

Award guidelines.

- ♦ *Targets should be agreed with each participant based upon the age, ability and needs of the individual. Success should be quite easily achievable, especially in the early stages.*
- ♦ *A checkpoint should normally only be used once.*
- ♦ *Participation can be as individuals, pairs or in small groups.*
- ♦ *Participants do not have to be timed.*
- ♦ *It is up to the teacher/leader to decide on the maximum number of checkpoints that can be gained on any one occasion. This should be made clear when setting targets. The suggested maximums on any one occasion are Tree Award 16; Copse Award 14; Wood Award 12 and Forest Award 10.*
- ♦ *For participants achieving 10 checkpoints the "Acorn" certificate can be awarded. Checkpoints gained for the Acorn Certificate can count towards the Tree Award*
- ♦ *Checkpoints located for one award can count towards the next. An alternative is to start again from scratch.*
- ♦ *It would be expected that the skills used and possibly the distances covered would increase as a participant progresses.*
- ♦ *Progress on the scheme is to be recorded in the explorer's personal logbook and monitored by a responsible person (Teacher/Leader/Coach/Parent)*

The "eXplorer challenge" Award Scheme is supported by:



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This logbook may be photocopied

eXplorer challenge

A flexible incentive scheme designed to encourage people, by using maps, to venture into the outdoor world.

Explorer's Personal Logbook

Name:

Address:

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"eXplorer challenge"

Tree Award - 25 checkpoints

Date	Event/Location	Points Found	Running Total	Initials of Leader

Date Tree Award presented

Copse Award - 50 checkpoints

Total points from Tree Award				
Date	Event/Location	Points Found	Running Total	Initials of Leader

Date Cope Award presented

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Wood Award - 75 checkpoints

Total points from Copse Award				
Date	Event/Location	Points Found	Running Total	Initials of Leader

Date Wood Award presented

Forest Award - 100 checkpoints

Total points from Wood Award				
Date	Event/Location	Points Found	Running Total	Initials of Leader

Date Forest Award presented