

Lilly the Lash

Girl Scout Patch Program - Option 2

"GROW Mad!"

Age Level:

Daisies

Group Size:

1 to 30

Materials:

The Garden Gathering book by Julie Woik

1 Small to Medium Plastic Plant Pot per scout

1 Packet of Sunflower Seeds (included)

Bag of soil

Colored Markers

Foam shapes (flowers would be great) and stickers

Sequins (optional)

Glue (if you choose to add sequins)



Discover:

Read The Garden Gathering together. Afterwards, talk about what kind of flower Sunny was, how she felt about her size, and what value she had to the garden. Discover the importance of each and every one of us and how we all have something to give to the world.

Connect:

- Each Girl Scout will receive a plant pot.
- They will decorate their pot with colored markers, foam shapes, and sequins.
- Upon completion, the troop leader will help them fill the pot with soil and plant a sunflower seed.
- The troop leader will advise the girls on how often to water their plant and where to place it for the best growing results.

Take Action:

After everyone helps to clean up, have everyone sit in a circle. Ask each Girl Scout to finish this sentence: "I like myself because _____." Then ask her: Do you think how you feel about yourself affects others? Example: "I like myself because I'm polite to others." "Yes, I think people like it when I say thank you or please."