

## **Service Projects for Girl Scout Daisies**

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In Girl Scouting, service means doing something helpful without asking for or expecting a reward. Through service projects, Girl Scout Daisies will have fun, learn new skills and information and provide assistance to others.

## At this age level:

- 1. Service is synonymous with friendship and can occur at every meeting in a small way.
- 2. Large service projects can be carried out in partnership with Girl Scout Brownie troops.
- 3. Projects should be reasonable and provide an experience that is meaningful to the girl.
- 4. Projects should be very simple.
- 5. Projects should be of short duration as Girl Scout Daisies have short attention spans.
- 6. Projects should encourage learning more about Girl Scouting and bridging.

## Service Project Ideas for Girl Scout Daisies

- 1. Visit home bound family member(s) or friends and listen to and share favorite stories.
- 2. Take care of family pets.
- 3. Hand out flowers or programs during a Girl Scout or community event.
- 4. Plant flowers to beautify troop meeting place.
- 5. Collect toys or books for needy children.
- 6. Bring Girl Scout cookies to senior citizen center.
- 7. Sing songs with children or adults who are hospitalized.
- 8. Make a poster to tell others about Girl Scouting and give it to the service unit organizer.
- 9. Plan a celebration for a sister Girl Scout Brownie troop.
- 10. Help with a service unit bridging event.
- 11. Hand out bulletins at a synagogue or church on Girl Scout Sabbath/Sunday.
- 12. Help a Girl Scout Brownie troop plan and carry out a family picnic or cookout.
- 13. Help a Girl Scout Brownie troop plan and carry out a Mother's Day or Father's Day party for residents in a nursing home or convalescent center.
- 14. Make simple puppets and perform a puppet show for other troops.
- 15. Grow a plant or flower and present it to someone to brighten their day.
- 16. Make get well cards for someone who is ill.
- 17. Make valentines for teachers or other important people.