



Outdoor Opportunities in Colorado

Colorado is one of the best places in the country for outdoor adventure and recreation. Use these resources to plan your troop's next adventure!

Places to Stay

Check out '[Overnight Trips Places To Go](#)' for overnight spots in your area! One place we love is the [YMCA of the Rockies](#) for affordable lodging that includes access to lots of outdoor activities on the property!

Looking for a more advanced campout? Many [Colorado State Parks](#) offer car camping, group sites and backpacking sites.

Visit the [GSCO property reservation page](#) to see pictures and availability of Girl Scout properties and outdoor equipment rental.

Things to Do

Only in Colorado can you mountain bike, ski and kayak all in one day! Check out the sites below for activity and vendor suggestions like whitewater rafting, horseback riding, dogsledding and more!

- ◆ [Colorado Outdoor Activities](#)
- ◆ [Uncover Colorado](#)

Looking for an already planned outdoor event? Visit the [Get Outdoor Colorado](#) calendar and the [GSCO event calendar](#) for an upcoming event near you.

Program Resources

Want to keep the camp fun going year round? Check out these resources for hundreds of [camp games](#), [teambuilding challenges](#) and campfire [songs](#) and [skits](#). You can even watch [videos of the activities](#) above so you can learn how to lead them yourself!

Love that Girl Scout song, but can't remember the melody? Check out [this channel](#) for video examples.

Visit the [GSUSA Outdoor Programs](#) page for informational videos on outdoor skills to watch as a troop.

Get certified, learn more outdoor skills and instruct your own activity!

- ◆ Visit the [GSCO training page](#) for upcoming training in archery, small craft safety (canoeing & kayaking), cooking & camping and other outdoor skills.
- ◆ Get [Wilderness First Aid](#) certified to take your troop on more remote outdoor adventures.
- ◆ Attend a class at the [REI Outdoor School](#) to gain deeper knowledge in an outdoor area.

This guide is intended as resource, not an endorsement of these vendors. Remember, as you research lodging and activity options, ensure that any potential vendor you work with carries appropriate insurance, holds the required certification, and the activity level is appropriate for your troop program level per [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

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