



## Introduction to the DofE course

### Course aim:

To provide the information needed to be a DofE Leader and run DofE programmes within a centre.

### Who should do this course?

The Introduction to the DofE (IttDofE) training course acts as a general introduction to the DofE and to DofE delivery roles. It puts the learning from the e-induction e-learning module into context in a practical way.

The course is suitable for new and existing DofE Leaders and helpers, Award Verifiers and other DofE role holders who want to improve their DofE knowledge.

### Course delivery

The e-induction e-learning module must be completed by all delegates before attending the course. Delegates must have supplied the Letter of Completion prior to attending the training. All e-learning modules are available from [DofEtraining.org](http://DofEtraining.org).

IttDofE course delegates will be provided with the *Handbook for DofE Leaders*, which is included in the cost of the course.

### The IttDofE course covers

- The mission and guiding principles of The Duke of Edinburgh's Award.
- Understanding DofE levels, sections, timescales and the development of DofE programmes.
- The DofE structure and how it supports Leaders.
- The key roles of DofE Leaders.
- How to ensure that the programme is based around the needs of young people.
- Information on the range of resources available to help Leaders.
- Good practice in the delivery of DofE programmes.

### Benefits

- Increases your confidence in how to deliver quality DofE programmes to young people
- Fun and interactive
- Increased your knowledge of the DofE
- Offers the opportunity to network with other adults involved in DofE delivery
- Nationally recognised certificate.

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*"My introduction course was great fun and I left feeling inspired and confident".*

**Sarah Walker**, Newcastle.

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### Other DofE training

The IttDofE course acts as a general introduction to the DofE. After completing the IttDofE, a range of additional DofE Modular Training Framework (MTF) courses are available to delegates to support them with their DofE involvement.

### Course information

Courses are run throughout the year by DofE Regional/Country Offices.

To find out about upcoming dates and prices in your area visit: [DofE.org/finder](http://DofE.org/finder).

For more information on DofE training and other courses visit: [DofE.org/training](http://DofE.org/training).

The Introduction to the DofE course webpage is [DofE.org/ittdofe](http://DofE.org/ittdofe).