

# Gold Award Advisors

## Girl Scout Scholarship

2024

girl scouts  
of southeast florida



Since the council's inception, the Gold Award Advisors have worked with girls who are working towards earning the prestigious national Gold Award. The Gold Award Advisor position is a council-appointed role that requires a two-year term. This extraordinary volunteer is the individual Gold Award candidate's official coach and mentor who provides guidance on project elements that includes consultation on project logistics, money-earning and grant writing efforts, risk management, brand use, team roles, help with unforeseen challenges or project changes, and ensures compliance with the local and national Gold Award guidelines. These volunteers maintain a well-rounded understanding of council policies and procedures, national safety guidelines, and both national and council standards and criteria for application and successful completion of the Gold Award process.

In 2024, the team of Gold Award Advisors were inspired to launch a brand-new scholarship designed for 12<sup>th</sup> grade Girl Scouts who have earned The Gold Award. This year one recipient will receive **\$1,500.00** toward her secondary college/university education.

The recipient of the inaugural **2024 Gold Award Advisors Girl Scout Scholarship** will be recognized at the GSSEF Annual Gold Award Celebration. Attendance at this event to receive this scholarship is extremely important; scholarship committee representatives will be present. The recipient plus two additional guests are provided tickets at no cost (three tickets in total). Additional tickets will be available for purchase. The event will be held:

Saturday, May 11, 2024

9:00 am to 12:00 pm

The Raymond F. Kravis Center for the Performing Arts  
701 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach 33401



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## Girl Scout Scholarship Application 2024

### To qualify for this scholarship, a Girl Scout will:

- Be a currently registered member in the GSSEF Council;
- Be a current 12<sup>th</sup> grader in the 2023-2024 academic year;
- Have earned the Girl Scout Gold Award (2024 recipients will be considered); and
- Submit a 500-word (max) essay that addresses the following 3 prompts:
  - What does it mean to you to be a Girl Scout and how has it changed your life?
  - How do you feel being a Girl Scout will have a positive impact on your life after high school graduation?
  - What skills did you learn in Girl Scouts that you believe will help you in your future academic and professional life?

### Allocation & Distribution:

Scholarship money will be forwarded directly to the institution in the student's name upon the student providing proof of class registration and student identification number. A form will be provided to the scholarship recipient.

### Submission:

- Applications are due **Wednesday, April 3, 2024 at 11:59 pm.** (Late applications cannot be accepted.)
- Send completed applications by email with the subject line, **Gold Award Advisors Girl Scout Scholarship** to [customercare@gssef.org](mailto:customercare@gssef.org).
- The recipient will be notified by May 2, 2024.
- The recipient will be honored at the GSSEF Gold Award Ceremony on May 11, 2024.
- Include **this cover sheet with** your 500-word (max) essay, as described above.

(Please print very clearly)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of College/University you will attend for the 24/25 academic year:

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What year did you earn the Girl Scout Gold Award\*? \_\_\_\_\_

*\*If you will be receiving your Gold Award at our ceremony on May 11, 2024, please write "2024"*

- I understand the scholarship criteria and assert that I meet the qualifications for consideration.
- If I am selected, I understand that my attendance is expected at the ceremony on 5/11/2024.