

NONSUCH HIGH SCHOOL Dofe EXPEDITION DATES 2024-25

Bronze DofE expedition commitments for 2025	
Saturday 8th February	Training Day covering first aid, map skills, equipment, food and cooking and tents. In school (9:30-16:30)
Monday 10th February - Not compulsory	Parents Briefing - Further information and Q&A in preparation for expeditions. Online via Teams. (18:00-19:00)
Friday 18th - Saturday 19th April	Training Expedition. 2-day expedition. Surrey Hills.
Thursday 3rd July	Route planning and Kit Drop for qualifying expedition (15:30-17:30)
Saturday 5th - Sunday 6th July	Qualifying Expedition. 2-day expedition. Surrey Hills.

Silver DofE expedition commitments for 2025		
Saturday 8th February	Training and practice expedition route planning. In school. (9:30-16:30)	
Thursday 3rd July	Kit drop for practice expedition (15:30-15:45)	
Saturday 5th - Monday 7th July	Practice Expedition. 3-day expedition. New Forest.	
Thursday 11th September	Route planning and Kit Drop for qualifying (15:30-17:30)	
Saturday 13th - Monday 15th September	Qualifying Expedition. 3-day expedition. South Downs.	

Gold DofE expedition commitments for 2025	
	Training Day and practice expedition route planning. In school. (9:30-15:30)
Saturday 8th February	Training covers an expedition overview, First Aid, expedition route planning, Gold level Kit and Food and setting expedition teams.
Tuesday 8th July	Online briefing for practice expedition (15:30-16:15)
Thursday 24th - Wednesday 30th July	7 day combined Practice and Qualifying Expedition. Jurassic Coast. The first 3 days involve training and a 2 day practice expedition. This is followed immediately by a 4 day qualifying expedition.