Girl Scout Summer Camp

CAMP GUIDE Camp Liberty | 2025



Welcome to Camp Liberty!

Nestled on 245 wooded acres in New Liberty, Iowa, Camp Liberty is a special place for all Girl Scouts to explore the outdoors and just be themselves. Summer camp programs are designed to challenge Girl Scouts to find independence, create friendships, and take risks in a safe and supportive environment.

Call 800-798-0833 or send an email to Info@GirlScoutsToday.org with questions about Girl Scout summer camp. Every girl should have the opportunity to experience the outdoor program, and our staff is trained and ready to help accommodate any needs.

Registration opens for summer camp on February 3, 2025 at 6:00 a.m. on GirlScoutsToday.org.

Campers Get Ready!

Girl Scout summer camp is a unique space where Girl Scouts come together from across the council with different backgrounds, abilities, and experiences to have fun and learn new skills. Our trained and caring staff members support campers in discovering who they are and what they can become. Each activity is designed to support the following outcomes in every camper:

Strong Sense of Self

Campers have confidence in themselves and their abilities, and form positive identities.

Positive Values Campers act ethically

Campers act ethically, honestly, and responsibly, and show concern for others.

Challenge Seeking

Campers take appropriate risks, try things even if they might fail, and learn from mistakes.



Healthy Relationships

Campers maintain healthy relationships by communicating their feelings directly and resolving conflicts constructively.

Community Problem Solving

Campers desire to contribute to the world in purposeful and meaningful ways, learn how to identify problems, and create "action plans" to solve them.







Overnight Accommodations

Camp Liberty offers a variety of accommodations that allow campers to be close to nature while still experiencing some of the comforts of home.

Modern Cabins

Clover, Violet, and Sunflower are climate-controlled cabins and have a large bunk room and sleep 20 campers in bunk beds. Camp counselors sleep in a separate room adjoining the bunkroom. The cabins also have full restrooms and electricity.

Mini Barns

Horseshoe Bend is just across the path from our Equestrian Center. Each barn can host six campers. Camp counselors stay in their own mini barn. This unit has a full restroom and electricity.

Rustic Cabins

Outpost and Prairie's Edge are units with mini cabins that each sleep four campers on cots with mattresses. Camp counselors stay close by in mini cabins of their own. These units have full restrooms. There is electricity in the unit houses and restrooms, but not in the individual cabins.

The Woodlands is a unit with custom-designed cabins that each sleep six campers on bunkbeds. The unit has electricity and a vault toilet. Counselors stay in a cabin attached to the camper cabins.

Platform Tents

North Star sits right next to Flint Lake and uses the Swift Learning Center as the Unit House. North Star has fully screened platform tents with solid roofs and canvas coverings. Camp counselors stay close by in their own tent. This unit has port-a-potties. There is electricity in the Unit House but not in the individual tents.

The American Camp Association accredits Camp Liberty. This prestigious national organization sets high standards for the health and safety of campers and staff and the quality of programs.



Tips for Registering

Individuals

Girl Scouts attend summer camp on their own, at a time that fits their schedules. Girl Scouts do not need to attend with their troops to experience the fun of summer camp. Because most Girl Scouts are attending individually, camp is a great opportunity to make new friendships that will last a lifetime.

Buddies

Girl Scouts are invited to bring friends to summer camp! Their buddies can already be Girl Scout members or they can invite a friend who hasn't joined yet. After registering, add your buddy's name to the general information section of the Health Profile. Both campers will need to have their buddy listed to be paired together. We are unable to accommodate groups of three or more.

Non-members

Every girl is invited to summer camp! Whether she is attending on her own, or as a buddy she can find the perfect session for summer fun! Girls who are not already members of Girl Scouts can join for \$25 (without being in a troop). Then, they can sign up for summer camp and will also be invited to join outdoor events throughout the year. Any girl who joins to attend summer camp does not need to join a troop, but our membership team is happy to help her find one.

Need To Know Info

Session grade levels are based on the grade campers will be entering in the upcoming 2025-2026 school year. For example, first graders who are currently Daisies should look at Brownie sessions for grades 2-3.

Overnight sessions begin with Brownie sessions for Girl Scouts entering grades 2-3 in the 2025-2026 school year.

Unless indicated as a mini or extended session, overnight camps run Sunday-Friday.

Check-In Times:

- Campers in grades 2-5: check-in at 3:00 p.m. on the start date of their session
- Campers in grades 6-8: check-in at 2:00 p.m. on the start date of their session
- Campers in grades 9-12: check-in at 1:00 p.m. on the start date of their session
- Mid-week/Wednesday check-ins are at 2:00 p.m. for all ages

More details for the check-in process can be found in the Family Camp Handbook on GirlScoutsToday.org/summercamp.

Very Important Camper

The Very Important Camper (V.I.C.) Program provides current campers priority registration for summer camp the following year. With high demand, and the potential to hit session capacity, advance registration will help your camper secure their spot.

When you arrive to drop off your camper, you will receive information about becoming a V.I.C. All V.I.C.s must have an active Girl Scout membership for the summer they will be attending camp so make sure to renew your camper's Girl Scout membership.

Sign Up Tips

Review this guide with your camper in advance of registration opening.

1 If she wants to attend with a buddy, make sure the other family is registering for the same session and names your camper as a buddy as well.

2 Registration for summer camp opens on February 3, 2025 at 6:00 a.m. Typically, many sessions fill on the first day of registration.

