



8th January 2024

Dear Gold Students and Parents/Carers,

We are running a night walk practice on **Friday 8th March** to practise low visibility navigation and as a team building exercise for our 9 participants. Please meet in the turning circle at 6.30 pm. Make sure you have eaten a proper meal before arrival. Mr Desborough and Miss Darby will take you on a local night walk to return to school at 12 midnight. We hope to stop for a hot drink/biscuit.

Kit required:

- Walking boots
- Warm clothing
- Waterproofs for top and bottom
- Water
- Snacks
- Head torch & spare batteries
- Warm hat/gloves
- Phone to contact parents on return/emergency. Not for use otherwise.

This will go ahead unless a severe weather warning is issued.

Please note confirmed expedition dates are:

Practice 8 April-12 April Qualifier 29 Aug-2 Sept

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We will also have a Gold virtual information evening on 28 Feb from 6-7pm. More details to follow.

Please confirm your place on the night walk but submitting the Operoo permission below, no later than 31st January 2024.

If you have any questions, please get in touch.

Mrs L Wallis

DofE Coordinator