

# Bronze DofE

Parent Information Evening

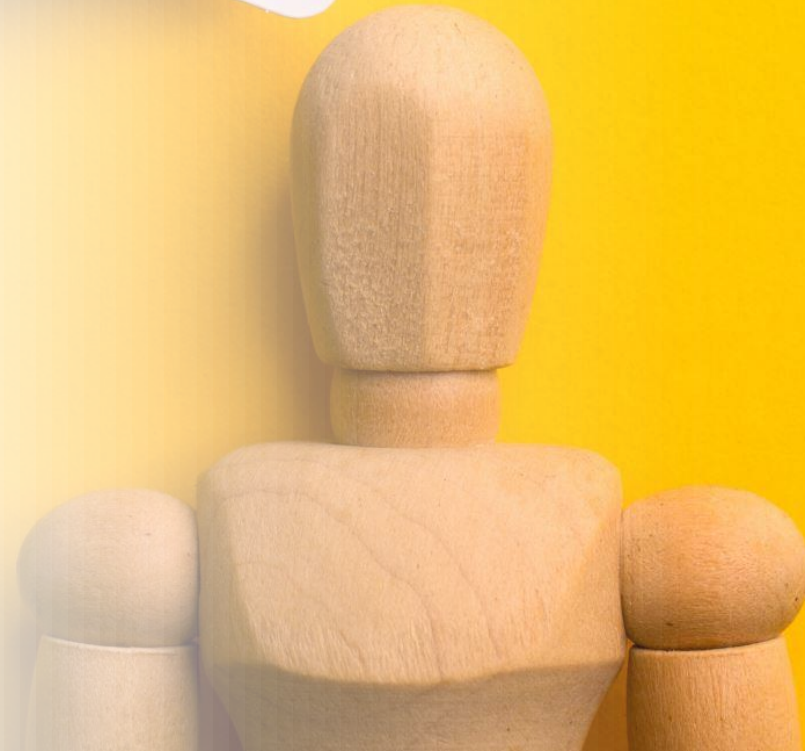


# Agenda

1. Mr Keeling – Head of Co-Curricular
2. Kelly Jones – DofE Operations Officer
3. Mr Graham – DofE Manager
  - Timescales
  - Sections
  - eDofE
  - Kit
4. Mrs Moore – Award Verifier = Assessor Reports
5. Mr Garcia – Website and Events
  - Expedition Training
  - Dates for the Diary

Mr. Keeling  
Head of Co-  
Curricular

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Miss Kelly Jones  
DofE Operations  
Officer

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# Award starts 2022-23

## Awards started by LO, centre & award level

LO & centre	Bronze	Silver	Gold	Total
⊕ ACS Egham International School	32	9	4	45
⊕ Chertsey High School	74	17		91
⊕ Fullbrook School	102	30		132
⊕ Salesian School	187	77	15	279
⊕ Sir William Perkins's School	87	34	7	128
⊕ St George's College	110	61	19	190
⊕ Strode's College		8		8
⊕ Surrey County Council	28	1	2	31
⊕ TASIS England	8	19		27
⊕ The Magna Carta School	3	24		27
⊕ The Phoenix Project	96	61	14	171
<b>Total</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>1,129</b>

Salesians

UK

### Awards started

323,676

Young people

115.4

% of target

2,054

Variance vs last yr

0.6

% variance vs last yr

### Bronze

228,251

Young people

29.9

% of UK 14 yr olds

-4,517

Variance vs last yr

-1.9

% variance vs last yr

### Silver

70,942

Young people

9.2

% of UK 15 yr olds

8,211

Variance vs last yr

13.1

% variance vs last yr

### Gold

24,483

Young people

1.0

% of UK 16-18 yr olds

-1,640

Variance vs last yr

-6.3

% variance vs last yr

# Awards achieved 2022-present

Achievement: awards	Bronze	Silver	Gold
195 This YTD	133 This YTD	57 This YTD	5 This YTD
104 Last YTD	70 Last YTD	25 Last YTD	9 Last YTD
197 Last year	133 Last year	54 Last year	10 Last year
61.1 % achievement rate	62.1 % achievement rate	66.7 % achievement rate	50.0 % achievement rate

Salesians

## Awards achieved by LO, centre & award level

LO & centre	Bronze	Silver	Gold	Total
ACS Egham International School	2	8		10
Chertsey High School	24	2		26
Fullbrook School	32	6	3	41
Jubilee High School	1			1
Salesian School	133	56	10	199
Sir William Perkins's School	66	35	12	113
St George's College	111	17	3	131
<b>Total</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>677</b>

UK

Achievement	Bronze	Silver	Gold
22,027 CoAs	14,973 CoAs	4,573 CoAs	2,481 CoAs
144,919 Full awards	109,132 Full awards	27,599 Full awards	8,188 Full awards
37.2 % achievement rate	39.7 % achievement rate	40.1 % achievement rate	17.8 % achievement rate

# Social value of Salesians doing DofE

**Thank you**

to  
The Duke of Edinburgh's Award participants

from  
Salesian School

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who spent  
4147 Hours

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volunteering between  
1 April 2022 and 31 March 2023.

