

D of E Award -Training Plan – BRONZE 2019/2020

These training sessions must be attended and are **not optional**.

(NB* Sessions maybe subject to change during academic year but appropriate notice will be given when and where possible)

Students must bring a packed lunch with them to all of the full day training sessions as the school canteen will not be open and students will not be permitted to go off site to get food.

DATE	EVENT/ TRAINING
Sept 27 th	Letter of acceptance given to students with Award dates (dates might be subject to change but notice will be given if this happens).
Monday 7 th Oct	Parents & pupil information evening 4:30pm – 5:30pm Location in the School hall
Thurs 17 th Oct	E D of E Introduction evening @ St Benedict's school (VH from D of E) Location room 6. Time 4 – 5:30. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is expected/ ethos • E D of E. • 20 Conditions
Training Day 1 Sat 18 th Jan 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Team Building Skills • Campcraft, Equipment and hygiene introduction – rucksacks, stoves, tents, boots, Kit list etc... • Country code • Risk assessments • Basic navigation
Training Day 2 Sat 8 th Feb 2020 @ St Benedict's 9:30am – 3pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Aid course and qualification • How to deal with emergencies (Course Instructor Mr S Potter)
Friday 14 th Feb 2020	1-2 SECTION(S) OF AWARD MUST BE COMPLETED, UPLOADED TO EDOFE WITH EVIDENCE AND AN ASSESSORS REPORT (3 months of skills can be back dated to start of sept 2019)
Training Day 3 Sat 14 th March 2020 8:00am – 3pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map and compass reading • Plan Day walk & practice expedition • All paper work needs to be completed for practice expedition - paperwork EVC potential Bronze/ Silver group x6 weeks before)
Training day 4 Sat 16 th May 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plan assessed expedition (bronze & Silver) - paperwork EVC group x6 weeks before) • Complete at 3 sections of d of e award – students will not be allowed to go on expedition if the 3 sections of award are not completed.
Training Eve 5 Tues 9 th June 2020 Training Session 4 (eve) 3:45 – 5pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food and nutrition – plan a meal • Cook a planned meal with group and complete a meal plan for expedition.

Sat 13 th June	<u>BRONZE PRACTICE EXPEDITION –Alcester (Local)</u> 8 – 6pm @ St Benedict’s Walk approx. 13km (with practice rucksack) Camp craft practice – Tents & cooking
Full equipment check 24th June	Except food. Students are to drop bags with a name tag or other way of identifying their bag in the sports hall at the start of the day.
Thurs 25 th – Fri 26 th June (after school)	<u>BRONZE QUALIFYING EXPEDITION – COTSWOLDS</u> <u>(Hailes fruit farm Campsite)</u> Drop off at 7:30am School Thursday Pick up at 5pm (approximately) on Fri at front of school
July 2020	3 SECTIONS OF AWARD MUST BE COMPLETED, UPLOADED TO EDOFE WITH EVIDENCE AND AN ASSESSORS REPORT