3 A waitlist will be available for full sessions. All registrations require a \$60 non-refundable deposit that will be applied to the total camp fee.

4 Non-members or non-renewed members will pay an additional \$25 Girl Scout membership fee.

5 After completing summer camp registration, visit GirlScoutsToday.org/ summercamp and download a copy of the Family Camp Handbook or scan the QR code below.

This handbook has all the important information your family needs to prepare your camper for their summer camp experience.

Family Camp Handbook



Payment

Our goal is to ensure every Girl Scout has the opportunity to attend summer camp! To accommodate all families, there are three pricing levels. Choose the tier that is most suitable for your family. Each household makes this decision, and additional financial documents will not be required. When you register, you will be asked to select the tier your family can afford:

Tier A reflects the true cost of camp, including staff expenses, maintenance, food, program, and supplies.

Tier B is a partially subsidized rate but closely reflects the costs associated with camp.

Tier C is our standard subsidized fee, supported by other revenue sources, donations, and grants.

With the CampDoc registration process, caregivers will see the full cost of camp. Use code TIERB for tier B pricing and code TIERC for tier C pricing at checkout. Please send an email to Info@GirlScoutsToday.org or call 800-798-0833 for more information about additional camper grants available.

A \$15 fee will be added for disputed charges and a \$35 fee will be added for declined payments for summer camp.

Girl Scouts can use program credits earned through the Fall Product and Cookie Programs to attend summer camp. Program credits cannot be used toward the initial, non-refundable deposit but can be applied later to the total camp fee in the registration system.

The deadline to pay for camp sessions in full is May 6, 2025.

Trading Post

Girl Scouts can purchase apparel, souvenirs, toys, camping supplies, toiletries, and more at the Camp Liberty Trading Post. When checking in, caregivers can bring cash or checks for their campers to use at the Trading Post while at their summer camp session.

Caregivers need to bring cash or checks for their campers to use in the Trading Post. When checking in, camp staff will safely place the cash or check into the camper's envelope, which will be securely stored at the Trading Post. Caregivers can indicate on the envelope how much program credit their camper can use at the store or how much should be reserved for emails.



Pre-Order 2025 Summer Camp Exclusives

Girl Scouts attending summer camp can pre-order official 2025 merchandise! Your order will be ready for your camper in her unit on the first day of her session. The deadline to place your order is May 6, 2025.

There are two camper care kits this year:

Camper Fun Care Kit (\$45):

includes a fanny pack, flower-power sugar squish, Forest Skittles knock-out game, AND the 2025 camp shirt and patch.

Essentials Care Kit (\$50): includes Fitkicks packable sling bag, 16oz collapsible silicone water bottle (colors vary), mini LED lantern (colors vary), SPF 30 sunscreen, and the BFF stack bracelet kits.



This kit tomes with the 2025 camp shirt and patch!

2025 summer camp patch (\$3 pre-order)





2025 summer camp shirt (\$15 pre-order | \$20 in store)

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girl scouts of eastern iowa and western illinois





Camp **Liberty** Near Quad Cities





Classic Camp Sessions

Find that classic summer camp feeling with one of these general sessions! Try a variety of activities, learn new skills, make new friends, be adventurous, or relax. There's a place for every age at Girl Scout camp!

All activities are subject to change. If a specified activity is canceled, we will provide a comparable activity.

 2-Night Sessions
 3-Night Sessions

 \$327
 \$285
 \$239
 \$425
 \$370
 \$311

Full-Week Sessions

\$572 \$498 \$418

Ready, Set, Camp! Grades 2-3

Create a classic summer camp experience and try a little bit of everything! Campers can go hiking, try rock climbing, and test their aim with slingshots. While making new friends and discovering independence, develop a love of adventure in the outdoors.

Earn the Outdoor Adventurer badge.

June 29-July 2 (3-Night Mini).....Clover July 27-August 1....Clover

Happy Camper Grades 4-5

Create core memories around the campfire. From crafting to playing games to exploring nature to thrilling adventures, campers will have a week filled with friendship and fun. Join this relaxing and refreshing time at camp!

Earn the Camper badge.

June 15-20.....Violet June 29-July 2 (3-Night Mini).....Violet July 20-25.....The Woodlands



Camp Adventures Grades 6-8

Experience the adventure and fun of classic camp activities! Whether you're aiming for the bullseye at the archery range, relaxing at Flint Lake, crafting a new creation, or something else, your group will design the plans.

Earn the Finding Common Ground badge.

June 15-20	Sunflower
July 6-8 (2-Night Mini)	Outpost
July 13-18	Prairie's Edge
July 27-August 1	Sunflower

Just Camp Grades 9-12

Enjoy some time away from the hustle of everyday life and experience a classic week at summer camp! Tie-dye, shoot archery, do high ropes, and make s'mores, all while spending time with friends.

Earn the Senior or Ambassador Girl Scout Way badge.

June 29-July 2 (3-Night Mini).....Sunflower July 20-25....Sunflower

Brownie Sessions

Brownies are ready to explore the outdoors! We have a variety of sessions planned that are great introductions to camping. In each session, they will find adventure, make new friends, and find a connection with nature. Brownie sessions are open to Girl Scouts entering grades 2-3 this upcoming school year.

