
DofE
YOUTH WITHOUT LIMITS
UNSTOPPABLE
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START YOUR SILVER DofE

What is the DofE?

The DofE is a
LIFE-CHANGING ADVENTURE

You make it: The DofE is as unique as you are

Millions of young people in the UK have already done their DofE.

NOW IT'S YOUR TURN.

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What's it all about?



I didn't complete Bronze..



Can I still do Silver?



YES!

What skills will I develop through DofE?

- ✓ RESILIENCE
- ✓ INDEPENDENCE
- ✓ TEAMWORK
- ✓ LEADERSHIP
- ✓ COMMUNICATION
- ✓ ORGANISATION
- ✓ PROBLEM-SOLVING
- ✓ CONFIDENCE
- ✓ COMMITMENT AND PERSEVERANCE
- ✓ PRACTICAL SKILLS
- ✓ COMMUNITY SPIRIT
- ✓ SELF-AWARENESS
- ✓ HEALTHY HABITS
- ✓ RESPECT AND EMPATHY
- ✓ ADAPTABILITY

To name just a few!

HOW?

- ✓ **Resilience** – overcoming challenges and not giving up when things get difficult.
- ✓ **Independence** – taking responsibility for themselves and their decisions.
- ✓ **Teamwork** – working collaboratively and supporting others.
- ✓ **Leadership** – taking initiative, motivating others and solving problems.
- ✓ **Communication** – listening, sharing ideas and working effectively with others.
- ✓ **Organisation** – planning activities, managing time and meeting deadlines.
- ✓ **Problem-solving** – thinking creatively and adapting when things don't go to plan.
- ✓ **Confidence** – trying new experiences and discovering what they are capable of.
- ✓ **Commitment and perseverance** – setting goals and sticking with them over time.
- ✓ **Practical skills** – learning navigation, first aid, outdoor safety and expedition planning.
- ✓ **Community spirit** – volunteering, helping others and making a positive difference.
- ✓ **Self-awareness** – recognising strengths, developing interests & identifying areas for improvement.
- ✓ **Healthy habits** – developing physical fitness and discovering enjoyable activities.
- ✓ **Respect and empathy** – appreciating different perspectives & supporting people from different backgrounds.
- ✓ **Adaptability** – stepping outside their comfort zone and responding positively to unfamiliar situations.

What will I do?



VOLUNTEERING SECTION

Take action and make a difference to the causes you care about

Help others and change things for the better





[Programme ideas: Volunteering section | DofE]

PHYSICAL SECTION

Take part in **whatever dance, sport or fitness activity you would like**

Get fitter **and have fun along the way!**





[Programme ideas: Physical section | DofE]

SKILLS SECTION

Devote yourself to improving your skills in the things you love to do

Discover new passions and develop talents you didn't know you had





[Programme ideas: Skills section | DofE]

EXPEDITION

Explore the great outdoors and spend a night away from home

Create memories that will last a lifetime

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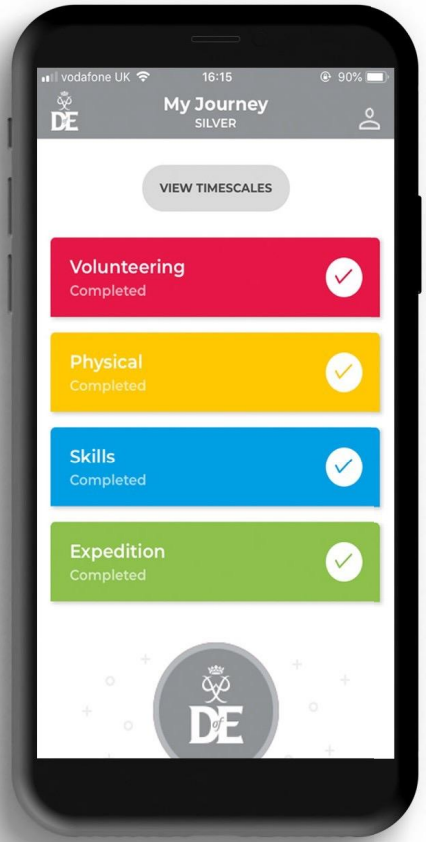
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Your Welcome Pack and eDofE





GETTING STARTED

Are you ready to start an adventure you'll never forget?

YOUR NEXT STEPS!

Ask your Parent/Carer to complete the Google form *'expression of interest in DofE'* that was sent via email last week!



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The DofE is a charity. Visit DofE.org for more information.

BECOME A YOUNG LEADER!

Develop leadership skills ☑

Add to your CV ☑

Get free training ☑

Support DofE participants ☑

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What are you waiting for?

Speak to your DofE Manager or Coordinator to get involved or visit DofE.org for more information