

# Girl Scouts Ambassador Citizen Badge

**Welcome to the Clinton Presidential Library! To earn your “Public Policy” badge today, you’ll need to complete the five activities listed on this worksheet and have an adult witness sign it. Good luck and have fun!**

**1) Find out how activists advocate for change. (3<sup>rd</sup> floor, “The Early Years”)**

Read about women who changed the course of U.S. History.

Hillary Clinton is one such woman. Look at her biography and the work of the First ladies in general. Write down some of the issues that are important to her.

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**2) Engage as a global citizen. (2<sup>nd</sup> floor, “Alcove Exhibits”)**

Explore an international NGO (non-governmental organization).

The Clinton Foundation is a NGO. Visit “The Work Continues” exhibit on the third floor. Write down a couple of ways that the Clinton Foundation works internationally to make the world a better place.

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**3) Dig into a national or state public policy. (2<sup>nd</sup> floor, "Alcove Exhibits")**

Track your issue. Pick an alcove on second floor and learn more about an issue important to President Clinton. While exploring the alcove, look at the letters written to President Clinton about the issue.

Why do you think the issue is important? What would you have said to President Clinton about it?

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**4) Explore local or community policy. (2<sup>nd</sup> floor, "Alcove Exhibits")**

Many local policies are influenced by national initiatives. Visit the "Learning Across A Lifetime" or "Making Communities Safer" alcove. Write down an example of a national program that had an impact on a local issue.

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**5) See public policy in action. (2<sup>nd</sup> floor, "Timeline")**

Shadow a policy-maker. Select a day from President Clinton's schedule and consider the following: What is a typical day for the President? Make a note of how many meetings the President attends.

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On \_\_\_/\_\_\_/20\_\_\_

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