

The Duke of Edinburgh Award (Bronze Award)

Intent:

Achieving the DofE Bronze Award will equip our students with skills, confidence and an advantage over others when they make their applications for college, apprenticeship or job. The DofE course is a fantastic way to develop and demonstrate skills through experience and qualities such as communication, teamwork and leadership.

Through the voluntary aspect of the program students will start to make a difference in their communities and the lives of others. The service section of the course reveals character and an understanding of how their actions can create positive impact.

The course encourages students to challenge themselves, this will reveal character, unlock confidence and develop resilience that can support positive mental health and wellbeing that will support them in overcoming obstacles and challenges in the future.

Overall, our aim is to help young people develop the tools required to build a foundation of self-belief that supports them beyond their school years, to face their own challenges, follow their passions and discover talents and interests they didn't know they had.

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Year 1	Service Skill Physical	Service Skill Physical	Service Skill Physical 2-day Expedition

"DofE Bronze Award provides life chances and experiences to students that they otherwise wouldn't experience. It will help them to build resilience, work together, overcome challenges, help the community and improve both physical and mental health."

"Take those first steps, no matter how small they seem, you can't do it till you're doing it." Vick Hope