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### **Bronze Duke of Edinburgh Training Day – Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2018**

Dear Families,

I am writing with the final details for the Duke of Edinburgh training day scheduled for Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> September. The Intention of this training day is to outline the expedition section, initiate the planning process for the forthcoming expeditions and introduce the necessary preparatory expedition skills. Students should come suitably dressed to take part in practical activities and will need to bring a packed lunch with them. It would also be a good time for them to bring any kit and equipment they may want to check the suitability of such as footwear, sleeping bags and rucksacks.

The programme for the day is as follows;

**10:00 – 10:30** – Welcome, Intro and Team sorting

**1030-1300** - Expedition Group 1 – Introduction to Mapwork & Route Planning for practice expedition.

**10:30-13:00** - Expedition Group 2 – Multiple Activities to be covered

- *Kit and Equipment & Rucksack Packing*

- *Stoves, Cooking & Food*

- *Tent Pitching*

**13:00-13:30** – Lunch

**13:30-16:00** - Expedition Group 2 – Introduction to Mapwork & Route Planning for practice expedition.

**13:30-15:45** - Expedition Group 1 – Multiple activities to be covered:

- *Kit and Equipment & Rucksack Packing*

- *Stoves, Cooking & Food*

- *Tent Pitching*

**15:45 -16:00** – Debrief and brief for expeditions, Students Depart

Please may I take this opportunity to remind you that attendance at the training day is compulsory for all participants in order for them to complete their award. I must also remind you that the final payment of £180 is due before the training day.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at school if you have any further questions or if you have any queries regarding the final payment [info@teddingtonschool.org](mailto:info@teddingtonschool.org)

Yours sincerely,

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