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Artrageous: Grades 2-3

Create a world of color at this "artrageous" session! Campers will paint, tie-dye, sculpt, and craft in the beautiful outdoors. Favorite camp activities will have a creative twist as campers create masterpieces to take home and make their world more colorful! Unleash your creative vision in nature with your new friends.

Earn the Outdoor Art Creator badge.

July 13-18	Clover
July 20-25	Clover

Dr. Zoolittle: Grades 2-3

Travel

Swim, scurry, fly, or gallop to Camp Liberty! Campers will learn about native animals at the Environmental Learning Center and meet the camp horses at the Equestrian Center. After discovering the animals that call camp home, they will take a field trip to Niabi Zoo in Coal Valley, Illinois, to see animals from worldwide habitats! In addition to their favorite outdoor activities, campers will play games and make crafts inspired by our favorite furry friends.

Earn the Pets badge.

June 22-27.....The Woodlands



Fairies, Fireflies, & Friends: Grades 2-3

Make new friends, both big and small! Campers will design and build fairy homes and make beautiful flower crowns to wear. After crafting and creating, take part in a tea party with your new woodland friends and discover how nature lights up the world! Campers will also experience camp activities with a magical twist.

Earn the Making Friends badge.

June 29-July 2.....The Woodlands (3-Night Mini)

Fireside Chefs: Grades 2-3

Become an expert campfire chef! Make specialty s'mores, create yummy snacks, and learn to cook safely. Share treats with your new camp friends and build confidence in your cooking skills so you can make food for your family after your session. Campers will eat all the goodies they make and use the energy to play, hike, and explore at Camp Liberty.

Earn the Snacks badge.

June 15-20.....Clover

Galaxy Girls: Grades 2-3

Shine a flashlight to see a different Camp Liberty at night! Use a telescope to explore the solar system and share legends about the stars in the night sky. Stay up late to learn about the nocturnal animals that love to play under the stars. During the day, enjoy camp activities and explore nature in the sunlight.

Earn the Space Science Adventurer badge.

July 27-29 (2-Night Mini)......The Woodlands



Splish Splash: Grades 2-3

Make a splash at this camp session! Campers will live their best mermaid life by playing water games and making waterthemed crafts and snacks. Visit Flint Lake to go fishing and get to know the creatures living in the ecosystem. While learning about the value of water, discover the importance of wetlands and creeks and explore ways to protect our waterways.

Earn the World of Water journey.

July 13-18	Clover
July 20-25	Clover

Super Spy: Grades 2-3

Campers: prepare for a secret mission! Decode messages, write with invisible ink, conquer obstacle courses, and scale the climbing wall while training to become a super spy. Use your cunning to create disguises and look for clues to become a secret agent. Have fun around camp while developing the confidence and independence to tackle any challenge.

Earn the Senses badge.

July 6-11	.Clover
July 27-August 1	.Clover

Ooeey Gooey Fun: Grades 2-3

Be prepared to get messy! Campers will make slime, Ooblek, and other things that ooze and squish. Try science experiments to see what everyday items create exciting reactions, mix potions, and investigate what can be found down in the mud by the lake. After getting messy outdoors, have fun crafting, playing games, and going on adventures with your friends.

Earn the Home Scientist badge.

June 29-July 2 (3-Night Mini)	Clover
July 6-11	Clover

Spotters Ready!: Grades 2-3

Get ready to climb! This session is all about taking on challenges and working as a team. Experience the low ropes course elements, build obstacle courses, climb across the new bouldering wall, and test to see how high you can climb on the rock wall. Create a team with your camp friends and create a support crew to help you explore camp, build fires, and test limits.

Earn the Fair Play badge.

June 15-20.....Clover



Junior Sessions

As Juniors find their independence and discover their talents, they are ready for new camping adventures. Meet up with friends silver and gold to explore thrilling activities or kick back and enjoy the beautiful outdoors. Junior sessions are open to Girl Scouts entering grades 4-5 this upcoming school year.

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Afloat: Grades 4-5

Beat the heat and spend a week in the water! Stay cool with aquatic activities like canoe games and a sunset paddle on Flint Lake. When you aren't paddling, you'll explore the waters, dive into ways to move on the water with paddleboats, and build a boat to see if it floats!

Earn the Mechanical Engineering: Paddleboat badge.

June 22-27	Violet
July 13-18	Violet

All-American Adventure: Grades 4-5

Start the Independence Day celebrations early! Make red, white, and blue tie-dye, soar like an eagle on the zipline, and learn to square dance while celebrating the USA! Take the festivities into the night with glow sticks and sparklers to light up camp.

Earn the Girl Scout Way badge.

June 29-July 2.....Horseshoe Bend (3-Night Mini)

Aqua Advocates: Grades 4-5

Splash around Flint Lake and Walnut Creek while exploring aquatic ecosystems! Identify aquatic critters, test water quality, and report observations while learning about conservation and participating in a scientific study as a citizen scientist. Enjoy other water activities, too, while fishing and canoeing at the lake.

Earn the Think Like a Citizen Scientist badge. July 27-August 1.....Violet

Artist's Palette: Grades 4-5

Bring your sketchbooks and break out the paintbrushes for this creative camp session! Experiment with various mediums, including clay, yarn, beads, and so much more. Discover inspiration and create several unique masterpieces inspired by the world around you. Wrap up the week with a special art gallery opening for the other campers.

Earn the Junior Art and Design badge.

