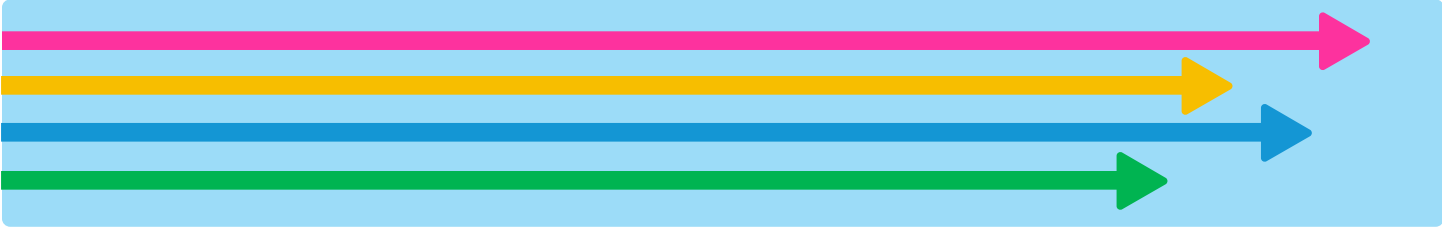


Global Action Days Challenge



Throughout the year, Girl Scouts recognizes nine international global action days which celebrate girls and women and addresses the different challenges girls and women face around the world.

This year Girl Scouts of Maine is offering a FREE Global Action Days patch to all girls who complete this challenge (while supplies last). By earning the Global Action Days Patch, girls celebrate the achievements of girls and women, learn about the issues that exist for girls and women around the world, and how they can help to make the world a better place.

Steps to Earn the Global Action Days Patch:

Girls earn the patch by celebrating Global Action Days throughout the year and submitting a final report.

- Step 1:** Learn about and celebrate at least **five** Global Action Days, *including World Thinking Day*.
 - Step 2:** Complete the online report each time you celebrate Global Action Day. Your final online report must be received by July 1, 2022.
- Final report:** <https://form.jotform.com/GirlScoutsofMaine/GlobalAction2022>

Reminders:

- This is a patch, so it is worn on the back of the vest or sash.
- GSME has a limited supply of Global Action Days patches available, and the patch will be distributed to girls/troops as supplies last.

Global Action Days:

Girl Scouts celebrate the following nine international Global Action Days:

- International Day of the Girl October 11
- Global Poverty Day October 17
- 16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence November 25-December 10
- World Thinking Day February 22
- International Women’s Day March 8
- Global Youth Service Day 2nd or 3rd Weekend of April
- Global Action Week for Education 3rd or 4th Week of April
- Girls in ICT (Information and Communication Technologies) Day 4th Thursday in April
- World Environment Day June 5

Resources:

- GSUSA Global Action Days Toolkit
<https://www.girlscoutsofmaine.org/content/dam/girlscouts-girlscoutsofmaine/documents/Global-Action-Days-Toolkit.pdf>
- GSME’s Global Girl Scouts webpage
<https://www.girlscoutsofmaine.org/en/about-girl-scouts/our-program/global-girl-scouts.html>
- Global Action Days Final Report
<https://form.jotform.com/GirlScoutsofMaine/GlobalAction2022>