



'S'MORE ABOUT GSSJC" PATCH PROGRAM

Girl Scouts of San Jacinto Council

Purpose: Discover how our Girl Scouts have changed over time and kept up with the times.

Introduction: Read the Juliette Low quotation on page 3 of S'More About GSSJC. How does it affect you today?

All levels complete the requirements as listed by age level, and **must include the 2 starred requirements:**

Daisy Girl Scouts:	3 of the 12 Requirements
Brownie Girl Scouts:	5 of the 12 Requirements
Junior Girl Scouts	6 of the 12 Requirements
Cadette Girl Scouts	7 of the 12 Requirements
Senior Girl Scouts	7 of the 12 Requirements
Ambassador Girl Scouts	7 of the 12 Requirements

1. In S'More About GSSJC find and list the different pins a girl could wear to show that she was a Girl Scout. How has the traditional Girl Scout pin changed over the years? How many years ago was the contemporary style pin adopted? Know the symbolism of each pin.
 2. Compare the highest Awards that a Girl Scout could earn in the past shown in S'More About GSSJC What is the highest Girl Scout Award you earn as a Girl Scout today?
 3. Make your own semaphore flags. Decode the semaphore message in S'More About GSSJC and give your answer in semaphore.
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- Decode the Morse code message in S'More About GSSJC and learn to send your name and city in Morse code.
 4. Compare the camping equipment list in S'More About GSSJC with the list you use to go to camp. Make a list of what has changed and what is the same. Lash the picture frame or tripod shown in S'More About GSSJC.
 - **5. What were the requirements for a new Girl Scouts in 1920? See S'More About GSSJC. Learn the current Promise and Law. Compare to those in 1920. What has changed and what has remained the same.?
 - **6. Look at the maps in S'More About GSSJC. Note how much our council has grown since its beginning in 1922. In which county do you live? Which

district? If you do not live in Harris County, when did your county become part of the Girl Scouts of San Jacinto Council? What three names has our council had?

7. Compare your uniform of today with past Girl Scout uniforms. Using the patterns in S'More About GSSJC make and color the uniforms and paper dolls. Try designing a new Girl Scout uniform.
8. Choose one woman on the list on page 49 in S'More About GSSJC. Prepare a short story of her life and share the story with your troop or another person. Can you add names of other famous women to the list?
9. Girl Scouts in our Council sold cookies in 1925 to help buy bricks to build the GSUSA building in New York. What year did our Council first hire a bakery to make the cookies for us to sell to benefit our camps? Make cookies from the recipe in S'More About GSSJC. Consider giving them to a nursing home or fire station or your troop sponsor.
10. Use what you have learned in S'More About GSSJC to create a puppet show, skit, or play about the council. Present your show to an audience.
11. Complete four of the puzzles in S'More About GSSJC and check your answers. Make a Girl Scout puzzle for someone else to solve.
12. What else would you like to know about GSSJC that is not in S'More About GSSJC? Write a letter to the GSSJC History Committee at 3110 SW. Freeway, Houston, TX, 77098 and tell them what you want to know.