



Cadette Safety Award Pin

Pillar: Life Skills

Outcomes: Learns to identify and solve problems in her home and community

Cadettes will earn their Safety Award by:

1. Learn how to make a room safe for a young child.
 - a. Research and find a baby proofing check list.
 - b. Pick one room in your house and follow the list. What needs to be done to make it safe?
 - c. Now go from room to room. What is different depending on the room? Try doing a bedroom and a bathroom or kitchen.
2. Find out about water safety.
 - a. Go to the Red Cross website and learn about water safety. <https://www.redcross.org/get-help/how-to-prepare-for-emergencies/types-of-emergencies/water-safety.html>
 - b. Create a poster, video or infograph that would teach a younger child some simple water safety rules they should know to follow.
3. Teach a Daisy or Brownie what to do if she gets lost (Daisy Safety Award) and why she shouldn't talk to strangers.
 - a. Help a younger child learn their phone number and address.
 - b. Help a younger child learn to identify a safe adult and a stranger.
 - c. Make a worksheet, poster or video that could help a Daisy or Brownie Leader teach her troop these skills.
4. With your family, make sure you have enough food, water, and medical supplies on hand to last at least three days in case of a natural disaster. Remember to plan for pets! It's important to have someone outside the area whom everyone in your family can contact in case you are separated. Learn who your family contact is or help your family choose a contact.
 - a. Research what is needed to create an emergency tub/kit.
 - b. Our local Community Partner, the Red Cross, has great activities to help you prepare for a natural disaster like a [flood](#), [thunderstorm](#), or [tornado](#). Check them out!
 - c. Go through the house and see what you can collect. Make a list of what is still needed.
 - d. Along with your family, create an emergency tub to have on hand in case of a natural disaster.
 - e. Along with your family, create a safety plan for a fire, a tornado and any other disaster you might think of.
5. Discuss bullying with your Girl Scout group, friends, or family. Write and sign a personal-responsibility statement that covers how you'll behave at school, at home, and online.
 - a. Research forms of bullying and create a list of behaviors you may have witnessed that hurt others.
 - b. Decide how you want to be treated and interview family members and friends about how they want to be treated.
 - c. Use the information you gathered and create a personal pledge. Decorate it and hang it in your room as a reminder of how you can influence others with your positive treatment of others.
 - d. Create a Team pledge that can be used in your troop, or a club or among friends. Work with your friends and let them help you with your creation. See who would be willing to sign it!

When you're finished:

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