## **Daisy's Dozen Troop Program Year Assessment Tool**

The Daisy's Dozen Program Year Assessment Tool is an online assessment that is implemented annually to collect information that staff and administrative volunteers use to make informed decisions about future programmatic support to ensure girls are receiving an enriching Girl Scout experience based on the Girl Scout Leadership Experience, and that leaders have the support and resources they need.

As part of the assessment, we incorporate an opportunity for 12 troops each year to be selected to receive recognition as a Daisy's Dozen Elite Troop for going above and beyond in their experiences while also meeting 12 criteria points as outlined in the assessment. The 12 selected Daisy's Dozen Elite troops will receive special council-wide recognition throughout the upcoming year.



## The Annual Assessment:

- Covers activities between October 1 and May 15
- Is open from April 16

   June 1
- Earns free Daisy's Dozen fun patches to troops that submit it by June 1
- Provides the opportunity for troops that submit it by June 1 to be eligible for Daisy's Dozen Elite status
- · Can only be accessed through a coleaders VTK account and is found under the Resource tab
- Takes on average 15-20 minutes to complete and must be done in one sitting

Read on to review the questions that make up the assessment to best prepare yourself or a designated coleader to complete it in one sitting.

- ⇒ Team Effort Yes, we added at least one additional girl and one additional adult to our troop! Describe your efforts for recruiting new members for your troop this membership year. Did you register new girls? If so, how many? Did you register new adult members? If so, how many? Tell us about it:
- ⇒ Please describe any specific situations, challenges, or feelings that kept your troop from growing this year.
- ⇒ Tell us about the traditions you and your girls honored during your Girl Scout year. Please mark all activities that are applicable and expand on them below:

Girl Scout Promise and Law

Girl Scout Quiet Sign

Friendship Circle

Flag Ceremony

Investiture or Rededication Ceremony

Girl Scout Daisy Circle

Girl Scout Brownie Ring

Patrol System

Town Meeting

**Executive Board** 

World Thinking Day

Learning about Girl Scout World Centers

Juliette Low Story/History

**Outdoor Experiences** 

Girl Scout Sunday, Sabbath/Shabbat, or Jummah

- ⇒ Please share more about how your troop participated in traditions and any others that you explored with your troop. We'd love to hear how your girls really took the lead in ways that were appropriate to their age level!
- ⇒ Do your girls have favorite Girl Scout traditions and why are they favorites? Please, do tell more!
- ⇒ If the troop chose not to participate in a product sales program, please elaborate why.

- ⇒ The majority of our girls participated in the Girl Scout Cookie Sale Program.
- ⇒ The majority of our girls participated in the Fall Product Sale program.
- ⇒ If the troop chose not to participate in a product sales program, please elaborate why.
- ⇒ Tell us how the girls used troop funds to expand their Girl Scout Experience. What outside of the meeting activities did the girls chose to participate in this year?
- ⇒ Our troop completed the Girl Scouts Give Patch program.
- ⇒ If your troop completed either component of the Girl Scouts Give program, tell us more about the ways it encouraged your troop to be a sister to every Girl Scout throughout the year.
- ⇒ Girls planned and participated in an activity or event beyond regularly scheduled troop meeting (with the service unit/area, with another troop, community event or council event). Please describe.
- ⇒ Girls participated in an activity which promoted Girl Scout visibility in the community and/or gave back to the community. This may include activities during Girl Scout week or any time during the year. What did the girls do?
- ⇒ Girls participated in a cultural event, activity, celebration, worship service, or holiday program of a different culture that they had never experienced before. Describe what they did and what they learned.
- ⇒ Share with us which Leadership Journey or Skill-Building Badge Activities your troop undertook this program year. Please list the badges that your troop earned this year– tell us about any special or unique ways in which your troop enjoyed earning the badges and/or Journeys:

## Girl Scout Daisy Girl Scout Brownie Girl Scout Junior Agent of Change Welcome to the Daisy Flower Garden ⋄ **Brownie Quest** 3 Cheers for Animals **WOW!** Wonders of Water aMUSE Between Earth and Skv World of Girls $\Diamond$ **Get Moving** Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting ♦ Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting Think Like a Citizen Scientist ♦ Think Like a Citizen Scientist ♦ Think Like a Citizen Scientist Think Like an Engineer Think Like an Engineer Think Like an Engineer $\Diamond$ $\Diamond$ Think Like a Programmer Think Like a Programmer Think Like a Programmer Outdoor Outdoor Outdoor

Girl Scout Cadette	Girl Scout Senior	Girl Scout Ambassador
♦ aMAZE	♦ Girltopia	Your Voice, Your World
♦ Breath	Mission: Sisterhood	♦ Bliss: Live It! Give It!
♦ Media	♦ Sow What?	♦ Justice
♦ Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting	<ul> <li>Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting</li> </ul>	♦ Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting
Think Like a Citizen Scientist	♦ Think Like a Citizen Scientist	♦ Think Like a Citizen Scientist
♦ Think Like an Engineer	Think Like an Engineer	♦ Think Like an Engineer
♦ Think Like a Programmer	Think Like a Programmer	♦ Think Like a Programmer
♦ Outdoor	♦ Outdoor	♦ Outdoor

- ⇒ What did your girls enjoy the most as part of their Girl Scout troop experience?
- ⇒ What was the best part about being a troop co-leader this year?
- ⇒ What are the girls looking forward to next year in Girl Scouting?