girl scouts of montana and wyoming

# Bronze Award Project Ideas

**There are five key parts to a Highest Awards project; sustainability, measurability, identifying a root cause of an issue, leadership, and a national/global link. As girls progress through the Highest Awards, these key parts will look different. For the Bronze Award girls will develop an understanding of the world around them and the key parts can come through a discussion about how solutions the project can be made sustainable), how their project has made an impact (measurability), the difference between a onetime service project and take action projects (identifying root cause of an issue), and is this happening in other places (national/global link). Girls will discover and develop leadership skills as they plan and execute the project. For more information about the Bronze Award and these key parts please review the Bronze Award resources at [www.gsmw.org](http://www.gsmw.org).**

**1. Book Drive –** Make a bookcase, hold a children's book drive, set it up at a children's clinic, preschool, etc.
**2. Game Cart –** Collect board games and organize a game day at your library, nursing home, homeless shelter.
**3. Blankets for the Homeless –** Learn to make fleece tied blankets and donate them to the homeless shelter.
**4. Winter Clothing –** Hold a clothing drive donate them to the homeless shelter.
**5. Hygiene Kits –** Make hygiene kits for a shelter.
**6. Birthday Boxes –** Make Birthday Boxes for your food pantry.
**7. Adoption Kits –** Make kits for families adopting a pet.
**8. Nursing Home Favors –** Make an assortment of favors for a nursing home or Meals on Wheels.
**9. Movie Night –** Plan a movie night for younger girls and teach them a new skill at the sleepover.
**10. Daisy or Brownie Fun Day –** Plan and hold an event for younger Girl Scouts so they can earn a badge.
**11. Halloween Project –** Collect or make simple Halloween costumes for a shelter and host a Halloween party.
**12. Buddy Bench –** Design, build and install a Buddy Bench at your school.
**13. Bird or Bat Houses –** Learn about bird/bat houses and make some to place in recommended areas.
**14. Recycling Program –** Start a recycling program at your school/church/meeting location.
**15. Plant Trees –** Plant trees at a park/school/meeting location.
**16. Nature Trail –** Clean up a nature trail.
**17. Community Garden –** Adopt a garden to take care of.
**18. Baby Kits –** Make kits to send home with new moms from the hospital.
**19. Cookbook –** Make an outdoor cookbook for your Service Unit to lend to troops.
**20. Community Sign –** work with your local government to install a No Littering sign in the park.