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Talk About Roles

After an audition, some actors are asked to a “callback.” That’s a second audition. It’s a chance for the director to take a closer look before she decides who’s best for the part.

Try this!



Choose a woman from your Casting Call Log that you’d like to know better.

Ask your parent or guardian to approve your choice and help you arrange a talk or get-together so you can ask her about all the roles she plays—and has played—in her life. Let her know that you’re on this aMUSEing journey exploring all the roles women play in your life and your community.

Here are some questions you might ask:

What are the roles that you play in your life today—at your job, in your family, as a volunteer?

What role did you take on at some point in your life that you never really expected to have?

What did you learn from it?

Where did it lead you next?

Did you ever have to give up on a role you wanted and try something else?

Has anything stopped you from playing any of your roles?

Have you ever had to confront a stereotype? If so, what happened?

Are there women who paved the way for you in your roles? Who are they, and what have you learned from them?

What stereotypes do you think girls my age face in the world today?

What can we do about stereotypes?

What other roles do you hope to try at some point?

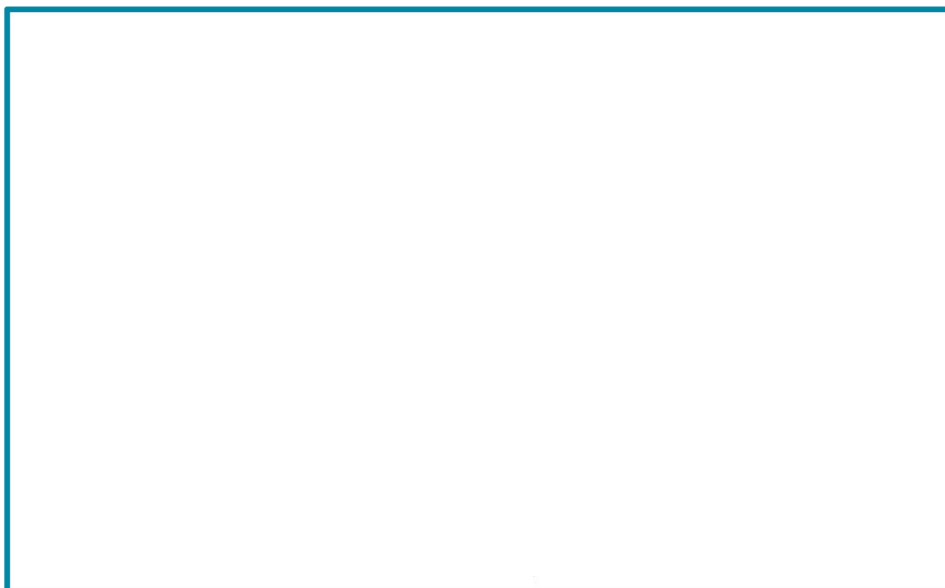
What did you want to be when you were my age?

Also ask the woman you chose to talk to which qualities and values in the Girl Scout Law are most important in her roles, and why they're important to her.

Check the ones she thinks are key, and write her reason or reasons next to it.

- ☐ Honest _____
- ☐ Fair _____
- ☐ Friendly _____
- ☐ Helpful _____
- ☐ Considerate _____
- ☐ Caring _____
- ☐ Courageous _____
- ☐ Strong _____
- ☐ Responsible for what I say and do _____
- ☐ Respect myself and others _____
- ☐ Respect authority _____
- ☐ Use resources wisely _____
- ☐ Make the world a better place _____

If you can, record your interview with the woman or take a photo of the two of you together, or make a drawing and paste it here.



Now take time to think about what you learned during the callback. Share your thoughts here.

What surprised you most about your role model and her roles?

What values and qualities do you share with her?

How do you think she acts as a leader in or through her roles?

What surprised you most about your role model and her roles?

How would you like to be more like her?

What did you learn about stereotypes from her?