We are immensely proud of the dedication, effort and achievement of young people making an impact in their community.

The social value of these hours is

**£19946**

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RUTH MARVEL, CHIEF EXECUTIVE

June 2023

## Volunteering hours & equivalent financial value

LO & centre	Bronze	Silver	Gold	Total hours	Value
⊕ ACS Egham International School	104	182	52	338	£1,626
⊕ Chertsey High School	598	104		702	£3,377
⊕ Fullbrook School	520	208	156	884	£4,252
⊕ Jubilee High School	39	26		65	£313
⊕ Salesian School	2,145	1,430	572	4,147	£19,947
⊕ Sir William Perkins's School	936	702	728	2,366	£11,380
⊕ St George's College	1,573	520	364	2,457	£11,818
⊕ Strode's College	13	182		195	£938
⊕ TASIS England	182	104	52	338	£1,626
⊕ The Magna Carta School	377	78		455	£2,189
⊕ The Phoenix Project	780	988	364	2,132	£10,255
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,267</b>	<b>4,524</b>	<b>2,288</b>	<b>14,079</b>	<b>£67,720</b>

# Reasons for not completing

- Not logging into eDofE
- Not choosing the correct activities
- Not understanding the time commitment
- Not completing the expedition
- Not obtaining assessors reports at the end of the timescale
- Not being fully supported from start to finish



# Parent and Carer sessions

If you have any further questions after tonight, then Operations Officers like me will be running drop-in sessions over the next few months which you can join

## Parent and Carer guide to starting a DofE Award

A virtual session designed to help you understand how to best support a young person through their DofE journey. The session

- What DofE is
- How to get started
- What to expect
- What to do to achieve an award
- Where to find help
- Q&A

To attend a session please follow this link:

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

you are joining us from a smart phone you will be required to download the Microsoft Teams App and may not be able to access all of the features.



## Dates and times:

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October  
5.30pm – 6.30pm

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> October  
6pm – 7pm

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November  
5pm - 6pm

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November  
4.30pm–5.30pm

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> November  
5.30pm – 6.30pm

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December  
6pm – 7pm

**No need to book!**

Mr Graham  
DofE Manager

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Start your

**BRONZE**

DoFE

Volunteering	Physical	Skills	Expedition
3 months	3 months	3 months	Plan, train for and undertake a 2-day, 1-night expedition

All participants must undertake a further 3 months in **EITHER** the Volunteering, Physical or Skills sections.

## **HINT:**

The one you anticipate to **enjoy** the most – do for **6 months.**



# Top DofE activities

To give you inspiration for your own DofE here's the top five activities chosen in the last year\*

