



Family Star

There are only so many hours in a day. Girls and their families have to balance many interests, commitments, and responsibilities. That's why Girl Scouting today is more flexible than ever!

What can the Family Star Program do?

- Open the door to participation for parents and families.
- Build a solid support base and strengthen a girl's chances of longevity with the troop.
- Have a positive effect on the troop and your daughter through your participation.
- Help your troop accomplish so much more!
- Increase communication between you and other troop families.
- Build future volunteers as children witness parent volunteerism first-hand.

Customize Your Role: On the back of this flyer is a list of ways you can support the troop this year. Simply indicate how you plan to help, and return that portion of this flyer to your Troop Leader. Fill out the tear-off and keep it for your reference. All adult family members may participate!

**Thank
you!**

for making a
difference in
girls' lives.

Yes! I Can Help!

Place a checkmark in the boxes next to the things that you can do to help make this a great Girl Scout Leadership Experience for all the girls in the troop! Please return this section to the Troop Leader.

Name: _____ Girl's Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Yes, I can do this!	Position/skills	Quick Description	Completion
	Finance/Record Keeping	Assist with record-keeping for the troop's money, awards, etc.	
	Cookie Program	Serve as the Troop Cookie Program Volunteer	
	Fall Product Program	Serve as the Troop Fall Product Program Volunteer	
	Take Action Project Coordinator	Help Troop Leaders and girls plan and complete projects to benefit their community	
	Outdoor Skills	Take Troop Camp Training and serve as the troop's qualified troop camper	
	Chaperone/Driver	Transport or chaperone a group of girls to field trip locations; must have valid driver's license and vehicle insurance	
	Troop First Aid/Certifications	Serve as troop first aid person, lifeguard, or canoe certified volunteer	
	Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shop for troop supplies or prep needed materials • Research and teach girls a skill • Share a musical talent with girls • Watch leaders' other children while the Troop Leaders focus on the girls 	
	Troop Leader	Any girl with a parent or guardian in the troop leader role will automatically qualify	

Family Star Promise

Please complete this section and keep it with you as a reminder of your commitment to support the troop this year! Once you have completed your requirement, visit a GSME shop to purchase a family star patch for your girl (or a star in subsequent years).

Shining Star Patch: \$2.00 Star Patch: \$0.75

I promise to contribute to the success of Girl Scout Troop _____ this year by volunteering my time.

I'm willing to: _____



Note: All adults who help the troop regularly, have regular contact with girls, transport girls or handle troop funds must be registered Girl Scouts and complete the GSME background check. **Begin at <http://www.girlscoutsofmaine.org/>**