June 15-20	Violet
July 20-25	Violet

Broadway Bound: Grades 4-5

Take the stage at an exclusive new theater: Camp Liberty! Sing, dance, and act while enjoying classic camp activities with a theatrical twist. Design and develop costumes and sets and transform with stage makeup before the curtain closes on this memorable week.

Earn the Musician badge.

June 22-27	Violet
July 27-August 1	Horseshoe Bend

Camp Getaway: Grades 4-5

Sometimes, campers need the chance to relax! Chill out and refresh while creating journals, enjoying a spa night, and practicing yoga. Find calm this summer while hanging out with friends and building confidence! Bring a book, jump in a hammock, and enjoy time away from it all.

Earn the Social Butterfly badge. June 29-July 2 (3-Night Mini)......Violet

Foodie Fun: Grades 4-5

Become a top chef in the kitchen AND over the campfire! From making the perfect s'mores to creating a three-course meal, campers will hone their culinary skills. Try unique recipes and techniques, participate in demos, and put your skills to the test with cooking challenges. Bon Appetit!

Earn the Simple Meals badge. July 13-18.....Violet

Gadgets & Gizmos: Grades 4-5

Does your camper love to tinker? At this specialized session, build and design creations. Make rockets soar in the sky, wire crafts to light up, and make a Rube Goldberg machine. Learn about robots and programming with a robotics team while exploring different ways to create, engineer, and build.

Earn the Junior Coding Basics badge.

July 6-11.....Violet

Game On: Grades 4-5

Let's play! Enjoy some friendly competition while playing games. Compete in Gaga ball, try 9-square, and create new games. Take part in team-building challenges, play human foosball, have a board game night, and so much more. Competitive campers will team up with their friends and win!

Earn the Staying Fit badge.

June 22-27.....Clover

Gnome Place Like Camp: Grades 4-5

Explore the magic of the great outdoors! Dive into the mythical world of gnomes and discover the forest's secrets. Make gnome hats, find flowers, and craft nature-inspired art. Embark on a quest to find the troll queen, solve riddles, master challenges, and discover clues while hiking, rock climbing, and ziplining.

Earn the Flowers badge. July 6-11.....The Woodlands

Goo and Slime: Grades 4-5

Let's get messy! Try different slime recipes to find the perfect combination, discover the wonders of Ooblek, and test your engineering skills with an egg drop challenge. Explore, test, and create while brainstorming with new camp friends and discovering a passion for science.

Earn the Junior STEM Career Exploration badge.

June 22-27	Clover
July 27-August 1	Violet

Hero's Quest: Grades 4-5

In a world of Greek Gods and Goddesses, campers need to build their confidence and be prepared for any monsters that come their way! Take aim like Hunters of Artemis at the archery range. Navigate the seas in a canoe around monsters. Earn your bead for this summer and fulfill the prophecy! Sing songs around the campfire and find inspiration from your friends during this quest.

Earn the Camper badge.

July 13-18.....The Woodlands

Homestead Horizons: Grades 4-5

Take it back to the basics as campers learn to grow food, whittle, and sew. They will also care for the goats, plant flowers, make butter, and learn about the prairie ecosystem. Campers will make things from scratch and cook over the campfire while building independence and life skills.

Earn the Gardener badge.

July 20-25.....The Woodlands



Jurassic Journeys: Grades 4-5

Dig into the world of creatures that lived here long ago! Learn how to safely dig for finds, learn about dinosaurs, and practice identifying bones with owl pellets. Campers will take a field trip to Devonian Fossil Gorge in Coralville, Iowa, to look for fossils from pre-historic Iowa and visit the Iowa Raptor Center to see the descendants of the dinosaurs!

Travel

Earn the Math in Nature 1:Shapes in Nature badge.

June 15-20.....Prairie's Edge

Leaf No Trace: Grades 4-5

Nature enthusiasts will explore the outdoors while protecting and caring for the environment! Explore the natural environment, craft, and cook over the fire while following leave-no-trace principles and respecting wildlife. After developing the skills necessary to care for the forest, meet the most elusive creature at Camp Liberty: Bigfoot!

Earn the Eco Camper badge.

June 29-July 2.....Prairie's Edge (3-Night Mini)

Moonlight Madness: Grades 4-5

Experience Camp Liberty when the sun goes down and everyone else has gone to bed! Discover the wonders of the night sky, become a space investigator, take an evening hike, and play glow-stick games. Sleep in and cook around the campfire for breakfast before trying other camp activities in the daylight.

Earn the Space Science Investigator badge.

June 15-20.....North Star

Survival School: Grades 4-5

Prepare for adventure in the great outdoors! Learn essential wilderness survival techniques like fire-building, navigating, tying knots, and building shelters. Practice handling a pocket knife and whittle a stick to make a delicious reward of s'mores. Develop the confidence and self-reliance to survive in any situation!

Earn the First Aid badge.

July 13-18.....The Woodlands

Up, Up and Away: Grades 4-5

Unleash your superpowers! Campers will design a cape and make masks to hide their identities, come up with catchy names, and then take on challenges at camp! Soar through the sky on the zipline, handle science challenges, and see if you have the super strength to reach the top of the climbing wall. Make the world a better place as superhero Girl Scouts!

Earn the Independence badge.

