



# Novelist Badge Workshop



## February 2, 2020

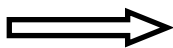
### 2:00-5:00 PM

### GSCNC Camp Potomac or Brighton Woods

Share a meal with an historical figure, unearth ancient treasures, spend the summer in outer space, or dancing flamenco in Spain – write a novel lets you dream the world your way. As you write descriptions and dialogue, invent situations, and make up feelings, you'll experience the fun of a novelist's career: spending time with new friends (characters you've created) and in other worlds (those from your imagination). And you'll end up with something impressive to share in college admissions – a work of fiction you wrote yourself.

#### Steps

1. Deconstruct a novel
2. Create great characters
3. Develop a plot
4. Write at least 20 pages
5. Edit your pages



**Prerequisite:** Choose a novel that's at least 200 pages long. As you're reading, make a note of the emotional arc of the plot. Think of an emotional arc as a journey of the characters' emotions. Write down the times when the character(s) experience emotional highs, emotional lows, and moments of decision, or pivotal points. What are they feeling throughout the book—what do they begin the story believing, and what do they believe as the story ends? Bring info with you to discuss.

#### Purpose

When I've earned this badge, I'll know what it takes to write a great novel and I'll have written at least 20 pages of my own.

Workshop minimum is 12. **Cost for the workshop is \$20.00 and includes badge, snack and materials for workshop. Please plan to arrive 15 minutes before start time for check-in. We will start promptly. Girls should bring their own refillable water bottles.** Girl Scouts in 8th -12th grades are welcome to attend. Please no siblings.

**Registration closes on 01/19/2020, no refunds after this date.** You can [sign-up here](#) and pay online, sign-up on wait-list and pay via PayPal Invoice online with debit/credit card, or send a check payable to GSCNC for total due with this form along with check to Novelist Badge Workshop, c/o Kim Kingsford, 808 Blakely Court, Apt. 252, Frederick, MD 21702. Girls are welcome to attend without their troop but must have a permission/health history form. If you have any questions please email [troop81378@gmail.com](mailto:troop81378@gmail.com) ore [kskingsford@gmail.com](mailto:kskingsford@gmail.com).

Girl Scouts not present or participating will not receive Badge, Patch or Award

All Girls are expected to assist in clean-up after workshop is complete

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Leader/Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Troop Number: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_  
If no troop ⇔ Girl Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

# Girls X \$20.00 = \_\_\_\_\_ # Chaperon \_\_\_\_\_  Check if signed up online

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Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Acct: \_\_\_\_\_

Financial Assistance is available for girls, for more information please access the online sign-up link and a financial assistance form is available for download there, please apply for Financial Assistance before 01/01/2020.



Permission Slip with Health History

Program Name: Novelist Badge Workshop Date: February 2, 2020

Girl's Name Age Grade Birth date Address Phone City State Zip Email Mother/Guardian Day phone E-mail Evening phone Cell Father/Guardian Day phone E-mail Evening phone Cell School Attending State Grade Troop # Level

The registrant's racial background is: (optional)

- American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American White Other Hawaiian or Pacific Islander (please check one) Hispanic or Latina Not Hispanic or Latina

Must have information for emergency contact if parent(s) cannot be reached (please print clearly):

Name/ Relationship: Phone: Name/ Relationship: Phone:

HEALTH HISTORY - All Information provided will be kept confidential

Describe allergies, details of chronic conditions, or health restrictions on additional sheet if needed

Are all immunizations up to date? Yes No If no, please state reason: Please provide comments where applicable: Medication being taken Special dietary needs/restrictions: Weight of camper for dosage purposes: Specific information including physical, psychiatric or behavioral problems:

Insurance company: Policy Number: Group # Family physician: Phone: Day Eve

Parent Permission Statement

- The health history is correct as far as I know, and the person herein described has my permission to engage in all events activities except as noted. If she appears ill, I will not send her. EMERGENCY AUTHORIZATION: In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby grant permission to the program director to secure proper treatment for my child. The Girl Scouts may use any photo in which my child appears to promote Girl Scouting.

My child may be given: Aspirin Benadryl Ibuprofen Neosporin Tylenol None

Parent/Guardian Signature required:

Signature Date

To Register: Send Registration form along with this Permission/Health History form to "Event Name", c/o Kim Kingsford, 808 Blakely Court, Apt. 252, Frederick MD 21702 Registration fee should be paid online or via check and sent with Registration. Online sign-ups are not considered "registered" until payment is received. For questions please contact: troop81378@gmail.com or kskingsford@gmail.com.

Girl Name: