

The online version of this form is available on our website
www.GirlScoutsWW.org/FinancialAssistance for immediate grant submissions!

Instructions: List only one person per request form. Completed forms can be mailed to Girl Scouts Financial Assistance, 5601 6th Ave S Suite 150, Seattle, WA 98108, emailed to FinancialAssistance@GirlScoutsWW.org, or faxed to 877-512-7434

PART 1: Member & Eligibility Information

Member Info	<p>*Required. We are unable to process this application unless all required information is submitted.</p> <p>Member*: <input type="radio"/> Youth <input type="radio"/> Adult</p> <p>Last Name*: _____ First Name*: _____</p> <p>Address*: _____ City*: _____ Zip*: _____</p> <p>Email: _____ Phone*: _____ WA County*: _____</p> <p>Birthday* (mm/dd/yy): ____/____/____ Troop Number* (write n/a if not in a troop): ____ _</p>
Eligibility Info	<p>Our eligibility guidelines are the same as the federal school lunch program. If you qualify for free or reduced-price school lunch, you will qualify for our financial assistance program. Or, if your Girl Scout is a foster child, they will qualify for our financial assistance program.</p> <p>If you don't meet the eligibility guidelines, but you believe you have a unique situation, submit this financial assistance application. You will receive a notification regarding your eligibility status. If the notification states "denied," you'll see some details about how to tell us about your unique situation. As soon as we receive your response, your case will be quickly reviewed.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Does the applicant receive free or reduced-price school lunch benefits provided by your school district? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No (If Yes, jump ahead to Part 2) 2. Is the applicant a foster child? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No (If Yes, jump ahead to Part 2) 3. What is the total number of people in your household (children plus adults)? _____ 4. What is the combined gross monthly income (before taxes) for your household, including work, child support, alimony, pensions, Social Security, etc.? \$ _____

PART 2: Grant Options

See Part 5 for details about each grant type. You can request all three grants at this time, or you can request them individually throughout the membership year.

Membership	<p>Qualified applicants are automatically offered Membership Dues Grants to cover the cost of their initial 2022-2023 membership, 2023-2024 membership renewal, or to cover the cost of an extended year membership.</p> <p>To become a member, complete a 2022-2023 Membership Form and select Financial Assistance as your payment type. You will be notified when your grant is processed.</p>
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Youth Grants	<p>In addition to Membership Dues Grants, qualified youth members are eligible for up to three grant requests plus one Camp Grant per membership year.</p> <p><i>Instructions: If requesting grants at this time, choose at most one grant per row.</i></p>			
		Supply Voucher Grant	Troop Dues Grant	Event Grant
	Grant #1: (choose 1)			
	Grant #2: (choose 1)			
	Grant #3: (choose 1)			
<p>If Supply Voucher Grant is selected above, mail to (circle one): Family / Troop Leader If Event Grant is selected above, list events here (<i>See Part 5 for Event Grant details</i>):</p> <p>Title: _____ Location: _____ Date: _____ Amount: \$ _____</p> <p>Title: _____ Location: _____ Date: _____ Amount: \$ _____</p> <p>Title: _____ Location: _____ Date: _____ Amount: \$ _____</p>				
Adult Grants	<p>In addition to Membership Dues Grants, qualified adults are eligible for up to three Event Grant requests plus one Camp Grant per membership year.</p>			
	Title: _____ Location: _____ Date: _____ Amount: \$ _____			
	Title: _____ Location: _____ Date: _____ Amount: \$ _____			
	Title: _____ Location: _____ Date: _____ Amount: \$ _____			

PART 3: Camp

Each qualified applicant is eligible for one Camp Grant per membership year.
Please see Part 5 for Camp Grant details.

