

## **Junior Girl Scout Pet Care Merit Badge**

Acorn Naturalists specializes in resources that encourage and enhance Girl Scout outdoor adventures, activities, skills, crafts, patch and award programs. Girl Scouts and outdoor education and service leaders are encouraged to visit our online and physical store, each filled with activities that supplement Girl Scout programs. We offer a wide selection of literature and lore on Girl Scout camping, nature crafts, patch and award programs.

The resources listed below can easily be found on the Acorn Naturalists website. When visiting [acornnaturalists.com](http://acornnaturalists.com) simply type in all or part of resource name into the search field located on every web page. You can then easily order online using our secure order form, or simply call us directly at (800) 422-8886. If you are in the area, visit us in person at our store (155 El Camino Real, Tustin, California 92780), or call to request our 200 page print catalog describing over 8000 hands-on education resources. We look forward to helping Girl Scouts achieve a high level of adventure, education and outdoor learning while developing valuable skills and, of course, having a lot of fun.

This resource list has been developed by educators familiar with Girl Scout handbook, merit badge and award requirements, and is offered to enhance and enrich Girl Scout education activities described in those resources. Specific learning resources should be selected based on local environments and interests as they complement official Girl Scout programs, projects, patches, awards and activities.

### **Activity 1 - To Have or Have Not?**

Care and Maintenance of Green Anoles (#AR-9027)  
Cat Bingo (#G-50823)  
Dog Bingo (#G-50824)  
Eyewitness Cat Video (#V-4256) and Book (#MAM-13360)  
Eyewitness Dog Video (#V-13289) and Book (#MAM-13417)  
Horse Bingo (#G-14490)  
More Pet Bugs, A kid's Guide to Catching & Keeping Insects & other Small Creatures (#INV-7268)  
Pet Bugs, a Kid's Guide to Catching & Keeping Touchable Insects (#INV-3131)  
Professor Noggin's Pet Card Game (#G-51329)  
The Art of Keeping Snakes (#AR-15360)  
The Bearded Dragon manual (#AR-15431)  
The Boa Constrictor Manual (#AR-15365)  
The Box Turtle Manual (#AR-7291)  
The Corn Snake Manual (#AR-15359)  
The General Care & Maintenance of Garter Snakes and Water Snakes (#AR-9029)  
The General Care & Maintenance of Red-Eared Sliders (#AR-9025)  
The General Care and Maintenance of King Snakes (#AR-9028)

The Green Iguana Manual (#AR-15363)  
The Lizard's Keeper handbook (#AR-9023)  
What's Wrong with my Snake? (#AR-15362)

### **Activity 6- Don't Pass It On**

Understanding Reptile Parasites (#AR-9026)  
What's Wrong with my Snake? (#AR-15362)

### **Activity 10- Other Ways to Be Around Animals**

Healers of the Wild (#B-9121)  
Homes for Wildlife (#B-5668)  
Outdoor Careers (#EE-8041)  
The Ten Trusts, What We Must Do to Care for the Animals We Love (#B-11227)

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