

Do It 4 Youth - FAQs

What is Do It 4 Youth?

Do It 4 Youth is a 4-week sponsored challenge. It's split into four DofE-inspired parts physical, technical, willpower, community - and runs right across the summer. All you have to do is pick your start date, choose your 4 challenges and get going!

What do I have to do?

1. Choose your Get Up, Skill Up, Free Up and Hand Up challenges

2. Sign up as an individual or a team

 Spread the word and start fundraising. Share your challenge far and wide and ask people to support you through sponsorship to raise at least £100
Earn your reward: Complete your challenges and raise £100 to get your exclusive limited edition Do It 4 Youth pin

Is there a registration fee?

There is no cost to register for Do It 4 Youth but you can make an optional donation to kickstart your fundraising at the end of your registration.

Can I do this in a team with family and friends?

Yes! In step two of the registration, you can set up a new team or join an existing one. You can also invite people to join your team or join a team at a later date. We encourage as many people to get involved as possible and you can join a team with your friends and family, and track your combined total. Take care to follow Government guidance on social distancing measures and follow the local and national guidance for your area.

Do I have to do all 4 challenges?

It's completely up to you. You'll be able to select what you'd like to do out of Get Up, Skill Up, Free Up and Hand Up during registration.

I'm currently doing my Gold/Silver/Bronze DofE, can Do It 4 Youth count towards my Award?

Yes, you'll need to get approval from your DofE Leader but the four weeks of Do It 4 Youth can count towards your Award in the relevant sections.

Can I get a t-shirt?

Yes, if you raise £25 you'll get a free Do It 4 Youth t-shirt. You'll receive an email with instructions and promo code to redeem. Alternatively, you can buy t-shirts directly from the online shop.

How much should I raise?

We're asking everyone to raise at least £100 - and if you do, you'll receive a limited edition Do It 4 Youth pin. Every pound you raise will go towards helping young people from the toughest backgrounds across the UK to build life-long belief in themselves through DofE. Raise £100 and you'll earn a special limited edition Do It 4 Youth pin.

Can I Gift Aid my donation?

The Duke of Edinburgh's Award (DofE) is a registered charity in the United Kingdom. This means that donations will always be used for the purpose for which they are intended and donors can add Gift Aid to their donation if they are a UK tax payer. Your donation may not be tax deductible if you live outside of the UK. Please check your local regulations for more information.

Do I need a JustGiving or Virgin Money page?

No, your fundraising page is set up on our website as part of your registration. The website is created by Funraisin which is a donation platform just like JustGiving and Virgin Money Giving. When you register to take part in Do It 4 Youth, you will set up a profile and fundraising page and people can donate to this in the same way they donate to a JustGiving or Virgin Money Giving page.

The platform is entirely secure; you will receive an email notification when you receive a donation and your donor will also receive receipt of their donation made to you.

More questions? Get in touch - doit4youth@DofE.org

