Girls Inc. of the Valley

5 YEARS OF EUREKA!

Girls Inc. of the Valley works with local schools to recruit Eureka! Scholars in the spring of their 7th grade year. Girls Inc. interviews both girls and their families and selects 30 new Eureka! Scholars for the incoming Rookie Cohort spots.

YEAR ONE: GRADE 8  
30 Rookies

JULY
Rookies attend STEM workshops, self care, and health and wellness activities on UMass Amherst Campus.

SCHOOL YEAR
Rookies meet for one required Saturday each month for field trips and workshops focusing on STEM and community service.

YEAR TWO: GRADE 9  
30 Veterans

JULY
Vets attend STEM workshops, personal development programs and health and wellness activities on UMass Amherst Campus.

SCHOOL YEAR
Vets meet for one required Saturday each month for field trips and workshops focusing on STEM and community service.

YEAR THREE: GRADE 10  
30 Midways

JULY
Midways learn about and take part in community service, volunteering and activism aimed at improving their local community.

SCHOOL YEAR
Required monthly meetings focus on leadership, STEM education, and visits to local colleges.

YEAR FOUR: GRADE 11  
30 Externs

JULY
Externs are placed a professional work experience where they earn a $500 stipend. Externships are hands-on & focus on STEM careers.

SCHOOL YEAR
Required monthly meetings focus on the college readiness timeline including scholarships, financial aid and college visits.

YEAR FIVE: GRADE 12  
30 Graduates

JULY
Eureka! Graduates take a for credit Bay Path University course entitled Women as Empowered Leaders and Learners.

SCHOOL YEAR
Required Attend the weekly College Access Now program, where scholars get help applying to college and scholarships

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