



## Girls' Rites Parent Participation

We're grateful and excited that you've chosen to share your student with us this year. GL's philosophy of service is about community pulling together to make a change. We need your help to make Girls' Rites as successful and impactful as possible. To make our goals – and your participation – feel manageable, please choose a few areas that you are willing to be involved with. **Our most important event is the Fiesta de Global Leaders Auction, we will require all families to help out with the event in some way.** More information on this event, and committees, will be shared at the parent fundraising meeting on **Tuesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>**. How will you contribute?

### FIESTA DE GLOBAL LEADERS

Saturday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018

9am-3pm: Set Up

6pm-9pm: Benefit Auction

Location – Agave Room at the Rio

- Silent Auction item procurement – contacting and visiting local businesses to secure donations
- Sponsorship procurement – approaching local businesses/people that you know who are willing to underwrite the event
- Décor & logistics – organizing items into baskets, transport of equipment (tables/chairs), decorating/merchandising support (laundering/ironing linens, setting up silent auction tables)

*I can do that! Here's how:*

### GRANT WRITING/FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

- Research and inquire into local business that may accept proposals to fund student scholarships. Discover requirements for submitting a proposal.
- Connect Girls' Rites to a donor(s) who may want to sponsor a scholarship student's trip or donate trip materials

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### LETTERS *(these are pre-written for your student on Girls' Rites letterhead!)*

- Help your student collect 20 addresses for our letter campaign.
- Research and contact local small businesses or community centers that may potentially make scholarship donations.

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### SERVICE WORK

- Help students organize the donation drive



- **Connect students with service in Fort Collins centered around women's issues**
- **Offer to carpool students to service projects**

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