## Volunteering



**11,178**  
Helping children



**9,292**  
Charity shop



**8,745**  
Sports leadership



**3,935**  
The Scout Association



**3,583**  
Helping people in need

## Skills



**18,587**  
Playing an instrument



**16,384**  
Cooking



**3,978**  
Acting, drama & theatre



**3,664**  
Photography



**2,816**  
First aid

## Physical



**11,792**  
Gym work



**11,473**  
Football



**5,289**  
Swimming



**5,158**  
Rugby Football Union



**5,025**  
Netball

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Library open (Miss Mullane) 8-8.45am	Library open (Miss Smith) 8-8.45am	Sinfonia Orchestra, M38 (Miss L Thom) 8:30-9:10	Library open (Miss Mullane) 8-8.45am
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Senior Boys Choir, M39 (Mr N Graham)	Junior Boys Choir, M39 (Mr N Graham)	Full Boys Choir, M39 (Mr N Graham)	Junior Girls Choir, M39 (Mr N Graham)	Junior Girls Choir, M39 (Mr N Graham)
		Senior Girls Choir, M38 (Miss L Thom)		Senior Girls Choir, M38 (Miss L Thom)
Music Theory Club, M39 (Miss L Thom)	FPL Club, 37, Mr L Bounds, Mr J Henderson, Mr T Bevan		Music Technology Club, M39 (Mr B Boon)	Cards and Games Club - Miss G Roberts and Mrs C Sale - room 28
Production Rehearsal 3.30pm to 5.30pm - Centenary Hall Salesian College - Mrs S Garbett	Year 8 Drama Club, Room 23, Miss P Welland (3:10-4:10)	Production Rehearsal 3.30pm to 5.30pm - Room 23 - Mrs S Garbett & Mr S Graham		Orchestra, M39 (Miss L Thom) 3:30-4:15
Year 9/10 Science SiA Project - S1 Mrs C Sale	Bronze DofE Training - Gym - Mr S Graham	Spanish Spelling Bee Club Wednesday Week A Room 14 Casa Bosco <b>YEAR 7 ONLY</b>		Dance, Room 23, Miss K Pears, 3:20-4:10
CAD Club - T6 - Yr 7, 8 & 9 Miss I Turner	Salesian Scholars, M39 (Mr N Graham)	Jazz Band, M39 (Miss L Thom) 3:20-4:15		Lego Club- T7- Yr 7 and 8 Mrs J Stopps 3.10-4.10 (starting 29.09.23)
Years 7, 8, 9 Poetry Club - 41 Mrs Edwards (3:15-4:10)	Year 7 and 8 Science Club - S4 Mr M Harvey, Mrs C Sale, Miss E Walsh, Miss M Martins	Card Making Club, 27, (Miss Britton) 3.15pm - 16.15pm		
Magic: The Gathering Trading Card Game Club - Room 9 3.10pm-4.45pm Mr Griffin	Year 7 Drama Club, GRD Hall, Miss P Murphy (3:20 - 4:20)	Sewing club in L4 with Mrs Adams and Mrs H-D		
Year 9 and 10 Maths Club, Room 6, Mrs Ready	Jigsaw Club - Library (Miss Mullane) 3.15-4.00			
	Salesian Compassion in action Volunteering club, room 30 Mrs H-D and Miss Meredith			
	Year 7 and 8 Maths Club, Room 6, Mrs Phillins			

# Volunteering *categories*



**ECO WARRIORS– MR  
HONEYWOOD**



**SALESIAN COMPASSION IN  
ACTION – MRS HIBBINS DURKIN**



**TUTORING AT MATHS / SCIENCE  
CLUBS**

# All Aboard Club – Surrey

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- Provides hands-on volunteering opportunities for Bronze award students, where they help to run our inclusive play sessions for autistic and ADHD children. The students will help to set up a big play train track and supervise the session, ensuring that the families have an enjoyable and stress-free experience.
- 3-hour sessions run at weekends and during school holidays, providing at least an hour's volunteering per week on average. We run sessions throughout the year, across London and Surrey.





Physical =  
anything that  
elevates the  
heartrate is  
considered  
physical



Team sports



Individual sports



Dance



Fitness



Martial arts

# Skills – *Afterschool Clubs count!*



Creative arts – ***Art Club.***



Performance arts – ***School Musical, Drama Club.***



Science and technology – ***Science Club.***



Music – ***Bands, Choirs etc.***



Board Games – ***Card Collecting Club / Chess Club***



Life skills – ***Cooking club / Sewing club / Debate Club***



Natural world – ***Geography Club.***

## Sign in to eDofE.org

- Use the account details that your Leader sends you.

## Decide what you're going to do

- Use the programme planners in eDofE to decide on your activities before recording them in eDofE.
- Work with your Leader to find Assessors for each section.

## Keep a record of what you do

- Add photos to help show your Leader what you have done.

## Let your Leader know you've done it.

- When a section is complete add your Assessor's reports for your Leader to read

## Celebrate!

- You'll get a badge and certificate
- At Gold you can attend a ceremony at a Royal Palace.

Move on to the next level - or be a volunteer...



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Complete registration information requested by your DoFE Leader at your school/centre

**TIP: Check with your Leader for potential deadlines**

2

Look out for your Welcome to eDofE email which you should receive the day your Leader creates your account on eDofE or your Leader may also give the login details to you.

**TIP: Check your junk folder**

**TIP: The email address is the one you used to register**



3

Log into your eDofE account (Web Browser or App)



**TIP: Keep a note of your login details**

**eDofE | How to use the DoFE App - Bing video**

**Welcome to eDofE**

6

Await DoFE Leader's approval for programme planners.

