

# **Looking Forward Our Way**

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## The STEM Leadership Center: A Hub for Girl Scouts and Community Learning

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Report: Ohio - State of the Girl

https://www.gsoh.org/en/news/girl-scouts-unveil-new--2025-ohio--state-of-the-girl--report.html

#### Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland Social Media

https://www.facebook.com/GirlScoutsOH

https://twitter.com/GirlScoutsOH

https://www.instagram.com/GirlScoutsOH/

https://www.linkedin.com/company/girlscoutsoh/mycompany/

## Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland Dream Big Transformational Initiative

https://gsohdreambig.org

https://www.axios.com/local/columbus/2025/02/24/girl-scouts-stem-center-central-

ohio?utm source=newsletter&utm medium=email&utm campaign=newsletter axioslocal columbus&

stream=top

https://www.dispatch.com/story/news/2022/05/03/new-stem-facility-open-camp-ken-jockety-fall-

2024/9568560002/

https://spectrumnews1.com/oh/columbus/news/2022/06/15/girl-scouts-of-ohio-

#### Girl Scouts of the USA

https://www.girlscouts.org/

#### **Girl Scouts of the USA STEM Information**

https://www.girlscouts.org/en/raising-girls/school/STEM.html

#### OTHER SCIENCE AND STEM PROGRAMS:

Center of Science and Industry (Columbus, OH) https://cosi.org/

Career Stem <a href="https://www.careerinstem.com/top-stem-programs-for-girls/">https://www.careerinstem.com/top-stem-programs-for-girls/</a>

Cap4Kids (recommended STEM programs) <a href="https://cap4kids.org/columbus/after-school-camps/science-and-technology-programs/">https://cap4kids.org/columbus/after-school-camps/science-and-technology-programs/</a>

Carnegie Science Center <a href="https://carnegiesciencecenter.org/programs/girls-programs/">https://carnegiesciencecenter.org/programs/girls-programs/</a>

Code Like A Girl https://code.likeagirl.io/

Education Unlimited <a href="https://www.educationunlimited.com/">https://www.educationunlimited.com/</a>

Girls Can Do Science <a href="https://www.girlscandoscience.org/">https://www.girlscandoscience.org/</a>

#### **CENTRAL OHIO VOLUNTEER RESOURCES:**

If you are interested in volunteering at Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland, check their website at <a href="https://www.gsoh.org/">https://www.gsoh.org/</a>
If you are looking for other volunteer opportunities, check the following organizations:

#### **Become a Girl Scout Volunteer**

https://www.gsoh.org/en/get-involved/become-a-volunteer.html

#### **BESA**

https://www.besa.org/

https://www.facebook.com/GiveBesa

#### **Columbus Gives Back**

https://columbusgivesback.org/

### **AARP/Ohio Volunteering Opportunities around your community**

https://local.aarp.org/westerville-oh/volunteering/

#### **United Way of Central Ohio**

https://liveunitedcentralohio.org/

https://liveunitedcentralohio.org/how-you-can-help/?return=Volunteer

### 2-1-1 System/Lutheran Social Services

https://lssnetworkofhope.org/get-involved/volunteer-opportunities/

"Volunteering and Its Surprising Benefits" HelpGuide.org <a href="https://www.helpguide.org/articles/healthy-living/volunteering-and-its-surprising-benefits.htm">https://www.helpguide.org/articles/healthy-living/volunteering-and-its-surprising-benefits.htm</a> This Guide can answer many questions on why volunteering is important, what types of opportunities are available, and where/how to find the organizations that need you!

Indeed.com suggestions on using volunteering in your job search

https://www.indeed.com/career-advice/career-development/how-to-volunteer

#### **NATIONAL VOLUNTEER RESOURCES:**

Americorps <a href="https://www.americorps.gov/">https://www.americorps.gov/</a>

Idealist <a href="https://www.idealist.org/en">https://www.idealist.org/en</a>

Volunteer Match (opportunities around the U.S.) <a href="https://www.VolunteerMatch.org">www.VolunteerMatch.org</a>

Volunteer (government information) <a href="https://www.volunteer.gov/s/">https://www.volunteer.gov/s/</a>

National organizations that are always looking for volunteers

Habitat For Humanity <a href="https://www.habitat.org/volunteer">https://www.habitat.org/volunteer</a>

Red Cross https://www.redcross.org/volunteer/become-a-volunteer.html#step1

United Way https://www.unitedway.org/our-impact/work/volunteering