

STEM Helping Hand

Volunteer Position Description

When you see the whole, your part makes sense.

Be a Helping Hand and support girls and students in hands-on STEM fun! Assist with counsel-led Girl Scout programs or field trips featuring activities like 3D printing, robotics, telescopes, woodworking, water testing, dissections, and more. An extra adult or two makes all the difference in creating inspiring STEM experiences! No Experience needed, just general comfort working with kids and no fear of new things!

Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much!

As a STEM Helping Hand, you'll get support from the Director of STEM and STEM Coordinators.

Know your role. Rock your role.

Here are some of the awesome things you'll do as a STEM Helping Hand:

- Assist the STEM team with the delivery of GS programs or Field Trips.
- Help set up and clean up for programs.
- Encourage teamwork, curiosity, and creative thinking
- Help kids work through challenges and solve problems together
- Travel to the STEM Center or DreamLab for programs
- Spread the word about the great STEM Programming and Field Trips GSNEO offers.

Grow your skills, grow your future.

Being a STEM Helping Hand helps you grow, too! You'll build skills like:

- Staying organized
- Speaking in front of others
- Managing time
- Leading a group
- Helping kids work together and build confidence
- Using technology
- Working with families & kids
- Being flexible and thinking on your feet

Great work starts with clear expectations.

- **Follow the Rules:** Comply with GSUSA Policies, Standards and Guidelines, Volunteer Essentials, Safety Activity Checkpoints, GSNEO Bylaws, and GSNEO Volunteer Policies.
- **Membership & Safety:** Be a current GSUSA member and pass the volunteer screening process, to help keep girls and volunteers safe.
- **Communication:** Volunteers in this role need to be able to send and receive messages through email, text, or social media and agree to receive emails and texts from GSNEO and GSUSA.
- **Renewal:** This role is reviewed every year and can be renewed if both the volunteer and council staff agree.
- **Time Expectations:** Occasional commitment: volunteer for at least 3 programs annually.
- **Training:** None required. STEM Helper Training encouraged.
- By taking this volunteer position with Girl Scouts of North East Ohio, I promise to follow the Girl Scout Promise and Law. I will keep all Girl Scouts information about members, volunteers, and staff private and respectful.