**TIP: Please check your Leader agrees your activity before you use it for DoFE**



5



Input your programme planners for each section

**How to add a programme planner**

4



Choose your activities and find an Assessor

**Ideas for activities**

**Choosing Assessors**



# Kit

## What we Provide

- Rucksack
- Sleeping mat
- Tents
- Camping stoves
- Cooking pans
- Maps

# Kit you bring

Walking boots  
(broken in)

2 pairs walking  
socks

Coat (waterproof)

Waterproof  
trousers

Fleece top

2 t-shirts

Walking  
trousers/shorts  
(weather  
dependent)

Nightwear

Sunhat

Sleeping bag

Waterproof bag

Food (between  
your team)

Water  
carrier/bottle (at  
least 2 litres on  
your person)

Cutlery/plate/bowl  
etc

Wash kit

Sun cream

Towel

Torch

Watch

Plastic bags for wet  
clothing/rubbish

Compass

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off the  
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**Always show your DofE Card or Digital DofE Card.  
You'll get the best savings and help support young people to do their DofE.**



# Mrs Moore Award Verifier





# Sarah Moore - Verifier

- You need to have a 'qualified' adult as your assessor – Must be connected to your section e.g., Football Coach, Sewing Teacher, Scout Leader, Charity Shop Owner etc.
- Your assessor CANNOT be a family member.
- Ideas for Activities - The Duke of Edinburgh's Award (dofe.org). Please, please check that your chosen activity is correct for the section i.e., all forms of dance are physical not skill.
- Minimum of 1 hour per week (or in special circumstances 2 hours per fortnight) for the whole 3-month duration.
- If you change your activity after your initial choice, make sure this is updated on the section. E.g., if the section states you were going to attend woodwork club but then I receive an assessor's report about sewing club I wonder what is going on. Plus, the initial activity will appear on your certificate so it's not an accurate record.

I am certain you will all be great, and I look forward to reading about the wonderful, varied activities you learn or continue to improve in.

- Assessor Reports
- Online = Easiest and most efficient method.
- Tell your assessor to go to: <https://www.dofe.org/assessor/>
- You need to give your assessor the following information:
  1. eDofE ID number – this can be found in the top left of your screen when signing into eDofE.
  2. Level = Bronze/Silver/Gold.
  3. Category = Skill/Physical/Volunteering.

Your assessor will be asked

What progress have you made towards your goals?

What did you achieve?

What skills did you learn?

How frequently did you participate in this activity?

Any other comments?

**Do not leave your assessor report until the last minute !! Once you finish a section ask your assessor for their report straight away. The sooner the DofE team can pass your sections the quicker I can verify your award and invite you to the Awards Ceremony.**

# Assessor Examples

**DE** ASSESSOR'S REPORT VOLUNTEERING eDofE ID No: Level: Bronze

Description of activity: Volunteering at Cubs

Date started: 11/10/22 Completed: 08/03/23

Goals set by participant: To help Cubs and be a Young Leader

**Assessor's comments:**

Please write as much as possible, talking about training, teamwork (if applicable) and achievements. What you write will celebrate the achievement of the young person and form part of their permanent record of their DoE programme. Please note: the information you have provided in this report will be scanned and stored by the DoE as part of its record of the participant's achievement. The DoE will not share your personal data with third parties.

What progress did they make towards their goals?  
Fantastic progress starting with assistance and leading to being a leader

What did they achieve, what skills did they learn?  
Giving instructions, keep Cubs safe

