

OWN YOUR MAGIC CHALLENGE 2023

HEY GIRL SCOUTS!

Join GSGI as we embark on an exciting journey this fall with our brand-new patch program: “Own Your Magic.” Get ready to explore the fascinating world of Ozzie the Ocelot, our Fall Product Program mascot, and discover the extraordinary qualities that make these creatures truly special. While ocelots may not possess magical powers in the traditional sense, they possess a unique blend of characteristics that set them apart, just like each of you!

Join us as we dive into the world of Ozzie the Ocelot and uncover the magical aspects of your own individuality. This challenge is designed to empower you to embrace your uniqueness, develop new skills, and build lasting friendships with your fellow Girl Scouts. Are you ready to unleash your inner ocelot and embark on this enchanting adventure? Let’s “Own Your Magic” together!


Discover: Learn about the ocelot and what makes it a unique and important creature

Connect: Use your new appreciation for the ocelot to show your appreciation for yourself

Take action: Learn how to better take care of yourself, ocelots, and the world around you

Discover

Discover the magic of the ocelot and the environment it lives in. Learn about ocelots by using at least two of the resources below.

WATCH THE FALL PRODUCT KICK OFF VIDEO AND LEARN ALL ABOUT THE OCELOT	READ ABOUT OCELOTS	WATCH SOME BIG CAT LIVE CAMS FROM ZOOS	
VISIT AN OCELOT	PBS BIOG	national ZOO	san Diego ZOO
ocelot Vist		Maryland ZOO	edinburgh ZOO
WATCH A DOCUMENTARY ABOUT OCELOTS OR THE DESERT			

Did you find information about ocelots and deserts not listed here? Great! Any resource with facts about animals counts!

connect

Connect what you learned about the magic of ocelots to the magic of being yourself.

Now that you have discovered what makes the ocelot special, let's talk about what makes you special! Everyone has their own special powers, maybe you're an incredible artist or dancer, maybe you are silly and can make people laugh, or maybe you excel at school. There are millions of ways you are unique and important.

Come up with a list of at least 10 things you love about yourself. These could be times you've been kind, things you're good at, or anything else that makes you special! You can write the list, draw it, or just think it through.

10 things i love about me:

Take action

Take Action by practicing caring for ocelots, the environment, and yourself. After appreciating ocelots and ourselves, it's time to learn how to take care of ourselves and the world around us. Try at least three activities from the list or come up with your own activities!



SELF-CARE

Journal

Play your favorite music and dance

Write a letter

Talk to a trusted adult about a problem or worry you have

Make a new friend

Learn something new

Draw a picture just for fun, it doesn't have to be perfect!

Try a hobby you haven't done in a while

Take a walk

Spend a day being screen free

CARE FOR THE WORLD AROUND US

Recycle

Remember to turn the lights off when you leave a room

Conserve water

Unplug chargers when you're not using them

great job girl scout! Be sure to visit one of our GSGI Retail shops to purchase your patch.