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Dear parents and carers,

### **Duke of Edinburgh Award**

The Duke of Edinburgh's (DofE) Award Scheme is the world's leading achievement award for young people, and is highly regarded by Universities, Colleges and Employers. It encourages young people to develop independence, commitment, leadership and teamwork through being involved in a personalised programme of activities.

We will offer support & guidance and facilitate opportunities in school through our extensive extra-curricular programme, and by supporting links for volunteering in the community or even the upcoming commonwealth games.

On Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> June, we will be hosting a parents' information evening at school. This will start at 5.00pm. I look forward to meeting you and answering any questions. I hope we get as many young people as possible signed up to this incredible opportunity for personal development.

Following current government guidance, we request you socially distance and wear a face covering while in the academy.

Should you have any queries regarding participation in the event, please contact me via shenley.enquiry@e-act.org.uk.

Kind regards,

### **D Thacker-Smith**

Mr D Thacker-Smith  
Assistant Headteacher

