

Junior Handbook

Legacy: Inside Government

Step 3 – Look Into Laws

- Hold a "mock vote" on community laws. Vote in the Legislative Branch of the **Star Spangled Center** over the current issues. See if your vote is winning or not. Talk to your troop about why you voted yes or no.

Legacy: Girl Scout Way

Step 4 – Leave a Place Better Than You Found It

- Tackle a problem in your neighborhood. The Magic House is a very busy place, so be sure to keep the Museum nice and clean for others by cleaning up when you are finished playing. Leave the place better than you found it.

It's Your Planet – Love It Journey

Gardener

Step 1 – Visit a Garden

- Visit our **Sunshine Classroom**, which is a rooftop garden, open during the Spring and Summer.

It's Your Story – Tell It Journey

Playing in the Past

Step 3 – Experience Daily Life

- Read about the history of The Magic House on the Second and Third Levels of the Grand Staircase. Find out how much food used to cost, how they dressed, and what major events happened. Tell other Girl Scouts the interesting facts that you learned.

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It's Your World – Change It Journey

Musician

Step 1 – Explore How Music Is Made

- Find out about three different instruments. In the **Play Music, Music Play** area of The Magic House (located near the conservatory) look at the different instruments. Do these instruments look like other instruments that you've seen? When you are finished playing in that area, head over to the St. Louis Blues bubble organ and musical chairs on the other side of the conservatory and try to play a song.

Step 2 – Travel Around the World of Music

- The anthem of the United States is the *Star-Spangled Banner*. Try singing it in the Legislative Branch of the **Star Spangled Center**. When do you usually hear this anthem played? How does it make you feel? What does it have in common with other countries' anthems?

Entertainment Technology

Step 3 – Try the Science of Amusement Park Rides

- Figure out centrifugal force. Go up to the **Balls in Motion** area on the Third Level. Try to see if you can make a golf ball go upside down on the loop track. How does it work?

Scribe

Step 1 – Start with a Poem

- Write a poem on our **Poet Tree**. Look at the different signs on the wall to help you write a limerick, a haiku, or a “free verse”. When you are finished, you can hang it on the tree for the rest of our visitors to see.