

Expedition Assessor – Volunteer Role Descriptor

Commitment Required:

- Expedition Weekends (1-2 Weekends a Year)

Purpose:

- You will assess expeditions of groups seeking to complete Duke of Edinburgh's Awards (DofE).

Duties may include:

- To provide supportive, encouraging and inspirational feedback to the group/s of participants in the DofE scheme when they are out on expedition.
- To carry out quality assurance assessment in both written and verbal form for specific expeditions, to check the 20 DofE conditions, good practice and competence, is being achieved by participants.
- Ensure written reports are submitted via DofE for each assessed participant.
- To commit to the CPD modular DofE training framework.
- To ensure DofE standards are adhered to.

Abilities, Skills and Qualifications:

- To be familiar with the aims, requirements of the 20 DofE conditions, having a sound knowledge of the Handbook of DofE Leaders & Expedition Guide, and additional expedition knowledge.
- Good listening skills, with ability and experience to communicate well with adults and young people, building positive relations.
- Ability to organise and plan effectively, including monitoring own tasks and time.

Essential Training:

- Volunteer Induction
- Child Protection
- Data Protection
- DofE EAAS Assessor module

Desirable:

- First Aid
- Lowland Leader Award
- Hill & Moorland Leader
- Navigation & Hill Skills
- Summer Mountain Leader
- Low Hills Qualification

The purpose of this document is to indicate the general tasks involved and not to form an exhaustive list of detailed activities. The above tasks will develop in line with the volunteering role through induction, training and experience.

Pre volunteering checks that are required prior to commencing in this volunteer role include an Interview, References and a PVG Scheme membership.

Please refer to the Volunteer Handbook for full requirements.

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