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23rd February 2018

Duke of Edinburgh Award and Scouts

Tuesday 24th to Wednesday 25th April

Dear Parent/Carer

Your child is currently undertaking the Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award. One of the four elements of this award is an expedition. In order to complete their award they must plan and undertake a practice expedition lasting two days and one night and also a qualifying expedition of two days and one night. As we only have a small number of students completing the Bronze award this year the Scouts group will be joining us on our expedition.

On Tuesday 24th April they will come to school by their usual mode of transport and then we will depart together by bus for the first day of the expedition. We will camp at Waddow Hall overnight before a walk the next day. Students will be returning home as normal on Wednesday 25th April. A similar routine will happen later in May (Dates TBC).

There will be four experienced staff accompanying the group of 12 students who are currently developing the skills needed for these expeditions.

We are camping at a fully equipped campsite and will be buying the food for meals together as a group. If your child would normally have a school dinner, a packed lunch will be provided for the first day of each expedition. Otherwise please can parents send a packed lunch suitable for a full day of walking that will fit easily in a rucksack.

The cost of the expeditions will be **£40.00 per child** which includes food, camping and all equipment. Please complete the attached medical and consent form with a **deposit of £10 or the total amount of £40.00 by Friday 23rd March.**

Yours sincerely

Emma Smith and Lee McNulty
Teaching Assistants

