

What is Rainbow?

The International Order of the Rainbow for Girls is a service organization for girls between the ages of 11 and 20. The IORG helps to build character, and its purpose is to promote service to humanity. The girls learn about charity, hope, and service through their work and involvement with their local, state, and national service projects.

Every day, across the globe, hundreds of thousands of girls come together to

laugh, share, and grow

through fun events and challenging workshops designed to empower girls of all ages. Rainbow Girls volunteer for their community and travel around the world, visiting other states and assemblies, making lots of new friends. Along the way, they gather invaluable life skills that help them become the best daughter, sister, student, and friend they can be.



Rainbow helps prepare young women to be tomorrow's leaders.

Former Rainbow Girls include Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Conner; astronaut Dorothy Dottiel Metcalf-Lindenburger; actresses Lee Merriwether, Ruth Buzzi, CEO of Ford Motor Co. of Canada; State Senator Carol Hudkins; and US Senator Olympia J. Snowe, just to name a few.

The International Order of the Rainbow for Girls was founded in 1922 by William Mark Sexson, a Christian minister and active member of the Masonic Lodge. IORG encourages its members to get an education and succeed as individuals. Girls who show service to the organization have the opportunity to receive scholarships.

Each assembly has bi-monthly meetings. At these meetings, members make all the major decisions. While they plan and organize other activities of the assembly, they learn standard meeting protocol and parliamentary procedure. Adults are there to provide support and guidance. Members also learn to memorize meaningful lectures and be prepared for extemporaneous speeches. Some meetings conclude with a presentation or unique entertainment.

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