



2026-2027 GIRL PRODUCT PROGRAM PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

My Girl Scout has my permission to participate in the 2026-2027 Girl Scouts of Gateway Council Product Programs (Sweets & Treats and/or Cookies). We agree to adhere to the following statements and provide our initials as acknowledgement:

- _____ We agree to abide by all GSUSA and council regulations and comply with the Standards of Conduct (see reverse)
- _____ My Girl Scout is actively registered for the 2026-2027 year with Girl Scouts of the USA (GSUSA)
- _____ I understand that my Girl Scout will not receive her rewards if it is discovered that she is not actively registered with GSUSA
- _____ We will agree to always conduct ourselves in a manner befitting Girl Scouts
- _____ We will not hold Girl Scouts of Gateway Council responsible for any lost, stolen, damaged or unused reward items
- _____ We will ensure that safety is our number one priority. An adult will monitor, supervise and guide all product sale activities
- _____ We will ensure that this is a girl-led program, and adults will play a mentoring role in Girl Scout product sale activities
- _____ **We will not sell Girl Scout products on buy, sale, trade sites (eBay, Craigslist, Swip Swap, FB Marketplace, Next door online pages)**
- _____ **We will not contact retail stores or set up cookie booths at retail locations without prior council authorization, obtained through your Community Product Manager**
- _____ We will adhere to all program dates and deadlines
- _____ We understand that substitution or modification of reward items or levels may occur without notice
- _____ We are responsible for all products received. **Unsold products may not be returned or exchanged**
- _____ I accept **financial responsibility** for all products and monies received from the sale of any product
- _____ I accept that all monetary donations received during the Sweets & Treats or Cookie Programs will be applied toward the council-sponsored organization Care to Share recipient. No additional fundraising is allowed during booth or in-person sales
- _____ I will ensure that all monies collected for any product will be submitted to the troop's Product Manager by the payment deadlines
- _____ I am aware that Girl Scouts of Gateway Council reserves the right to seek the services of a collection agency and/or pursue legal action for any delinquent amounts owed and that my Girl Scout will not receive earned rewards
- _____ I am aware that Girl Scouts of Gateway Council will pursue all legal remedies and may prosecute to the fullest extent of the law if I am found to have engaged in any illegal activities in connection with Girl Scouts.

TROOP # _____ COMMUNITY # _____

GIRL FIRST NAME (PRINT) _____ GIRL LAST NAME (PRINT) _____

CAREGIVER FIRST NAME (PRINT) _____ CAREGIVER LAST NAME (PRINT) _____

HOME ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

HOME PHONE# _____ CELL PHONE # _____

CAREGIVER EMAIL _____

GIRL SCOUT T-SHIRT SIZE: _____

STANDARDS OF CONDUCT

- ☐ Girls are required to wear Girl Scout attire and/or pins when selling Girl Scout products
 - Shoes must be worn at all times when selling
- ☐ Girls ages 5-12 must have an adult over the age of 18 present with them while selling product
 - Remember that safety is our number one priority and no girl should ever sell alone
 - Never give out your home address or last name or enter a home of someone you do not know
- ☐ Girls over the age of 12 are encouraged to use the buddy system when selling door-to-door
- ☐ Always meet deadlines
- ☐ No eating or drinking when selling or handling product
- ☐ Girl Scouts should never be disruptive and must always remain well-mannered
- ☐ Be honest, trustworthy and reliable
- ☐ Say "Thank You" to all customers, even if a purchase is not made
- ☐ Always be respectful
- ☐ Ensure that all orders are delivered in a timely manner
- ☐ Always let your customers know when they should expect delivery of their product

PLEASE REVIEW THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS AND INITIAL BELOW:

_____ Smoking, vaping, or use of electronic cigarettes is not permitted while selling or within the visual range of any product.

This includes cookies, nuts, and candy. Product may not be exposed to smoking byproduct at anytime

_____ Use of nicotine products is not permitted while in the visual vicinity of any Girl Scout while conducting Girl Scout activities.

_____ Foul or inappropriate language may not be used at any time while conducting Girl Scout activities

_____ Price of product is predetermined and may not be altered for any reason (including the addition of credit card transaction fees)

_____ For safety reasons, only registered Girl Scouts may participate in product sales. Siblings or other unregistered minors are not permitted to attend or participate in product sale activities such as cookie booths or door-to-door sales

_____ Failure to follow these procedures may result in loss of selling privileges, earned rewards and removal from Girl Scouts

CAREGIVER SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

Troops must retain this form until the conclusion of the troop year