Girl Scout Silver Award Rubric

girl scouts
diamonds of arkansas, oklahoma and texas

	DOES NOT MEET STANDARDS	MEETS STANDARDS
Girl is a registered Girl Scout Cadette for the year(s) the project is planned, implemented and completed.	Girl is NOT a registered Girl Scout Cadette for the duration of the specified timeframe.	Girl is a registered Girl Scout Cadette for the duration of the specified timeframe.
Girl has completed 1 Girl Scout Cadette Journey and understands the leadership qualities outlined in the Journey.	Girl has not completed 1 Girl Scout Cadette Journey, or has completed 1 but is unable to demonstrate the leadership qualities.	Girl has completed a Girl Scout Cadette Journey and can demonstrate the leadership qualities.
Girls think about issues they personally care about.	Girls think about only 1 issues that matters to them OR leaders suggest a project idea for the girls for them to carry out without any girl input.	Girls think about 2-3 issues they care about. They consider why those issues are important to them. They think about how those issues affect their community. They focus on issues and communities outside of Girl Scouting.
Silver Award Project is completed individually or with a team of 2-4 girls.	Girl completes Silver Award Project with 4 or more other girls.	Girl completes Silver Award Project with up to 3 other girls or individually.
When working in teams, all members are committed to working collaboratively with each other on the project.	Girls are not considerate and respectful of their fellow teammates. Girls do not cooperate well with others. Girls handle disagreements in unhealthy ways.	Girls respect different points of view and ways of work. Everyone contributes to the project with each girl contributing unique action points. Girls accept constructive suggestions. Girls work together to create and develop a plan. Girls resolve conflicts in a healthy way.
Silver Award Project is considered a Take Action Project (has potential for sustainability and is working with an organization, not for an organization).	Silver Award Project is a collection (such as food drive, pet food drive, clothing drive) or "canned" project with no potential for sustainability.	Silver Award Project is working together with an organization and has a potential for sustainability. (ie: an ongoing resource/program for their community or providing a lasting solution to a problem or issue in their community).
Final Report is completely and accurately filled out, including girl's names and grades and answers to all questions.	• Final Report is incomplete. • Final Report is not on the proper form. • Final Report does not describe in detail the full aspect of the project.	• Final Report has been completed and checked for accuracy. • Final Report is on the proper form. • Final Report describes in great detail the full aspect of the project.
All paperwork and questions are typed or printed legibly in blue or black ink.	Paperwork is illegible, in pencil or in cursive.	Paperwork is typed or legibly printed in blue or black ink.

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Project title has correct spelling and is related to the project topic.	No title provided and/or does not relate to the project topic.	Title is spelled correctly and relates to the project topic.
Girl has put in an appropriate amount of hours into the Silver Award Project (GSUSA suggests a minimum of 50 hours per girl).	Girl has put less than 40 hours into her Silver Award Project.	Girl has put at least 40 hours – preferably 50 - into her Silver Award Project.
All questions are answered in complete sentences and responses relate to the question.	Questions are answered with incomplete sentences, without the appropriate minimum number of sentences, or do not relate to the question asked.	All questions are answered with complete sentences and with the appropriate minimum number of sentences that relate to the question asked.
Leader has read through, approved, and signed off on Final Report.	Leader signature is missing or questions have not been checked for accuracy.	Leader signature is on Final Report and all questions have been checked for accuracy.