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Dear Pupils

DofE pre-expedition kit check

It is a requirement of your Duke of Edinburgh's Award expedition that a pre-expedition kit check is carried out by your assessor. These kit checks will take place in the School Library at 1pm on the dates detailed below:

- 3 July – Erin Neesam group
- 4 July – Alice Butterfield group
- 5 July – Sam Woolfall group

You are required to bring your fully packed kit bag, containing everything you need for your expedition **INCLUDING YOUR WALKING BOOTS** but **NO FOOD**.

You can store your bags in the Library during the day of your group's check.

May I also remind you that one of the requirements of the Award qualifying expedition is that pupils need to plan, train for and complete an unaccompanied self-reliant expedition. This involves you organising transport to get to your expedition start point at the appropriate time. This usually means parents dropping groups off and picking them up again when the expedition is complete. I trust that you have all been able to make the required arrangements.

If you have any questions about any of the above, please come and see me.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Williamson