

Money Management — Calculating Goals



Do the goal math

Help Girl Scouts calculate their package goals by first identifying what they want to do with their cookie proceeds.

Start with a brainstorming session, estimate the costs and let them do the math! This is a great time to discuss troop proceed tiers for total packages sold.

Make a list of ideas to help jump-start their brainstorming. Estimate the cost of activities and keep it easy by using \$5 increments. Examples: Go to the zoo for \$20; take ice skating lessons for \$30; make blankets for shelter dogs for \$30.

Supplies:

- Cookie Goal Worksheet
- Pencils
- List of ideas (optional)

The sweet payoff:

Setting a package goal can be difficult if Girl Scouts don't know what they're working toward. This activity makes it easy for them to set an achievable goal.



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Money Management — Cookie Goal Worksheet

Find your cookie package goal by choosing what you want to do with your cookie proceeds.
Start with brainstorming ideas, then make your choices and do the cookie math!

Brainstorming Ideas Think of the things you want to do, people you want to help, and places you want to go!

Do the Cookie Package Goal Math

List the things you want to do and add up the costs to see your package goal!

Activity List	Cost Estimate
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
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_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

TOTAL Activity Cost ESTIMATE
Add up Cost Estimate column _____



**TOTAL
PACKAGE
GOAL** ESTIMATE _____

Your Total Package Goal number is the same as the Total Activity Cost number. For every dollar needed, you need to sell one package.