



Silver Trial Expedition arrangements

Friday 26th April 5.30pm – Sunday 28th April 5.00pm (approximately)

Please arrive at West Kirby Grammar school for 5.30. Buses leave school at 6pm prompt. Please eat your evening meal before arriving at school. A head torch is essential as we will be setting tents at dusk on the Friday evening at Llyn Rhys Campsite, Llandegla. Staff will be camped on site and any concerns should be directed to them.

Saturday – Prepare breakfast, disband camp and head out on pre-planned route. Teams are allowed to leave camp between 7.30am - 8.30am. Arrival at Wern Fawr Camp approximately 4pm. Set camp and cook evening meal.

Sunday – Prepare breakfast, disband camp and head out on pre-planned route 7.30 – 8.30am. Arrive at Afon Wen visitors centre and await bus for return to school. Bus should arrive approximately 4 – 5pm at West Kirby Grammar School for collection and the end of the expedition.

Please pay attention to the mobile phone policy below. If you choose to bring your phone this is at your own risk.

In the event of an emergency please call the mobile number on the bottom of your map and press the button on your tracker. Please DO NOT CALL HOME.

Lastly, the team and I hope you have a successful and fun expedition!

Graham Seed
Approved Expeditions



Code of Conduct for participants on Approved Expeditions DofE Expeditions

This code of conduct is to promote the safety and enjoyment of everyone on expeditions.

We ask that you:

1. Carry out all instructions given by all staff, in particular relating to your own health and safety and that of other team members.
2. Comply with the Countryside Code.
3. Work co-operatively as a team, staying together and helping each other.
4. Once you have arrived on a campsite you must not leave the campsite until you set off the next morning.
5. Respect the privacy of other team members by not entering tents belonging to other team members without invitation.
6. Respect other campsite users and the wider public by behaving sensibly, remaining in your tent from the agreed time, and keeping noise levels to a minimum (especially if you are up early).
7. Use of mobile phones is allowed in line with our mobile phone policy (see below).

Our first priority is the safety and well-being of our participants. Due to the nature of the Duke of Edinburgh programme breaches of this Code of Conduct will be taken seriously. Students who fall short of these expectations may be removed from the programme and parents may be contacted to collect participants at any point.

Mobile phone policy.

Mobile phones can be carried for emergency use and data collection in pursuit of your aim.

Please do not use your mobile phone for anything other than:

- 1) Contacting your expedition supervisor.
- 2) Calling the emergency services if you have a medical emergency.
- 3) Only when instructed by your Supervisor call or text home to give an update on the expected finish time.

The Assessor and Supervisor **may** also agree to mobiles being used for specific purposes such as taking photographs or videos as part of your aim. In this case the phone should be in airplane mode to conserve battery power.

PLEASE MAKE YOUR PARENTS AWARE OF THIS POLICY SO THAT THEY KNOW THEY WON'T BE ABLE TO CONTACT YOU VIA YOUR MOBILE PHONE