

Re: KH/AC/FS/PUPILNAME/Duke of Edinburgh – Bronze Award

18th December 2024



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Duke Of Edinburgh – Bronze Award

Dear Parents/ Carers,

We are pleased to inform you that your child has been successfully enrolled in the Duke of Edinburgh (DofE) Award programme. They can expect to receive an enrolment email to their school email address shortly, which will provide further details on how to proceed.

To get started, students will need to sign in to the eDofE platform and complete their registration. It's important that they begin selecting their sections for the award; however, please remind them not to start any section until it has been formally approved by the DofE Manager. The deadline for selecting options is Thursday, 19th December 2024. All selections must be documented in eDofE.

As part of the DofE programme, each student will need to secure an assessor for each section. Please note that assessors must not be family members and must be over 18 years of age. This requirement ensures that the assessments are impartial and fair.

For guidance and inspiration while choosing activities, we encourage you and your child to review the programme planner guides available on the DofE website. These resources provide a wealth of ideas that can help in selecting appropriate activities for each section of the award.

At the conclusion of each section, assessors will complete a report on the student's progress and achievements. This can be done using the booklet that students will receive in the post. This will need to be photographed and uploaded onto eDofE. Please ensure that all details are completed and that the end date is before the date of the assessor's report.

Alternatively, the assessors can complete an online form <https://www.dofe.org/assessor/> which will automatically sync to your child's eDofE account.

Additionally, we would like to inform you of the upcoming training and expedition dates:

1. Training evenings will take place in the spring term. These will be given to your child as a sticker in the New Year.
2. Bronze Training Day – Sunday 25th May 2025 Sutton Park
3. Bronze Qualifier Monday 14th July 2025 preparation day.
4. Tuesday 15th -Wednesday 16th July 2025 qualifying expedition (Cannock Chase)
5. Thursday 17th July in school equipment check and presentations.



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If you have any questions or require further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact Miss A Clarke via email at postbox@barrbeaconschool.co.uk.

Thank you for your support in this enriching experience for your child. We look forward to seeing them thrive as they embark on their DofE journey!

Yours sincerely,



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