

What is American Heritage Girls?

American Heritage Girls (AHG) is a non-profit youth organization dedicated to the mission of assisting girls in learning about themselves, their community, and their country. AHG offers a wholesome program of activities supervised by trained adults, supported by families, and implemented by members of the organization. AHG was founded with love of God, families, and children. AHG is a non-denominational Christian youth Program for girls age 5-18.

AHG Mission Statement

Building women of integrity through service to God, family, community, and country.

AHG Vision Statement

AHG is the premier organization for young women that provides a program which embraces time-honored moral standards, while encouraging each member to grow in their faith in God, personal integrity, citizenship, and community service.

Non-Discrimination Policy

Girl membership in the organization shall be made available to all without regard to race, color, creed or national origin, under such rules and regulations, not in conflict with the provisions of the AHG Oath and the purpose and basic policies of AHG.

AHG Troop Pledges

AHG Oath:

"I promise to love God, cherish my family, honor my country, and serve in my community."

AHG Creed:

"As an American Heritage Girl, I will be compassionate, helpful, honest, loyal, perseverant, pure, resourceful, respectful, responsible, and reverent."



Program Levels

Pathfinder: Kindergarten or Age 5+
Tenderheart: Grades 1-3 or Age 6+
Explorer: Grades 4-6 or Age 9+
Pioneer: Grades 7-8 or Age 12+
Patriot: Grades 9-12 or Age 14+

Program Emphasis

Life Skills Enhancement
-through badge program
Girl Leadership
-opportunities at all program levels
Teamwork & Building Confidence
-through outdoor experiences
Character Development
-through community service/citizenship
Social Development
-through organized special events
Spiritual Development
-through biblically-based programming & religious recognition

Parent Service

~Leadership Opportunitites Available~

Parents are asked to pledge service to the troops as needed.
Parental involvement is crucial in offering girls the best possible program.

AHG Badges

Badgework in 6 Frontiers:

Heritage
Family Living
Arts
Outdoor Skills
Personal Well-Being
Science and Technology

AHG Meeting Format

Opening/Flag Ceremony
Troop Business
Unit Level Activity
Snacks/Crafts
Closing