June 29-July 2.....Prairie's Edge (3-Night Mini)

Zip Away!: Grades 4-5

Push boundaries and build confidence during this action-packed session! Conquer exciting challenges like soaring through the treetops on a zipline, scaling the climbing wall, navigating low ropes, and obstacles. Develop new skills and agility, make lasting friendships while problem-solving, and create unforgettable memories with each thrilling adventure.

Earn the Practice with Purpose badge.

July 6-11.....The Woodlands July 20-25.....Violet



Cadette Sessions

Cadettes can take their outdoor skills to the next level while reconnecting with nature. Accept the challenge and take on high-adventure activities while making friendships that will last a lifetime. Cadette sessions are open to Girl Scouts entering grades 6-8 this upcoming school year.

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Beach Adventure: Grades 6-8

Time for a getaway! Spend some time by the lake, relaxing at summer camp. Hang out in hammocks, enjoy a spa day, spend time with friends, and take a casual paddle on the water. Wrap up summer with some time with friends!

Earn the Science of Happiness badge. July 27-29 (2-Night Mini).....North Star

Boats & Belays: Grades 6-8

Love paddling and climbing? Spend this minisession doing both! Hang out on Flint Lake canoeing and kayaking. Then, get in the air to challenge yourself with the high ropes course, rock wall, and zipline. This action-packed minisession is excellent for adventurous but busy Girl Scouts.

Earn the Good Sportsmanship badge. June 29-July 2 (3-Night Mini).....North Star

Cast Iron Chef: Grades 6-8

Take culinary creativity to a new level while creating memorable meals over the campfire. Try cooking with camp stoves, dutch ovens, and buddy burners to whip up some unique and delicious dishes. Put your skills to the test with cooking challenges and a cookie decorating contest!

Earn the New Cuisines badge.

June 22-27	Sunflower
July 27-August 1	Sunflower

Create It!: Grades 6-8

It's time to take crafting to the next level. Explore a variety of art mediums with DIY projects to take home. Learn to knit or crochet, mold with clay, create a canvas masterpiece, design with needle and thread, and more!

Earn the Outdoor Art Apprentice badge.

July 6-11	Sunflower
July 20-25	

Ecology Odyssey: Grades 6-8

Become a scientist at Camp Liberty! Help gather data for a citizen scientist project and collaborate to decide on an experiment. Take on the high ropes course, relax at the lake, and explore nature when not collecting data for this vital ecological project.

Earn the Think Like a Citizen Scientist badge.

June 22-27.....Sunflower



Fabled Folklore: Grades 6-8

Welcome demigods! Start training for the exciting but sometimes dangerous world of Greek Gods and Goddesses. Take to the lake like Poseidon, excel at archery like Artemis, and have the level head to complete the high ropes course like Athena. Before departing this legendary experience, demigods will compete in a capture-the-flag game for the ages.

Earn the Field Day badge.

June 22-27.....Prairie's Edge July 27-August 1.....Prairie's Edge

Flint Lake Floaters: Grades 6-8

Develop new waterfront skills by canoeing and kayaking! Take your paddling skills to the next level with challenges and games, practice portaging a canoe, and prepare to take on future water-based camping trips. Campers will enjoy their days in the rays on Flint Lake while relaxing and learning new skills with friends.

Earn the Eco Trekker badge.

July 13-18.....North Star

Force of Nature: Grades 6-8

Take your outdoor skills to the next level! Lash together furniture, start fires without matches, and master navigating with a compass. Then, put your skills to the test while staying overnight on the other side of Flint Lake, a special place where very few campers venture. Take aim at the archery course, refine your knife skills, and be one with nature before relaxing around the fire each night.

Earn the Trailblazing badge.

July 20-25.....Prairie's Edge

Media Masters: Grades 6-8

Put the "me" in media and tell your story! Explore the messages we receive daily and work together to create positive content for the Camp Liberty social media pages. Capture special moments at camp (like the high ropes course) and create videos highlighting your favorite parts about #CampLife.

Earn the MEdia journey.

July 13-18.....Sunflower

Night Owls: Grades 6-8

See a whole other side of camp! After the rest of the campers have gone to bed, stay up to see how camp comes to life after dark. Take in the stars, go on night hikes, and learn about nocturnal creatures. After sleeping to recharge, join the rest of camp for some of your favorite camp activities in the sun, too.

Earn the Night Owl badge.

July 20-25.....North Star

On Belay: Grades 6-8

Travel

Take on the high adventure activities at Camp Liberty: climbing wall, zip line, and high ropes course! Then, take a road trip to try the elements at Four Mounds in Dubuque, Iowa, and enjoy exploring the creek at Camp Little Cloud in Epworth, Iowa. After traveling back to Camp Liberty, build an unstoppable team by completing the low ropes course, practicing the knots for climbing, and slacklining.

Earn the Climbing Adventure badge.

June 15-20	Outpost
July 6-11	-



Take the Stage: Grades 6-8

Get ready to sing, dance, and act on the way to stardom! This theatrical camp is all about having fun and practicing performing arts. Try stage makeup, create choreography, and prepare to dazzle while turning Camp Liberty into the stage!

Earn the Public Speaker badge.

June 15-20.....Sunflower

The Archer: Grades 6-8

Take aim and strive for the bullseye! Spend time at the archery range while firing away with slingshots, compound and recurve bows, and hatchets. After building the fundamentals, play archery games, create splatter paint art, and try moving targets. After practicing shooting skills, take a break by the lake, zipline through the trees, and hang out with friends.

