



Girl Scouts of Central Indiana promises every girl **HER SEAT** at the Table. A seat at all tables—from the college mathematics lecture hall to the manufacturing floor to the corner office to the statehouse chamber—wherever they dream of making great discoveries, provoking thought, creating innovative tech, or changing the world. She’s been underrepresented for far too long, and Girl Scouts will provide every opportunity and every tool necessary for her to find **HER** voice and **HER SEAT**.

THE STATISTICS ARE STAGGERING

We recognize that girls need more support, champions and tools *now*. The realities of today show the ongoing urgency.

- Although women make up more than half the U.S. workforce, they comprise less than **25%** of STEM jobs.
- In Indiana, only **36%** of seats of influence* are held by females while **51%** of the population is female.
- Women working full time in Indiana earn only **75%** of the income men do.
- Only **22%** of US Representatives and Senators representing Indiana are women, and we’ve yet to have a female governor.

GIRL SCOUTS IS MAKING A PROMISE

Girl Scouts of Central Indiana’s first strategic priority is for every summer camp attendee – 3,000 campers – to earn a civics and democracy badge. Then beginning fall 2023 and through 2024 we will focus on a powerful combination of financial literacy badges and the I Promised a Girl Scout I Would Vote patch program to help every girl imagine **HER SEAT AT THE TABLE** in the future!

HOW YOU CAN GET INVOLVED AND SUPPORT OUR PROMISE

Support civics, democracy, and financial literacy badge earning opportunities by donating to the council in support of summer camps, educational programming, volunteer training opportunities, and Her Seat initiatives.

- Donate to Girl Scouts of Central Indiana in support of summer camps, educational programming, volunteer training opportunities, and Her Seat initiatives.
- Raise your hand to be a life-changing role model for girls by registering as a one-time or short-term volunteer at www.girlscoutsindiana.org/volunteer, or have a blast serving as a troop leader in our mentored troops program serving girls with barriers to traditional Girl Scout experiences at www.girlscoutsindiana.org/mentor.
- Spread the word that you believe in and support the Girl Scout promise to provide every opportunity and every tool necessary for her to find **HER** voice and **HER SEAT**.

**Indiana seats on non-profit, corporate, and school boards; and elected officials at the local, state, and national level*