



GIRL SCOUT PROGRAMS



The San Francisco Zoo & Gardens offers a unique setting for Bay Area Girl Scouts to learn about the natural world, conservation, and themselves. Join us to help your troop earn their next badge or work on a Journey!

ALL PROGRAMS INCLUDE:

- Zoo Admission
- Parking
- Animal Encounter
- Zoo-themed Patch

REGISTRATION INFO:

We've partnered with NorCal Girl Scouts! To register, please use their [Activity Finder](#). Simply search the date or keyword "San Francisco Zoo" to find programs.

Have another date in mind? Contact us to schedule a class just for your troop!

QUESTIONS?

Contact us at scouts@sfzoo.org or 415-753-7073 x8137

PROGRAM FEES (per participant):

- Garden Party \$32
- Wonder of Water \$38
- Bugs! Badge \$40- incl. bugs badge
- Playground Scientist \$38
- Animal Habitats Badge \$44
- Wild Within \$49
- Night Owl Badge \$44

DAISIES

Daisy Garden Party

March 3rd, April 27th, May 5th

JUNIORS

Wild Within

January 13th, March 30th, May 19th

BROWNIES

Wonders of Water: Keeper Caper

September 22nd, November 3rd,
January 27th, March 9th, April 28th

Animal Habitats Badge

September 23rd, November 10th,
January 26th, April 6th

Playground Scientists

September 16th, October 20th, January
12th, March 24th, May 4th


CADETTES

Night Owl Badge

October 27th, December 8th,
January 19th, March 23rd

Bugs! Badge

October 21st, December 1st, January
27th, March 2nd, April 13th

see reverse for program details 

DAISIES

Daisy Garden Party (10:00am – 11:30am)

Let us help you along your It's Your World- Change It! Journey. Daisies will explore Greenie's Conservation Corner to learn why gardens are important and the critical role of pollinators. Girls will even help us tend a garden!

BROWNIES

Wonders of Water: Keeper Caper (3:30pm – 6:00pm*)

*January class will be conducted 2:30pm – 5:00pm

Grab your magnifying glasses! During this thrilling "Keeper Caper," Brownies will explore the Zoo as they collect clues to help solve a mystery. Girls will dive into their It's Your Planet - Love It: Wonders of Water Journey, by learning about the water cycle, uses of water (by us and animals), and how we can all do our part to conserve it.

Bugs! Badge (12:30pm – 3:00pm)

Arthro-what? Explore the incredible world of insects during this exciting zoo adventure. We'll investigate all the ways that bugs help other animals, habitats, and even people. Brownies will chat with a bug specialist, help us build a bug home and even meet some insects up-close! *Program completes steps 1-5

Playground Scientist (9:30am – 12:00pm)

Get ready to run, jump, climb, play, and learn about animal habitats! Brownies will explore the Elinor Friend Playground and use play and movement to discover how humans and animals are connected. Each girl will write her own animal tale and learn how to "change the story" to help conserve animals and their habitats.

JUNIORS

Wild Within (10:00am-2:00pm)

Join us for this workshop as we explore the Zoo on your It's Your Planet – Love It! Journey! Juniors will observe animal behavior in order to better understand different energy needs. Girls will explore the world of epic migrations, animal communication, and how some species naturally conserve energy. We will also get a chance to learn what it's like to be a scientist by recording real data; then use that data to create enrichment items for Zoo residents.

Animal Habitats Badge (12:30pm-3:30pm)

Discover the beauty and unbelievable variety of animal habitats around the world! During this program, Juniors will have the opportunity to observe both wild and domesticated animals around the Zoo. We'll also explore the behaviors and adaptations that help animals survive in unique habitats. Once girls know what make wild places so special, they'll learn what they can do to help protect habitats at home! *Program completes steps 1-4

CADETTES

Night Owl Badge (October/March 6:00pm – 8:30pm) (December/January 5:00pm – 7:30pm)

See the Zoo in a whole new light, moonlight! We'll explore the Zoo after-hours to discover how some animals are adapted to a nocturnal lifestyle. Cadettes will also learn how our senses change at night, what it's like to work at the Zoo in the nighttime, and get a chance to design their own nocturnal creature. *Program completes steps 1-4