# Which camp experience is right for me?

Progression allows Girl Scouts to learn the skills they need to become competent in outdoor activities. Acknowledge your mastery of an outdoor skill and challenge yourself further by taking the next step up and out.

#### **Daisy Grades K-1**

Day Camp Swimming Nature Trails Bouldering Wall Arts and Crafts **Ecology** Canoe

#### Brownie Grades 2-3

1-3 nights

locally, outdoors in cabins or platform tents Rock Climbing Tower Fishing Low Ropes Equestrian Archery Kayak

#### Junior Grades 4-5

2-3 nights, outdoors in cabins or platform tents Island Swim **Ziplining** Fire Making Paddle **Boarding** 

#### Cadette Grades 6-8

4-6 nights, outdoors in cabins, tents, or platform tents Program Aide (PA)

Mountain Bikes

Air Rifles Sailing Cooking

Regional **Excursions** 

#### Senior Grades 9-10

6+ nights, outdoors in cabins, tents, or platform tents

Counselor-in-Training (CIT)

Wrangler in Training (WIT)

## Ambassador Grades 11-12

6+ nights, outdoors in cabins, tents, or platform tents

## Discover unique one day and mini <u>experiences</u>

perfect for troops, families, and friends check out page 16 for all the details!

on **page 15**.

Accommodations at camp vary by experience and capacity. Most stay in cabins, but adventurous Girl Scouts can enjoy the added thrill of platform tents!



platform with nearby bathroom facilities.

Platform tent: Canvas tent on a raised



Cabin: Fully enclosed with solid walls,



# Quiz: Are you ready for Girl Scout Camp?

Youth	Way	ybe	You bet!
	No	May	You
Do you enjoy staying overnight at a friend's house?	1	2	3
Can you shampoo and brush your own hair?	1	2	3
Do you do chores at home?	1	2	3
Do you enjoy outdoor activities like playing in the woods, streams, or fields?	1	2	3
Can you survive without music, TV, video games, and cell phone?	1	2	3
Would you be okay sleeping in a tent/cabin with other kids, knowing that your counselors are nearby?	1	2	3
Do you like to meet new people and have fun with others, not just your best friends?	1	2	3
Do you enjoy sleeping outside and listening to the sounds of nature?	1	2	3
Will you try new foods that might be different than what you eat at home?	1	2	3
Would you be okay walking to a nearby building to brush your teeth or use the bathroom?	1	2	3
Do you live by the Girl Scout Law?	1	2	3

#### **Your Score**

11-18: It sounds like you're not quite ready to take the plunge into overnight camp, but you can get a feel for camp life at Day Camp! Day camp is great for outdoor experiences—you get to have all sorts of camp fun during the day and go home to sleep in your own bed at night!

19-27: You're confident and ready to try new things! Get accustomed to overnight camping at Weekend & Mini Camp! This shorter camp session is a great way for you to experience the great outdoors and get a taste of what a full overnight week may be like.

**38-48:** If you're not already a camping pro, you're going to be a natural! You love adventure, trying new things, and making new friends. It sounds like you're ready for an Overnight Camp session that lasts a whole week!

Adult	Way	Maybe	You bet!
	No	Ma	You
Would you be okay communicating with your child through mail only?	1	2	3
Are you prepared to go several days without seeing your child?	1	2	3
Are you willing to entrust the camp staff with the care of your child?	1	2	3
Are you comfortable with your child living /playing in a rustic setting where it may rain and thunder?	1	2	3
Are you confident in your child's ability to:			
Socialize with kids they don't know?	1	2	3
Shampoo and brush their own hair?	1	2	3
Make their bed and keep track of their belongings?	1	2	3
Help with camp chores like sweeping, setting tables, and picking up litter?	1	2	3
Ask about ingredients before eating something to which they might be allergic?	1	2	3
Ask for help if they need it?	1	2	3

#### Your Score

10-16: Your child (and you) may not be entirely ready for Overnight Camp. Day Camp is a great way to prepare kids (and parents/caregivers) for Overnight Camp next summer. At Day Camp, campers enjoy tons of daytime camp fun and come home at night.

**17-23:** It sounds like you are ready to send your child to camp for Weekend & Mini Camp!

**35-42:** You've done this before, haven't you? You are confident in your child's abilities and willing to help prepare them for camp. You and your child are ready for a weeklong Day Camp or Overnight Camp session!