

# QUEEN ELIZABETH'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer

**Duke of Edinburgh's Award: All Awards (Bronze, Silver and Gold)**  
**Training Day: Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2020**  
**Trip/Award Leader: Miss Wilband**

Duke of Edinburgh's Award students will take part in a Training Day where they will undertake some Basic First Aid, Team Building activities and Route Planning. This will take place on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> February at the academy's Sixth Form Centre. This training will be provided by the same AAP (Approved Activities Provider) that will be leading the Expedition section of the Award. The Training Day starts promptly at 08:00hrs and the students will leave at 16:00hrs.

It is highly recommended that students wear clothing that they are happy to get dirty (as there will be a lot of casualty role play involved) and that they will be warm and comfortable in all day. It is planned that some of the activities will be outside and students should be prepared for inclement weather. It is suggested that students wear casual trousers, jeans or tracksuit bottoms, a t-shirt and jumper, as well as bringing a waterproof coat, a winter hat and gloves.

Students also need to bring their own lunch and plenty of liquid refreshment. Students will not be allowed to leave the school premises during breaks or/and lunchtime.

If you have any queries or questions regarding the DofE Award, please do not hesitate to contact me by email, or through the Humanities Office at the academy, or you can explore the Award on the official Duke of Edinburgh's Award website <http://www.dofe.org>.

Yours faithfully

Miss G M Wilband

**Duke of Edinburgh's Award Manager**

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