

# # PREPARE GIRLS FOR THE FUTURE OF WORK!

## Start a Girls Who Code Club in Your Community!

girls who  
**code**

### WE ARE GIRLS WHO CODE!

A national non-profit organization leading the movement to inspire, educate, and equip girls with computing skills to pursue 21st-century opportunities.

Girls Who Code Clubs are **FREE** programs for **3rd-5th** and **6th-12th** grade girls to join our sisterhood of supportive peers and role models, and use computer science to change the world. Clubs can be hosted in schools, universities, libraries, community centers, faith-based organizations, or other nonprofits.



### WHAT WE'RE DOING

We're building the largest pipeline of future female engineers in the United States.



### WHY IT MATTERS

Computing is where jobs will be in the future, but less than 1 in 5 computer science graduates are women.



### OUR IMPACT AND COMMITMENT TO DIVERSITY

Girls Who Code Clubs help girls learn the fundamentals of Computer Science. Our alumni who have already declared their majors are choosing to major in CS, or related fields, at a rate **15 times** the national average. Half of the girls we serve are from historically underrepresented groups.

**90,000** GIRLS SERVED TO DATE!

JOIN THE MOVEMENT AT [GIRLSWHOCODE.COM/CLUBS](https://www.girlswhocode.com/clubs)

## WHO CAN LEAD A CLUB?

Clubs are led by Facilitators who are passionate about our mission. They are teachers, librarians, college students, engineers, parents--volunteers from all backgrounds and fields. Our curriculum is designed so that anyone can facilitate a Club. Many of our Facilitators have **NO computer science experience** and use our **comprehensive resources and support** to learn to code alongside their Club members.



## WHAT DO I NEED TO LEAD A CLUB?

-  Space to host the Club at a school, library, university or other non-profit
-  Must pass a background check & be over 18 yrs old
-  Availability to lead 1-2 hr sessions every week
-  Access to Technology (Required for 6th-12th Grade Clubs Only)

## WHAT SUPPORT DOES GIRLS WHO CODE PROVIDE TO OUR CLUBS?

### CURRICULUM & TRAINING

**Custom Online Training:** A short online training to prepare and run your Club.

**Online Curriculum Platform:** Access to the Girls Who Code HQ platform with tutorials, weekly meeting guides and other resources.

### LOGISTICS SUPPORT

**Recruitment Toolkits:** Materials to help recruit students and Facilitators to join your Club.

**Clubs Fund:** A mini-grant is available to cover the costs of experiences or materials (6th-12th) or for book (3rd-5th).

### COMMUNITY

**Clubs Success Specialist:** Proactive one-on-one support from a program expert.

**Online Community:** Connect with other Girls Who Code volunteers via our online community.

**In-Person and Virtual Events:** Opportunities to participate in field trips with corporate partners where available.

## WHAT ARE THE KEY DIFFERENCES BETWEEN A 3RD-5TH AND 6-12TH GRADE CLUB?

### 3rd-5th Grade Clubs **NEW!**

### 6th-12th Grade Clubs

<b>Focus of Club</b>	Girls read and discuss our nonfiction book, <i>Learn to Code and Change the World</i> , and then complete thematically related challenges.	Girls build character and coding skills as they learn, plan, build and celebrate together to create a project that they care about.
<b>Technology</b>	Can be run entirely unplugged, but we offer an optional online component that Clubs can <b>choose</b> to tackle.	Need either a desktop or laptop computer and reliable Internet access. Chromebooks can be used as well.
<b>Provided Materials</b>	Copies of our Girls Who Code nonfiction book, free curriculum and support.	Free curriculum and support; meeting guides, self-guided tutorials.