



Sandringham School

'Everybody can be Somebody'

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 11 – Silver Duke of Edinburgh's Award

I am delighted that your child has decided to enrol in Silver DofE

There is a further enrolment fee which is £29. This will be added to your ParentPay account and, once it has been paid, I will add Silver to your child's eDofE account.

I have explained to the students that although I will enrol them from 1st May 2021, they can count any activities that they have been doing since they completed their Bronze. Therefore it is possible to backdate enrolment to allow for these activities to be counted. I will deal with this on a case by case basis and your child needs to email me with the details.

We intend to run both the Practice and Qualifying Expeditions this term which will mean that, should they wish to enrol at Gold in Year 12, they will have a completed section at Silver. The dates and the locations for the trips are as follows. Please note that the costings are approximate. I am currently finalising campsites and transport and the final details will be sent out in the near future.

Practice Expedition

Date: Friday 18th – Sunday 20th June

Location: South Downs

Trip Cost: £65

Transport: Coach or minibus (outward and return)

Please make your payment on ParentPay by Wednesday 9th June 2021



Artsmark
Platinum Award
Awarded by Arts
Council England



Qualifying Expedition

Date: Friday 9th – Sunday 11th July

Location: Peak District

Trip Cost: £70

Transport: Coach or minibus (outward and return)

Please make your payment by Thursday 1st July

Your child will need to attend training and planning session w/c 7th and 14th June. All times/locations will be communicated via Google classroom.

If you have any questions, or would like more information, please feel free to contact me at dofe@sandringham.herts.sch.uk

Yours sincerely,

Alison Cuneen
The Duke of Edinburgh's Award Co-ordinator