

***Welcome back!***

You've already done bronze (very well done!), you know how rewarding and what a great experience DofE can be! Now you can do it all again at the next level: even more challenging with walking longer lengths, carrying more mass and receiving less guidance. This enables you to further develop all of your skills and prove to yourself you can do it alone!

***What's involved?***

DofE Silver consists of the expedition (now 3 days, 2 nights), and another three other (self-organized) parts: Volunteering, Physical and Skills. For these three, you will need to complete volunteering and another section for at least six months, with the remaining section at least three months (1hr+ per week).

**Volunteering:** Choose a cause you're passionate about and give your time to make a difference. Volunteering is rewarding and can provide a valuable experience in working (Doubling up as work experience!).

**Physical:** Try something new or continue with an activity you already enjoy. You can participate individually or join a team, with so many different options to choose from! However you prefer to get your body moving.

**Skills:** Discover a new talent or develop existing skills. Coding, cookery, or photography, (once again, the world's your oyster) boosting confidence and provides a sense of achievement.

**Expedition:** A memorable adventure creating new friends. Plan your aim, a location, and train. With a few practices, leading to the real thing, where you spend two days and one night away, traveling by foot, navigating and carrying everything you need.

***The Christian way - offering a spiritual and reflective side***

The Diocese of Chichester offers you a chance to join us on completing silver DofE.

These will be smaller groups with more support and less cost than most other groups offering DofE.

Furthermore, there are many opportunities where we reflect and worship God in the wilderness, bringing a very welcome sense of peace and gratefulness after a challenging day.

We also take time to do teambuilding activities, and play fun games. There is undoubtedly many amazing memories to be made!

***Smaller details***

Each participant will need to pay a £95 fee to cover costs such as registration and camping fees.

Also, you will need to provide your equipment (this is the same as at bronze, however, you will need more food and clothes).