

Dear Parents,

Our unit of study in Social Studies is learning about the life and contributions of Juliette Gordon Low. We will be discussing how Juliette Gordon Low showed good leadership skills and compassion for all girls. This informational letter will help you understand what your child is learning so the content may be discussed at home throughout our study. Listed below is the Georgia Standards of Excellence for our unit. Also included is important vocabulary and examples of what we are learning about.

Happy Learning!

Second Grade Social Studies Teachers

Social Studies Standard:

SS2H1 Describe the lives and contributions of historical figures in Georgia history.

SS2CG3 Give examples of how the historical figures in SS2H1 demonstrate positive citizenship traits such as: honesty, dependability, trustworthiness, honor, civility, good sportsmanship, patience, and compassion

- **What was Juliette Gordon Low the founder of?** Girl Scouts of America
- **Where was Juliette Gordon Low born in 1860?** Savannah, Georgia
- **What was Juliette's nickname?** Daisy
- **What happened to Juliette because of her ear infections?** She was almost deaf.
- **What does deaf mean?** Not being able to hear
- **Jackie was an active child. What things was she interested in?** athletics, arts, and nature
- **In England, Juliette met Sir Robert Baden Powell who gave her the idea to start a group for girls in America. What was he the founder of?** Boy Scouts
- **In 1912, Juliette founded her first troop. What was the name of the troop?** Girl Guides
- **Where was the first Girl Guides started at?** Savannah, Georgia
- **How many girls were in the first Girl Guides?** 18
- **What did Juliette sell to help raise money for her Girl Guides' activities?** her pearl necklace
- **What did Juliette rename the Girl Guides in 1913?** Girl Scouts
- **What did the Girl Scouts start selling in 1917?** Girl Scout Cookies
- **Why did the Girl Scouts make and sell the Girl Scout Cookies?** As a fundraiser to help raise money for their learning activities
- **What are some of the learning activities the Girl Scouts do?** Hiking, camping, baking
- **Compassion is caring for others. How did Juliette show compassion?** She allowed girls of all races, religions, and physical abilities to join the Girl Scouts
- **Today, the Girl Scouts is the world's largest organization for girls!**

