

Parents and caregivers, when deciding which camp experience is right for you and your child, please include them in the decision-making process. Have your child try a backyard campout, a sleepover at a friend's house, or attend a Camp Kaufmann Day Trip or Overnight. Expose your child to experiences outdoors and away from home to build their confidence.

To help you make the right decision about how and when to send your Girl Scout to camp, take our camp readiness quiz! Check the answer that best describes how you feel. Add the value of each checked answer to determine your score.

## Girl Scout Quiz

**1. Do you enjoy staying over at a friend's house without missing your family or feeling sad and lonely?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**2. Can you wash and brush your own hair?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**3. Can you make your own bed and keep track of your own things?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**4. Would you be okay if you had to walk to a nearby building to use the bathroom at night?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**5. Would you be okay staying in a tent/cabin with other Girl Scouts, knowing your counselors are in a nearby tent/cabin?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**6. Can you see bugs or mice without jumping on a chair and screaming?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**7. Can you survive a few days without an iPod, TV, video games, or cell phone?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**8. Are you willing to help with camp chores such as sweeping, setting tables, and picking up trash?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**9. Will you try new foods, different than what you are willing to eat at home?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**10. Do you like to try new things?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**11. Do you easily make new friends and warm up to new environments?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**12. Do you enjoy participating in group activities?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**13. Do you enjoy outdoor activities such as hiking, playing outside, sleeping in a tent, and listening to nature?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**14. Can you live by the Girl Scout Law and Promise?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**15. Are you really excited to go to camp?**

① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**Total Score \_\_\_\_\_**



# Adult Quiz

**1. Can you relax and enjoy yourself when your child sleeps over at a friend's house?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**2. Would you be okay communicating with your child only by mail?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**3. Are you prepared to be away from your child for several days?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**4. Are you willing to entrust camp staff with the care of your child?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**5. Are you comfortable with your child playing in a rustic outdoor setting where they may get dirty and it may rain?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**6. Would you be willing to work with your child so they will be ready for camp (i.e. coping with being homesick, keeping track of their own things, using their camping gear)?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**Are you confident in your child's ability to...**

**7. ...wash and brush their own hair?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**8. ...sleep in a tent/cabin with other Girl Scouts, knowing that counselors are in a nearby tent/cabin?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**9. ...eat new foods that they haven't tried before?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**10. ...meet new friends and accept others who are different from them?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**11. ...follow instructions given by counselors?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

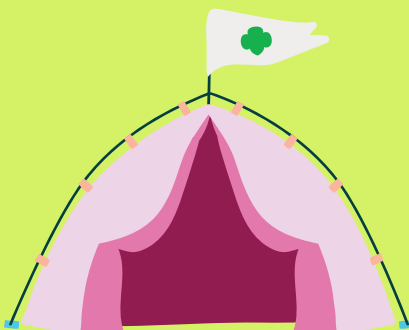
**12. ...ask for help if they need it?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**13. ...have fun?**

- ① No way! ② Maybe ③ Yes!

**Total Score \_\_\_\_\_**



## Girl Scout Quiz Results

### 15-25

Get ready for sleepaway camp next year! This year, a day trip, a one-night overnight experience, or a troop camping weekend would be perfect for you.

### 26-35

**You're confident and ready to give camp a try!** This summer, try a three-day session by yourself or a six-day session with a buddy. Get ready to have a blast and experience the magic of camp!

### 36-45

**If you're not already a camping pro, you are going to be a natural!** You love adventure, trying new things, and making new friends. It sounds like you are ready to take one or more six-day sleepaway camp sessions!

## Adult Quiz Results

### 12-19

**Your child and you may not be quite ready for sleepaway camp.** Consider attending a weekend event, day trip, or a one-night camp experience. Coming to camp with your child is a great way to prepare them for sleepaway camp next summer.

### 20-29

**You're ready to send your child to resident camp.** Start with an overnight or three-day session if you're still not sure.

### 30-39

**You've done this before, haven't you?** You are confident in your child's abilities and willing to help them prepare for camp. You and your child are ready for them to attend one or more six-day sleepaway camp sessions.

