ST. CHRISTOPHER SCHOOL
LETCHWORTH GARDEN CITY

Dear Parent/Carer,

Please see this presentation providing you with information about the Bronze Duke of Edinburgh award Bronze DofE Launch Presentation.mp4
This letter seeks to provide you with further information on the enrolment process on the Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Award with St Chris.

The sections of the Award are explained in detail on the award website (www.dofe.org) please use the site to gain as much information as possible before deciding about enrolment. Students should still be aiming to complete approximately an hour a week for each of their sections (volunteering, physical and skills) and the length of each section is detailed below:




Once enrolled on the award students will be expected to attend several in school training sessions, such as first aid, to continue their preparation for expeditions, these will be in the OPPs sessions for the first half of spring term as detailed in the presentation.

The proposed dates for the training walk and expedition can be found below. Please be aware that students MUST attend both for the full duration to complete the expedition section of their award.

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| **Training Walk (from school)** | Saturday 24th April 2027 | **Qualifying Expedition** | Wednesday 23rd – Thursday 24th June 2027 |

The cost of the Award, including registration, training, transport, kit use, campsites, training day walk and qualifying expedition is set at £150. A payment plan will be set up for 2 payments of £75 and this will be via Evolve.
If your child would like to enrol on the Bronze Award, please fill in this Microsoft Form by Friday 4th December.

If you have any questions about the Duke of Edinburgh's Award, please feel free to contact me at emma.buckett@stchris.co.uk

Yours faithfully,
Emma Buckett
DofE Lead