



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA®

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## PARTNERSHIP

The Congressional Award was created to promote and recognize America's outstanding youth. The Congressional Award and Boy Scouts of America are organizations that share values like initiative, service, and achievement. The two organizations formed a former national partnership in 1999. Through The Congressional Award, Boy Scouts can be recognized by the United States Congress for activities they are already completing through their connection to the Boy Scouts of America.

## ENROLLMENT

- **2,169** Boy Scout members have enrolled in The Congressional Award.
- There are currently **1,575** self-identified Boy Scouts actively working on the program.

## EARNED

- Boy Scouts have earned **1,198** Congressional Award Medals since the formation of the partnership: **479** Bronze Medals, **393** Silver Medals, **326** Gold Medals

## HOURS

- Boy Scouts have contributed over **220,593** hours of service to communities across the country.
  - Boy Scouts have completed over **209,160** hours of Personal Development activities and **201,357** hours of Physical Fitness activities.
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**Boy Scouts of America**

Register with the Congressional Award online  
[www.congressionalaward.org](http://www.congressionalaward.org)

You must register before you begin earning your Award

# Congressional Award

Last year, a large number of young Americans were recognized with the Congressional Award Gold Medal, the highest honor bestowed upon young people by the U.S. Congress. Many of these Medalists were Boy Scouts like you.



The Congressional Award program offers participants the opportunity to set personally challenging goals in four program areas. Many of the activities that you are already involved in as a Boy Scout may count toward the Award.

The Boy Scouts of America is an organization where Scouts exhibit ideals like **Initiative, Service & Achievement** every day. The Congressional Award was created to promote and recognize the same ideals in America's youth.



See how the Congressional Award compliments your BSA achievements

Congressional Award	BSA Activities
Voluntary Public Service	Volunteer/leadership scouting activities, assisting with Eagle projects, neighborhood & wilder-
Personal Development	Your Eagle Scout Merit badges: Communications, Personal Management, Emergency Preparedness, etc.
Physical Fitness	Cycling, running, tennis, football, golf, swimming, personal fitness, etc.
Exploration/Expedition	Philmont, camping trips, Sea Scouts, cultural & historical exploration, etc.

The partnership of the Congressional Award & Boys Scouts of America gives you the opportunity to be recognized by Congress for activities you already do!

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