

Sister to Sister Believe in Her Patch – All



The Sister to Sister Patch Program The Sister to Sister Patch Program helps girls to understand the importance of philanthropy while continuing to develop compassion for others. The program involves girls creating their own piggy bank and taking part in learning about the ways in which nonprofits use fundraising to help others.

Patch Requirements:

This patch program is open to all age groups. Each year that a girl participates in Sister to Sister, she may earn a “rocker” with the year to place around the patch.

Part One:

Each girl who participates should research and answer the following questions:

1. Philanthropy means “the act of donating money, property or work to help others.”
 - What do you think other Girl Scouts may need?
2. A nonprofit organization is a group of people who work to use the money that they raise to help others.
 - Other than Girl Scouts, name three other nonprofit organizations in your community that help others.
 - How do these other organizations help people?
3. Money is one way to donate to help a cause, but we can also help by volunteering in our community to make it a better place.
 - Have you ever volunteered to help someone?
 - What did you do?
 - How did helping others make you feel?

Part Two:

Bling your Bank or get jiggy with the piggy! **It doesn't have to be a pig!** Any household object can be repurposed and used. Encourage the members of your troop to get creative. Create individual banks for the girls to collect spare change at home. Keep track of the girls who participated by taking a photo of the girl's bank with their first name and troop number on it. Explain to the girls how their contribution is making a difference for other Girl Scouts. A donation of \$20 can help another girl attend an event or supply her with a sash and basic patches to get her started along her journey.

Part Three:

Send us your photos! The girl doesn't need to be in the photo, but her troop number and first name should be visible in order to receive the patch. Please send all photos to development@hngirlscouts.org.