Earn the Archery badge. July 13-18.....Sunflower



Thought Bubble: Grades 6-8

BAM! POW! ZOOM! Jump right into the world of comic book art. Make characters leap off the page through cartoon strips and graphic novels. Assemble your super team, unlock new skills, and overcome obstacles. Tell a personal heroic story inspired by camp adventures with the techniques learned.

Earn the Comic Artist badge.

June 29-July 2.....Outpost (3-Night Mini)

Voyageurs: Grades 6-8

Travel

Campers will take the lead in their next adventure and decide the destination! As a group, plan an overnight trip to an Iowa State Park and prepare for the activities and necessities for the campout. Explore caves, go boating, or hike picturesque trails. It's up to the voyageurs!

Earn the Budgeting badge. June 22-27.....North Star

Zombie Survival Squad: Grades 6-8

Prepare for a zombie apocalypse with fun games and outdoor skills! Develop survival camping skills, learn orienteering, build matchless fires, and practice First Aid. Learn to camouflage and disappear into your surroundings with creativity. Take on teambuilding challenges to prepare for anything!

Earn the First Aid badge.

July 13-18.....Prairie's Edge

Senior-Ambassador Sessions

Live the spirit of camp! The wonders of nature, confidence earned, and friendships fostered stay with every Senior and Ambassador camper for a lifetime. Put your outdoor skills to the test in a supportive environment and create memories with your best camp friends. Senior and Ambassador sessions are open to Girl Scouts entering grades 9-12 this upcoming school year.

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 3-Night Sessions
 Full-Week Sessions

 \$425
 \$370
 \$311
 \$572
 \$498
 \$418

 Travel Sessions

 \$616
 \$536
 \$450

Climb On: Grades 9-12

Travel

Campers will advance their climbing skills with this specialty session! After practicing at the Camp Liberty rock wall and high ropes course, take a trip to rock climb and tent camp at Devil's Lake State Park in Wisconsin. Hike and climb the unique rock formations at the park while still having time to enjoy some classic summer camp activities like archery, zipline, and more.

Earn the Adventurer badge for Seniors or Climbing Adventure badge for Ambassadors.

July 27-August 1.....Outpost

All Aboard: Grades 9-12

Travel

Head beyond Flint Lake as you take your water adventures on the road! Canoe, kayak and paddleboard at Camp Liberty before heading out to Madison, Wisconsin, to enhance your paddling skills by learning sea-kayaking. Learn with an expert to control your boat, perform rescues, identify the parts of the boat and more! Round out boating skills with knot tying and navigating before taking to the water for your next adventure.

Earn the Paddling badge for Seniors or Water badge for Ambassadors.

July 20-25.....Sunflower

Café Forage: Grades 9-12

Explore and feast in the forest at Café Forage! Learn how to identify and harvest ingredients to make tea, gather berries for a snack, and find tasty treats to cook into meals over the campfire. Keep an eye out for the harvest while moving archery, zipline, and more!

Earn the Locavore badge for Seniors or the Dinner Party badge for Ambassadors.

June 15-20.....The Woodlands

Creative Genius: Grades 9-12

Take arts and crafts to a new level! Try different mediums like drawing, painting, sculpting, and carving. Make wearable masterpieces and establish your artistic style to make your mark on the world! Let your creativity shine with this specialty mini-session.

Earn the Outdoor Art Expert badge for Seniors or Outdoor Art Master badge for Ambassadors. June 29-July 2 (3-Night Mini).....Sunflower

Myths & Magic: Grades 9-12

Discover the magic of camp with this enchanting session! Explore the trails in search of Big Foot and discover what secrets may be hiding in the woods. Whittle wands, search for treasure, and join quests. Fly with fairies on the high ropes course and search for sea monsters in Flint Lake. There is magic everywhere if you know where to look!

Earn the Outdoor Art Expert badge for Seniors or Outdoor Art Master badge for Ambassadors. July 6-11.....North Star **Camp Leadership**

Counselor in Training I: Grades 11-12

Prepare to become a camp counselor and share your passion for the outdoors with other Girl Scouts! Participate in camp adventures and develop the skills to become a leader in and out of Camp Liberty. Explore the challenges and rewards of working with youth by leading songs and games, facilitating activities, and mentoring younger campers. During an overnight trip, get the chance to explore other outdoor programs.

Prerequisite: Complete the application and participate in the virtual group interview process. The application deadline is 3/31/25. Visit https://tinyurl.com/LIBERTYCIT25 to begin the application process. Participants will earn the Counselor in Training 1 pin.

July 9-18.....Outpost

Counselor in Training II: Grades 11-12

Join the ultimate internship opportunity! Live at camp, work in units, and get in-depth, on-the-job experience. During week one, brush up on camp skills, review camp procedures, and explore a "growth mindset" and personality types. Take a trip over the weekend to Camp L-Kee-Ta and explore Starr's Cave Park before returning for week two. Then, use the new leadership skills you have developed to support a younger group of campers.

Prerequisite: Successful completion of CIT 1, ESI, or Camp Director approval. Participants will earn the Counselor in Training 2 pin.

June 15-27.....The Woodlands/ Horseshoe Bend

> 12-Night Session \$690 \$601 \$504

Equestrian Specialist Internship: Grades 11-12

Continue your equestrian experience as an intern at the Camp Liberty Equestrian Center. Learn the art of barn management, horse care, and program facilitation. Get hands-on practice with feeding, grooming, and tacking while you bond with the herd. Campers will develop their leadership skills as they prepare to work with younger campers and facilitate the riding program.

