



# THE GOLD CLUB HEREFORD SIXTH FORM COLLEGE

## DofE GOLD PROGRAMME 2022-2023

**All Meetings will take place on Thursdays in TBC between 12.45 and 1.45 unless advised otherwise.**

Week	Dates 2022	Syllabus
1	30 <sup>th</sup> August	Enrolment for Students
2	8 <sup>th</sup> September	No Meeting
3	15 <sup>th</sup> September	Initial presentation - Introduction to the Gold Award at HSFC. The programme. Requirements, the Sections, Collecting and presenting evidence. Costs. Dates.
4	22 September	No Meeting
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6	6 October	No Meeting
7	13 October	Outline of the year. The Expedition Section: Requirements, the 20 conditions and Assessments.
8	20 October	eDofE registration closes 21 October
		HALF TERM – No meetings.
9	3 November	Meeting Kit and basic First Aid
10	10 <sup>th</sup> November	Edofe review of sections
11	17 November	Meeting Maps
12	24 November	Meeting about Llangattock walk and what to expect
	27 November	Sunday Walk Llangattock
13	1 December	Debrief for walk and arrangements for next term
14	8 <sup>th</sup> December	Edofe review of sections
15	16 December	Close for Christmas
	19 December – 3 January	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS - <i>No meetings.</i> MERRY CHRISTMAS.

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16	5 January	
17	12 January (CT)	
18	19 January	Review Sections eDofE
19	26 January	Rules for expeditions, use of mobile phones, behaviour, safety etc
20	2 February	Route planning for New Radnor Walk
	5 February	Sunday walk New Radnor
21	9 February	Debrief New Radnor Walk
22	16 February	No Meeting
	20 – 24 <sup>th</sup> February	HALF TERM - No meeting
23	2 March	Computer Suite – review of eDofE/sections*
	5 March	Sunday 9.30-12.30pm First Aid, Bag packing, Campcraft
24	9 March	<b>No Meeting Assessment 9-13</b>
25	16 March	Review of Sections eDofE
26	23 March	No Meeting
	26 March	Sunday 9.30 – 12.30pm Route planning for Practice Expedition
27	30 March	Expedition meeting
	31 March – 4 April	Practice Expedition Black Mountains Kit will be collected in at the end of the Expedition Depart from College 4.30pm
	3 – 14 April	EASTER HOLIDAY
28	20 April	Practice Expedition debrief.
29	27 April	No Meeting
30	4 May	Review Sections
31	11 May	<b>No Meeting</b>
	14 May	Route Planning 9.30-12.30pm for Qualifying Expedition
32	18 May	Go through Routes
33	22-26 May	<b>Assessment week</b>
	26-30 May	The Qualifying Expedition Depart from College 4.30pm
34	8 June	Debrief Expedition
35	15 June	No Meeting
36	22 June	Review Sections
37	29 June	Expedition Presentations
38	6 July	Expedition Presentations
38	13 July	End of Year

- Meetings are usually held in TBC between 12.45 and 1.45 on Tuesday lunchtime.
- Please arrive promptly.
- If you eat your lunch during the meeting, please ensure that all wrappers and bottles are placed in the bin.
- We do try to send out email notification of changes but check the notice board each week for any last-minute variations, especially if there is a compressed timetable.
- Meetings are important to convey essential notices, cover all the requirements of the DofE training syllabus and plan expeditions. Attendance is compulsory.
- Some sessions are for specific groups – participants will be informed.
- THE DATES OF TRAINING EVENTS AND EXPEDITIONS ARE FIXED AND CANNOT BE CHANGED OR ADJUSTED.
- For any questions relating to the DofE Award or the training programme contact:  
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