 - 2023 Gold Award Girl Scout from USAGSO Manila

What's next for our class of 2023 Gold Award Girl Scouts?

Doris Wang will continue her education at the University of California Los Angles, USA to major in Political Science and pre-law.

Adeline Hannon will be studying Chemistry at the University of Edinburgh in Scotland.

Leah Gillette will attend university for biomedical engineering.

Anna Mendoza plans to pursue a Bachelor of Arts degree at a four year college.

Maliana McCollum will be attending the University of South Florida in Tampa, Florida, USA. There she will study Ocean Conservation.

Kendal Warren will attend college in the US on the east coast after graduation. Art will always be a part of her life as a hobby or through classes. After undergraduate she plans to go to medical school to become a dermatologist.

Sophia Elizabeth Tan will study design and commerce at university in New Zealand. She also used the time between school to travel and explore the world a bit.

Shruthi Juttu is attending the University of Texas at Austin in the United States. She will double-majoring in Psychology and Plan II Honors on a pre-med track. After completing her undergraduate education, she plans to attend medical school and become a psychiatrist.

Chloe Hanford is studying political science at the University of Notre Dame in Indiana, USA.

Jessica Kim will attend Williams College in the United States to double major in Political Science and History.

Belén Gonzalo Centeno is enrolled in Comillas Pontifical University in Madrid, Spain to study Industrial Engineering in this fall.

Laura Victoria Griffin Saenz de Santa Maria will attend the University of Technology, Arts and Design outside of Madrid, Spain, where she will study Animation.





