



Leeson House Field Studies Centre Conservation and Ecology~DofE Gold Residential

Monday 22nd to Friday 26th August 2022

**Do you enjoy being outdoors and have an interest in
conserving the environment?**

Then why not join us for your DofE Gold Residential at Leeson House, situated near Swanage on the awesome Jurassic Coast World Heritage Site.



Leeson House Field Studies Centre is a secluded and comfortable manor house situated close to the Jurassic Coast in Dorset. Leeson House is the premier Field Studies base in Dorset and is close to many classic geography, geology and biology fieldwork sites and set within 7 acres of inspiring and diverse grounds.

The week will include activities such as conservation work; bird ringing, small mammal recording and moth trapping. One morning will be spent rock pooling and looking at marine ecology and fossils at Kimmeridge bay. Another day finding out about heathland and sand dune ecology followed by kayaking over the sea grass meadows towards Old Harry Rocks. There will also be a night under the stars and a beach BBQ to round off the Gold Residential in style.

The course will be supported by staff from Dorset Council Outdoor Education Service and DofE Volunteers.

Dates: Monday 22nd — Friday 26th August 2022 Cost: £330

Pick-up from Wareham Station available, but please contact Leeson House to arrange.

Places are limited so book early to avoid disappointment.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT

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