



Girl Scouts®

Leadership Development Pin Application Form

(Instructions on reverse - Due to Service Unit by March 1)

Name _____ Phone: (Day) _____
 Address _____ (Evening) _____
 _____ Email: _____
 Troop/Group# _____ Grade Level _____ County _____ Service Unit _____



Leadership Development Pin

**To receive the Leadership Development Pin, complete Section I.
 To receive the attachment Award (Leaves), complete Section II.**

SECTION I

In order to qualify for this pin, all criteria must be met. Please indicate qualification by checking off all that apply.

- Applicant: _____ Has completed one year as Leader, Assistant or Group Coordinator
 _____ Has completed the basic Leadership Courses
 _____ Getting Started or Leader 101, _____ Orientation, _____ Age Level or Leadership Essentials
 (Date) (Date) (Date)
- Applicant: _____ Has completed First Aid/CPR
 _____ Has completed Exploring Outdoors or Be Safe Be Ready
 _____ Has completed Troop Camp Preplan/Overnight or Fire Building & Outdoor Cooking and the Overnight Camp Experience

OR

_____ Has recruited an adult resource person(s) who has completed the above listed courses. Please indicate name and date of adult resource person(s) below:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date</u>
First Aid/CPR: _____	_____
Exploring Outdoors: _____ or Be Safe Be Ready _____	_____
Troop Camp Preplan/Overnight: _____ or Fire Building & Outdoor Cooking and Overnight Camp Experience _____	_____

- Applicant: _____ has attended two types of Girl Scout meetings/events beyond the troop level.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Date</u>
Service Unit Meeting _____	Service Unit Event _____
Annual Meeting _____	Open Membership Meeting _____
Other (Describe) _____	

SECTION II

Indicate number of leaves you currently have:

None _____ Green _____ Silver _____ Gold _____

Course/Training Taken	# of Course Hours	Date Completed	Certifying Agency
Total			

Service Unit Approval: _____
 Signature _____ Position _____

Leadership Development Pin Information



The Leadership Development Pin is an earned recognition for troop leaders, assistant troop leaders and Group Coordinators who have completed a series of requirements. The Leadership Development Pin depicts a brown owl on a yellow background. The pin has five hooks to which leaves may be attached in acknowledgement of courses taken.

Requirements:

- The candidate is an active, registered member of GSUSA who has completed one year as a leader, assistant troop leader or Group Coordinator.
- The candidate has completed all requirements in Section 1.
- The candidate completes an application for the Leadership Development Pin (on reverse side) and submits it to the Service Unit Adult Learning/Awards Coordinator. The pin may be applied for at the conclusion of the first year.

Enrichment Leaves:

Candidates need to document their hours when applying for leaves. In order for course hours to count toward a leaf, the classes must be related to increasing the candidate's skill in working with girls.

Green Leaf: The Green Leaf represents **10 hours** of coursework beyond those completed for the initial Leadership Development Pin. The hours may be completed at one workshop, course or adult learning opportunity event or represent hours accumulated at several events over a period of time. Five green leaves are replaced by one silver leaf.

Silver Leaf: The Silver Leaf represents **50 hours** of coursework beyond those completed for the initial Leadership Development Pin. The hours may be one workshop, course, or adult learning opportunity event or cumulative hours. Five silver leaves are replaced by one gold leaf.

Gold Leaf: The Gold Leaf **250 hours** of coursework.