Camp	<p>Girl Scouts of Western Washington welcomes campers to the outdoors through a variety of camp activities and experiences. Please visit our website to see all the ways to camp.</p>
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PART 4: Authorization

<p>If you would like us to include an additional contact such as a troop leader or additional parent on email communications about your financial assistance, list that person here:</p> <p>Contact's Name: _____ Contact's email: _____</p> <p>This form must be completed by a youth member's parent, guardian, or authorized adult. I hereby declare that the information submitted on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.</p> <p>Guardian/Adult Name (please print): _____</p> <p>Adult Signature: _____ Date: _____</p>	
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PART 5: Grant Details

Membership Grant: This grant pays for one year of membership (October 1 – September 30) and is available to youth and adults who want to join Girl Scouts of Western Washington. To receive this grant, complete a Membership Form and select Financial Assistance as your payment type. Applicant will be notified once the grant has been approved.

Supply Voucher Grant: Voucher card or voucher number are required to be presented at the time the purchase is made. Supply Vouchers can be applied to sales tax and shipping (if required). Supply Vouchers expire the last day of the membership year.

Youth Supply Voucher: This grant is available to youth with active Girl Scout Memberships and can be applied toward the following items: Girl Scout sash, vest or tunic; troop numbers (up to five); flag patch; council ID set; Membership Tab and Pin; World Trefoil Pin; Girl Guide to Girl Scouting; and Girl Scout Journey Books and Skill Building Badge Activity Sets. To request this grant, submit this FA Application with a check mark in the Supply Voucher column of the Youth Grant section. Supply Voucher cards will be mailed to the specified person. If mailing to the family, the address on the form will be used. If mailing to the troop leader, their address on file for will be used.

Troop Supply Voucher: If three or more girls within a troop are qualified for financial assistance, their troop will qualify for the Troop Supply Voucher. When this occurs, troop leaders will email the financial assistance team regarding next steps for grant processing. Only one Troop Supply Voucher Grant can be approved per troop per membership year. Troop Supply Vouchers can be applied toward the following items: Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting, Girl Scout Journey Books or Journey Books with How to Guides, and Skill Building Badge Activity Sets. It can also be applied to the following adult insignia items: Pin Tab, Official Membership Pin, and World Trefoil Pin.

Troop Dues Grant: This grant is available to youth with active Girl Scout memberships who are participating in a Girl Scouts of Western Washington troop. To request this grant, submit this FA Application with a check mark in the Troop Dues column of the Youth Grant section. Grant funds

will be directly deposited into the troop's bank account. The applicant and troop leader will be notified once the grant is approved.

Event Grant: This grant is available to youth and adults who have active Girl Scout Memberships. Members are required to first qualify for the Financial Assistance Program by submitting this FA Application. If you are requesting an event where Financial Assistance is a payment option, select that payment option when registering and that will count as your grant request. There is no need to submit a separate Event Grant request. Grant funds can be applied directly to the applicant's outstanding balance. Applicant will be notified once the grant is approved. If this event is through a third party where the vendor is completing registration and payment processing (ex. Woodland Park Zoo, Pacific Science Center, etc.), submit this FA Application with a check mark in the Event Grant column and enter the grant details in the Girl Grant section, or if it is for an adult, enter the grant details in the Adult Grant section. Receipts or invoices are needed for all third party events and are required at the time of grant submission. If a receipt is attached, grant funds can be reimbursed directly to the troop's bank account. If an invoice is attached, grant funds can be paid directly to the third party. Applicant will be notified once the grant is approved. If a required adult workshop is not offered by Girl Scouts of Western Washington, financial assistance can be used to pay third party vendors (example: First Aid class offered by the Red Cross). Check out our [Adult Guide to Learning Opportunities](#) through Girl Scouts of Western Washington.

Camp Grant: This grant is available to youth and adults who have active Girl Scout memberships. This grant can be applied toward ONE camp session per year. Eligible camps include Girl Scouts of Western Washington Day and Overnight Camps as well as Volunteer Led Day, Twilight, and Overnight Camps. Applicants must first qualify for the FA program by submitting this FA Application and also be registered for camp prior to the close of the camp registration deadline. Any camp deposit, if required, is not included in grant amount. Grant funds will be directly applied to the camper's outstanding balance. Applicant will be notified once the grant is approved.