Prerequisite: Campers must have successfully completed Level 6 of the Progressive Equestrian Program at Camp Liberty or obtain the approval of the Equestrian Manager. *Our ESI is not offered this year but will be next year, so please make sure to complete the prerequisites required!

Progressive Equestrian Program

*Official Progressive Program Sessions

The Camp Liberty Progressive Equestrian Program combines qualified staff, experienced horses, and excellent facilities to create an atmosphere where campers can advance their horseback riding skills, expand their horsemanship knowledge, and have fun riding with friends.

All activities are subject to change. If a specified activity is canceled, we will provide a comparable activity. Excessively hot weather, rain, and skill set of the group can affect scheduled ride times.

Horsin' Around Grades 4-5

This introductory equestrian session is a great way for campers to be safely exposed to the equestrian world. Enjoy two days in the barn, meet and build a connection with a new horse friend, and receive an introductory riding lesson. Even though this session is not a part of the progressive equestrian program, campers in this session can earn the horseback riding badge and gain confidence in their equestrian abilities.

Earn the Horseback Riding badge.

June 15-20	Horseshoe Bend
June 29-July 2	Horseshoe Bend
(3-Night Mini)	

3-Night Session			Full-V	ession	
\$450	\$392	\$329	\$616	\$536	\$450



Equine Connections Grades 6-8



This new session introduces campers to the world of horses! Campers in this equestrian session will spend day one in the barn building a connection with a horse by learning basic grooming and saddling techniques and how to safely work with horses. On day two at the barn, enjoy an introductory riding lesson. Although this session is not a part of the progressive riding program, it builds confidence for campers interested in horses.

Earn the Animal Helper badge. June 29-July 2 (3-Night Mini).....Outpost

\$450 \$392 \$329

eQUESTrians Grades 5-6

Level 1

Embark on an exciting journey into the equestrian world with the Camp Liberty progressive riding program. Spend each day at the equestrian center learning tack terminology, basic riding skills, and proper grooming and saddling techniques. Emphasis is placed on teaching campers how to work with horses safely and building their confidence around the horses and their riding skills.

Earn the Horseback Riding badge for Juniors or the Archery badge for Cadettes.

June 15-2	0		Prai	rie's Edge
June 22-2	7		Prai	rie's Edge
July 6-11	•••••	•••••	Horses	hoe Bend
July 13-18		•••••	Horses	hoe Bend
July 27-Au	ugust 1		Horses	hoe Bend
	\$616	\$536	\$450	

Giddy Up Girls Grades 6-7



Saddle up and get ready to ride! Practice controlling a horse at a walk and test your skills on an obstacle course before hitting the trails. Extend horse knowledge by learning about horse anatomy and developing handson skills like tying a quick-release knot.

*Must successfully complete Level 1: eQUESTrians to be eligible for this level.

Earn the Animal Helpers badge.

June 22-27	Outpost
July 13-18	Horseshoe Bend
July 20-25	

\$616 \$536 \$450

Trail Mates Grades 7-10

Level 3

Dive deeper into horse care by learning hoof anatomy, identifying common hoof injuries and ailments, and practicing cleaning the camp horse's hooves. Enjoy relaxing trail rides throughout the week on our beautiful Camp Liberty trails and complete an introduction to trotting in the arena.

*Must successfully complete Level 2: Giddy Up Girls to be eligible for this level.

Earn the Good Sportsmanshi	ip badge for
Cadettes or the Adventurer b	adge for Seniors.
June 15-20	Outpost
July 6-11	Prairie's Edge
July 27-August 1	Prairie's Edge

\$616 \$536 \$450

Liberty Riders Grades 9-12

Trotters Grades 8-12

Strengthen riding techniques learned previously and apply them while advancing to trotting. Campers will also learn about equestrian careers, horse gaits and footfalls, and horse body conformation.

*Must successfully complete Level 3: Trail Mates to be eligible for this level.

Earn the First Aid badge.

June 22-27	Horseshoe Bend
July 20-25	Outpost



Take the Reins Grades 9-12

Level 5

During this 10-day adventure, experience advanced riding with exercises in the arena and receive an introduction to loping. Learn about topics such as farm management, owning horses, and English riding tack. Travel out of camp for the weekend to explore different businesses and possibilities in the equestrian world.

*Must successfully complete Level 4: Trotters to be eligible for this level.

Earn the Voice for Animals badge for Seniors or the EcoAdvocate badge for Ambassadors.

July 9-18.....Outpost 9-Night Session \$949 \$826 \$693

Level 6

Reach equestrian excellence during this 10-day adventure! During level 6 of the equestrian progressive program, campers will dive into horse health and learn about diet basics for horses. In the arena, establish riding independence and focus on fine-tuning advanced riding gaits and maneuvers. Travel out of camp for the weekend and enjoy unique trail rides with your friends.

*Must successfully complete Level 5: Take the Reins to be eligible for this level.