How frequently did they take part in this activity?  
Once a week

Any other comments?  
Brilliant young member of the group

Signature: [Signature] Date: 08/03/23

Assessor's first name: Tim Last name: Sevi

Assessor's position/qualification: Leader

Assessor's phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

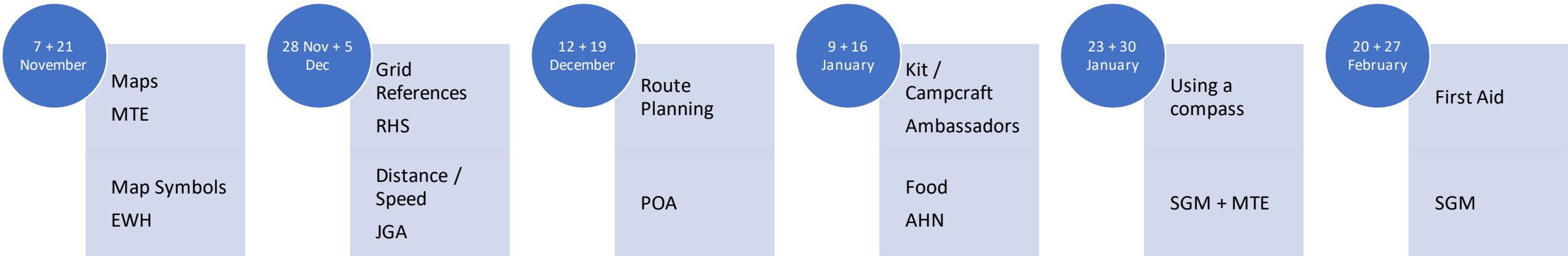
Assessor's email: \_\_\_\_\_

- Start date: 08/11/2022 End date: 08/02/2023
- Additional comments: P has shown his initiative in arranging to attend and assist at the Beaver meetings and commitment in attending, and continuing to attend, our sessions. It has been a pleasure having P with us and we would love for him to continue with us.
- Progress made: P has helped to run a Beaver Scout section as a Young Leader since November 2022. He helps to run games for the children aged 6-8 years and helps the children interact and socialise with each other.
- Achievements: Along with another Young Leader, P organised and ran an activity evening for the children, deciding on games to be played and jointly directing and assisting the children in playing them. P used his organisation and communication skills to get the evening running.
- Frequency: The sessions run weekly, every Monday evening and P attended the majority of the sessions.
- Assessor Name: KW Job Title: Senior HR Business Partner

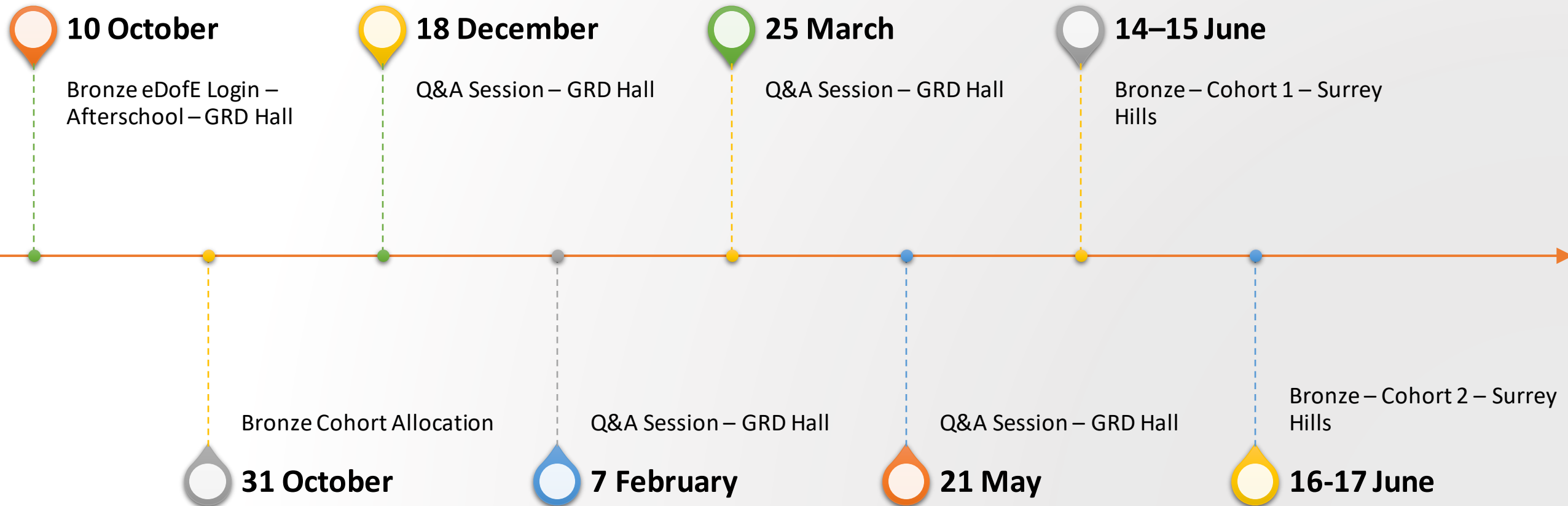
Mr Garcia  
Website and Events



# Training Sessions



# Key Dates



# DofE Website

Found at: <https://salesian.surrey.sch.uk/dofe/>

- Key Dates
- Equipment List
- eDofE Ideas
- Parent Correspondence
- Common Mistakes



# Instagram = Salesiandofe

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- All the latest info
- Next training session etc...

