

Duke of Edinburgh Award Completion Reminder

Dear Parents/Carers

eDofE Sections Reminder

I am pleased to say that, at present, the Duke of Edinburgh Award at STRS is thriving due to the students' unwavering engagement and parental support with numerous extra-curricular activities and voluntary opportunities outside school time. Currently, we have over 300 students spanning Years 9-13, all in the process of completing their awards.

To support your child in completing their award, they must have all their sections signed off with the submission of an assessor's report. Their assessor **cannot be a relative or an individual under 18**.

If you receiving this email it is because your child has been involved in the award scheme for at least six months, and consequently they should be at the stage where they can get all of their sections (except their expedition) signed off by their assessors but have not yet chased their assessor up to write a report for them. This is a quick and easy process, but it is crucial for them to do this as soon as possible, as it will enable me to sign off their award (expedition dependent). Your child may have queries regarding their current award status if they have not been on Sign In | eDofE for a while. Please, can I direct them to Do DofE - eDofE - The Duke of Edinburgh's Award, which may support them with potential queries?

Please could your child direct their assessors to <u>Assessor's Report - The Duke of Edinburgh's Award</u> and supply them with their ID number, Section and Award Level which is shown on their eDofE account? This link will advise their assessors on how to submit their report.

If your child has any queries regarding their award, please ask them to email me directly <u>cer@strs.org.uk</u> or come and speak to me in G3 or F1.

Unless your child has mitigating circumstances or is completing Gold in Year 12, which means their sections are longer, the deadline for completing sections and submitting all assessor reports is **Friday 16 July**. This is to ensure I can process their certificates before the end of the academic year.

Thank you for your ongoing support with your child's award.

Kind regards

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