

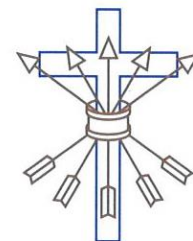
# WADDSDON CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL

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December 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

## SILVER / GOLD DUKE OF EDINBURGH AWARD SCHEME ENROLMENT

Your son/daughter has shown an interest in working towards the Silver or Gold Duke of Edinburgh Award.

Owing to limited resources and numbers in recent years, Waddesdon School does not currently offer places for Silver or Gold Expeditions. We do, however, encourage students to enrol with us at a cost of £35 per person (Silver Award) or £40 per person (Gold Award), so that e-DofE accounts can be purchased on their behalf and guidance can be given by our staff on completing the Skill, Volunteering, Physical Activity and Residential (in the case of Gold) sections of the Awards.

The Expedition section will have to be completed through an external provider. I have asked 'Action4Youth', a local organisation with reasonable rates, to provide some information on the programme they offer (probably in the form of an A4 document), so that I can pass it on to any interested students and parents.

If you would like to go ahead with the enrolment to e-DofE through our school, please fill in the attached enrolment form and return it to Mrs Cooper in the Finance Office, together with the reply slip below. The enrolment fee of £35/£40 should be paid via your ParentPay account **by Monday 18 December**.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school. Alternatively, you can visit the D of E website [www.dofe.org](http://www.dofe.org).

Yours sincerely

**Sarah Caswell**

D of E Award Leader

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## DUKE OF EDINBURGH AWARD SCHEME REGISTRATION 2023-2024

Student's name..... Form.....

- We have paid the relevant enrolment fee (£35 for Silver / £40 for Gold) on ParentPay
- We agree to uphold the regulations of the award and enter into the spirit of the scheme.

Signed..... (Parent/Guardian) Date.....

Signed..... (Student) Date.....

**Return to the Finance Office by Monday 18 December with your Enrolment Form**