Earn the Voice for Animals badge for Seniors or the EcoAdvocate badge for Ambassadors. July 23-August 1.....Outpost





Progressive Equestrian Camp Sessions Senior/Ambassador by Date Brownie Cadette Junior June 15-20 X Artist's Palette Violet Χ Café Forage The Woodlands Х Camp Adventures Sunflower X CIT 2 -12 Nights (June 15-27) The Woodlands Χ eQUESTrians Prairie's Edge X Fireside Chef Clover Χ Happy Camper Violet Χ Horsin' Around Horseshoe Bend Χ Jurassic Journeys Prairie's Edge Χ Moonlight Madness North Star Х On Belay Outpost Χ Clover Spotters Ready! Х Sunflower Take the Stage Χ **Trail Mates** Outpost June 22-27 Х Violet Afloat Χ Violet Broadway Bound Х Sunflower **Cast Iron Chef** Χ CIT 2 -12 Nights (June 15-27) Horseshoe Bend Χ The Woodlands Dr. Zoolittle X Sunflower Ecology Odyssey Χ Prairie's Edge eQUESTrians Х Prairie's Edge Fabled Folklore Χ Clover Game On! Х Giddy Up Girls Outpost Χ Goo & Slime Clover Χ Trotters Horseshoe Bend Х North Star Voyageurs

June 29-July 2

Brownie 3 Night Mini Week

All-American Adventure	Horseshoe Bend		Χ			
Boats and Belays	North Star			Χ		
Camp Getaway	Violet		Χ			
Creative Genius	Sunflower				Χ	
Equine Connections	Outpost			Χ		
Fairies, Fireflies, and Friends	The Woodlands	Χ				
Happy Camper	Violet		Χ			
Horsin' Around	Horseshoe Bend		Χ			
Just Camp Mini	Sunflower				Χ	
Leaf No Trace	Prairie's Edge		Χ			
Ooey Gooey Fun Mini	Clover	Χ				
Ready, Set, Camp	Clover	Χ				
Thought Bubble	Outpost			Χ		
Up, Up and Away	Prairie's Edge		Χ			
Jul	y 6-11					
Camp Adventures Mini-2 Night (July 6-8)	Outpost			Χ		
CIT 1 <i>-9 Night (July 9-18)</i>	Outpost				Χ	
Create It!	Sunflower			Χ		
eQUESTrians	Horseshoe Bend					Χ
Gadgets & Gizmos	Violet		Χ			
Gnome Place Like Camp	The Woodlands		Χ			
Myths & Magic	North Star				Χ	
On Belay	Sunflower			Χ		
Ooey Gooey Fun	Clover	Χ				
Super Spy	Clover	Χ				
Take the Reins <i>-9 Night (July 9-18)</i>	Outpost					Χ
Trail Mates	Prairie's Edge					Χ
Zip Away!	The Woodlands		Χ			

Progressive Equestrian

Senior/Ambassador

Cadette

Junior

July	v 13-18	Brownie	Junior	Cadette	Senior/Ambassador	Progressive Equestrian
Afloat	Violet		Χ			
Artrageous	Clover	Χ				
Camp Adventures	Prairie's Edge			Χ		
CIT 1 -9 Nights (July 9-18)	Outpost				Χ	
eQUESTrians	Horseshoe Bend					Χ
Flint Lake Floaters	North Star			Χ		
Foodie Fun	Violet		Χ			
Giddy Up Girls	Horseshoe Bend					Χ
Hero's Quest	The Woodlands		Χ			
Media Masters	Sunflower			Χ		
Splish Splash	Clover	Χ				
Survival School	The Woodlands		Χ			
Take the Reins <i>-9 Nights (July 9-18)</i>	Outpost					Χ
The Archer	Sunflower			Χ		
Zombie Survival Squad	Prairie's Edge			Χ		
July	20-25					
All Aboard	Sunflower				Χ	
Artist's Palette	Violet		Χ			
Artrageous	Clover	Χ				
Create It!	Prairie's Edge			Χ		
Force of Nature	Prairie's Edge			Χ		
Giddy Up Girls	Horseshoe Bend					Χ
Happy Camper	The Woodlands		Χ			
Homestead Horizons	The Woodlands		Χ			
Just Camp	Sunflower				Χ	
Liberty Riders -9 Nights (July 23-August 1)	Outpost					Χ
Night Owls	North Star			Χ		
Splish Splash	Clover	Χ				
Trotters	Outpost					Χ
Zip Away!	Violet		Χ			
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July 27	-August 1	Brownie	Junior	Cadette	Senior/Ambassador	Progressive Equestrian
Aqua Advocates	Violet		Χ			
Beach Adventure -2 Night (July 27-29)	North Star			Χ		
Broadway Bound	Horseshoe Bend		Χ			
Camp Adventures	Sunflower			Χ		
Cast Iron Chef	Sunflower			Х		
Climb On	Outpost				Χ	
eQUESTrians	Horseshoe Bend					Χ
Fabled Folklore	Prairie's Edge			Χ		
Galaxy Girls -2 Night (July 27-29)	The Woodlands	Χ				
Goo & Slime	Violet		Χ			
Liberty Riders -9 Night (July 23-August 1)	Outpost					Χ
Ready, Set, Camp	Clover	Χ				
Super Spy	Clover	X				
Trail Mates	Prairie's Edge					Χ

Join us for a Campfire Chat to learn more about summer camp at Camp Liberty and ask any questions you may have to our camp team. Drop in anytime during the time frame to the virtual call!



<u>Tuesday</u> <u>February 11th 7-8pm</u>



<u>Monday</u> <u>March 10th 7-8pm</u>





See you this summer! Call 800-798-0833 with camp questions.

