

South Dakota American Legion Juniors

Patch Program

American Legion Auxiliary Junior members and Sons of The American Legion youth members can be active participants of the organization with the Patch Program. Regardless of where one lives, and whether she/he belongs to an active Junior group or squadron, Junior Auxiliary members and SAL youth members can serve their communities and veterans, and learn about patriotism, health, fitness, and leadership through this program.

There are four levels of patch criteria:

- Purple Level: Pre-School Age 3 through kindergarten (3 Patches)
- Red Level: 1st through 4th grade (10 Patches)
- Gold Level: 5th grade through 8th grade (10 Patches)
- Blue Level: 9th grade through 12th grade (or 18 years old) (12 Patches)

Patch sheets can be found at: www.ALAforVeterans.org

Each Patch has its own criteria sheet to be filled out and signed off on by an adult that can verify the youth has completed the patch criteria. (the adult can be a parent, Senior member, teacher, coach, or any person over 18 years of age)

When your youth have completed Patch requirements patches can be order online at:

<https://member.legion-aux.org/Member/Junior-Patch-Program-Order-Form>

Patches can be ordered by the unit and shipped directly to the unit. At this time there is not a big enough supply to just have patches on hand so please only order what has been completed.

Reporting to the Department Juniors Chairman can be done on the Juniors Activities Patch Program Report form.