Girl Scouts
Junior Citizen Badge

Welcome to the Clinton Presidential Library! To earn your “Inside Government” 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) Decide what being an active citizen means to you.
Be an active citizen in action. As you tour the library, make a list of 10 things that make an active citizen. It might include things like following the laws, paying sales tax, and knowing what’s going on in the world. Then do something from your list to practice being an active citizen.

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2) Go inside government.
The President is the head of the executive branch of the federal government. Visit the Cabinet Room to better understand the responsibilities of the President. Use the touch screens to explore the different offices that are part of the Cabinet. Write down one of the positions.

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3) Look into laws.
Think about laws you might want propose someday. Visit one of the alcoves on the second floor to learn more about legislation that President Clinton signed into law. Write down one law.

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4) Report on the issues.
Visit one of the alcoves on the second floor and take notes about an issue important to President Clinton. After your visit, share the information you gathered with your family.

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5) Get involved in community government.
Plan a campaign as if you were running for office. List of the top three things you would try to change if you had that office in your organization. Visit the campaign exhibit just outside the orientation theater on the second floor. Look at the buttons and signs. Listen to his campaign speeches. What things was he trying to change? What are some items you noticed Clinton used for his campaigns?

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Activities completed by ____________________________

On ___/___/20___

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