



## Girl Advisory League (GAL) Application 2019-2020

**Application Checklist:** Follow these steps to complete your application to apply for a spot on the Girl Advisory League.

- Make sure you are a registered Girl Scout.** Please contact Customer Care at (405) 528-4475 or at [info@gswestok.org](mailto:info@gswestok.org) if you need to renew or register as a Girl Scout member.

**Review the Required Dates and Check Your Calendar.** All applicants must be able to make at least the **required** GAL meetings:

**Overnight Retreat: Sunday August 11<sup>th</sup>-Monday August 12<sup>th</sup>** (Girl Scout Office)

**October 20<sup>th</sup> 2019**    **January TBD 2020**-(Date of the Girl Scout Annual Meeting)    **April 19, 2020**

**Other Dates:**

September 21-GAL at GSU    November 16<sup>th</sup>-GAL at GSU    December 7<sup>th</sup>-GAL Christmas Party  
May 2, 2020 GAL Flower Sale at Girl Awards

- Complete your application.** The application consists of three pages (excluding the checklist page), two are information gathering and one page has two essay questions to be filled out by you. Please be sure to type or print VERY neatly. When writing your essay answers, please be specific and remember to share your accomplishments, skills and goals to shine as a Go-Getter, Innovator, Risk Taker and Leader to be a great candidate for the Girl Advisory League. Ask a friend or adult to proofread your essays for errors. If you need more room to write, add an extra page as needed.
- Request your references.** You must ask two people to provide a reference for you. Consider asking your troop leader, a teacher, a sports coach, a club/activity advisor, or any adult who knows you well but is not a member of your family. Fill in their contact information on page 3 of the application and let them know they will be contacted by a staff member of Girl Scouts of Western Oklahoma after your application has been received.
- Submit your completed application.** Completed applications need to be submitted to Girl Scouts Western Oklahoma by **July 15, 2019**. Applications can be submitted by emailing [info@gswestok.org](mailto:info@gswestok.org) subject line GAL Application, mailed or dropped off to the Girl Scout Office at 6100 N Robinson Ave, Oklahoma City OK 73118 Attn: GAL Applications or fax to (405) 418-7999 Attn: GAL Applications.
- Understand what happens next.** You will submit your application to Girl Scouts of Western Oklahoma to be reviewed for application completion and to verify your status as a registered Girl Scout member. The staff will contact your references with a few questions about you. The GAL Selection Committee will review all applications and notify all applicants by **July 31<sup>st</sup> 2019** if they have been selected to serve on the Girl Advisory League.



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Applicants must be going into 8<sup>th</sup> grade or higher and a Registered Girl Member of Girl Scouts Western Oklahoma.

Deadline to submit applications and references is **July 15, 2019**. Due to tight turn arounds, late applications will not be accepted.

Applicants chosen for the Girl Advisory League 2018-19 will be notified by **July 31, 2019**.

<b>Name:</b>			<b>Address:</b>	
<b>Phone:</b>			<b>Email:</b>	
<b>Troop:</b>	<b>SU:</b>	<b>Years in Girl Scouts:</b>	<b>Grade Fall 2019:</b>	<b>Girl Scout Level Fall 2019:</b>

### Best Way to Contact You (Number in preference order 1, 2, 3 or 0 if unavailable)

Phone Call \_\_\_\_\_ Text Message \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

### Select the Awards You Have Received as a Girl Scout:

PA Pin \_\_\_\_\_ CIT Pin \_\_\_\_\_ CIT II Pin \_\_\_\_\_ VIT Pin \_\_\_\_\_ VIT II Pin \_\_\_\_\_  
Bronze Award \_\_\_\_\_ Silver Award \_\_\_\_\_ Gold Award \_\_\_\_\_

### Select the Programs You Currently Participate In as a Girl Scout:

Cookie Sale \_\_\_\_\_ Fall Product Sale \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Meeting Delegate \_\_\_\_\_ HAT \_\_\_\_\_

Other (List) \_\_\_\_\_

What Activities do You Participate in (sports, clubs, arts, other activities) outside of Girl Scouts? List any leadership positions you hold in these activities.

Would you be able to attend all Girl Advisory League Meetings? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

What would keep you from attending the GAL Meetings?





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**Include Two Adult Reference Letters with your Application. Please list the contact information for the references below:**

## Reference 1

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Relationship to You:</b>
<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Email:</b>

## Reference 2

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Relationship to You:</b>
<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Email:</b>

**If chosen as a member for the Girl Advisory League, I agree to the following:**

- I will attend required Girl Advisory League Meetings
- I will follow the Girl Scout Promise and Law during meetings and events that I attend as a member of GAL
- I will provide feedback to the group in a timely manner.
- I will actively participate in meetings and discussions.

Girl Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_