Marine Corps League Auxiliary
Girls Scout Gold Award
Good Citizenship Award

The highest Award in Girl Scouting, the Girl Scout Gold Award has had several names since its debut in 1916 as the Golden Eagle of Merit. It has also been known as the Golden Eaglet, Curved Bar, First Class, and the Girl Scout Gold Award. It marked the beginning of a long tradition of recognizing the outstanding achievements of extraordinary girls.

Through pursuing the Gold Award Girl Scouts change the world by tackling issues they are passionate about to drive lasting change in their communities and beyond while they learn essential skills that will prepare them for all aspects of life. As a bonus, the Gold Award opens doors to a variety of scholarships, preferred admission tracks for college, strong networking and amazing career opportunities, and much more.

Girl Scout award recipients are part of an elite group of women who embody community leadership leaving behind a sustainable legacy. When Juliette Gordon Low, the founder of Girl Scouts of America, was alive, she made it a point to present every award personally.

Upon request, a member of the local Marine Corps League Auxiliary will attend a Girl Scout's Award Ceremony and make the presentation of the Good Citizenship Award. To initiate recognition by the MCL Auxiliary the Girl Scout Troop should submit a request to the local MCL Auxiliary by completing the attached form.