Our Ref: LD/AC/cc/DofE Bronze award update

16<sup>th</sup> February 2022

Dear Parent / Carer

## <u>Duke of Edinburgh – Bronze Award</u>

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I write to update you on your child's Duke of Edinburgh Award. As you are aware from the letter sent to you on 17<sup>th</sup> January 2022, the dates for the expedition are the below:

## Bronze Group 1 – Pupils in 9B1, 9B2 and 9C1

• Practice Expedition - Friday 29th- Saturday 30th April 2022 - Cannock Chase

• Qualifying Expedition - Friday 13th- Saturday 14th May 2022 - Lickey Hills

## Bronze Group 2 – Pupils in 9C2, 9M1, 9M2, 9M3, 9W1 and 9W2

• Practice Expedition – Friday 6th May - Saturday 7th May 2022 – Cannock Chase

• Qualifier Expedition - Friday 20th- Saturday 21st May 2022- Lickey Hills

It is very pleasing to see so many pupils have already started to complete the eDofE record of their activities. Miss Clarke (2<sup>nd</sup> in Humanities) has met with pupils this week to discuss the requirements for each section as well as the conditions needed to be an assessor. All pupils have had the same message in this meeting. They must have completed the two 3 month sections of their award before the final expedition date in May and their final 6 month section should be well underway.

Detailed information on what is and is not allowed for each section can be found on this weblink:

## https://www.dofe.org/do/ideas/

If your child has any questions, please ensure that they see Miss Clarke in D310 during form time or after school. Alternatively, you can contact Miss Clarke by emailing postbox@barrbeaconschool.co.uk

Please ensure that the payment of the remaining balance of £60 is paid by <u>Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March</u> <u>2022</u> via your Wisepay account.

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Yours Sincerely

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