



ST. CHRISTOPHER'S C.E. HIGH SCHOOL

A Church of England Academy

Headmaster: R.D. Jones

Duke of Edinburgh's Award (Silver Level)

Practice Expedition: 19th – 21st April 2024



Dear Parent

As part of the Silver Duke of Edinburgh's Award, pupils must complete a minimum of a 2-day, 2-night Practice and then a 3-day, 2-night Qualifying Expedition. For their forthcoming Practice Expedition, pupils will be starting from [Bibby's Farm, Back Lane, Heath Charnock, Chorley PR6 9DL](#). All groups will be finishing at [Crookfield Road Car Park, off Belmont Road PR6 8DZ](#).

Please make arrangements to drop your son/daughter off at their start location at **5:00pm on Friday 19th April and collect them at 3:30pm on Sunday 21st April**. We often find pupils arrange to be dropped off in pairs or groups so please encourage your child to make such arrangements especially if you will find it difficult to transport them.

On **Tuesday 16th April** pupils will receive any kit they need to borrow from school, **3:15 – 4:15pm in The Plasma**. This includes rucksacks, tents, stoves, sleeping bags and roll mats. All other kit must be provided by pupils, they have been briefed on what to cook and what to carry in their bags but please remind them that they do have to carry everything for two days.

Please ensure that pupils pack all necessary medication and if their medical needs have changed since you filled in the medical form earlier in the year please let us know. For emergencies during this visit, staff can be contacted on the following number: **07391 750015**.

As this is a school trip, all school policies and procedures will apply. Thank you for your continued support.

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