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Personal Summary:

I am a 17 year old student studying at Reigate College. I attended The Beacon School for 5 years between 2015 and 2020. I am studying Computer Science, Maths, Further Maths and Physics for my A-Levels. I am committed to working hard in my subjects, and this extends into any other activities I partake in. I aim to go into the Computing sector when I am older as I believe it is my overall strongest subject.

Main Achievements:

* I have been involved with Scouting for 10 years
* I achieved my Duke of Edinburgh Bronze award in mid 2018
* I became a Senior Prefect at The Beacon School in mid 2019
* I achieved a bronze certificate in the Senior Mathematical Challenge 2020
* I achieved my Duke of Edinburgh Silver award in early 2020
* I have completed training to be a Young Leader in Scouting
* I have experience as a maths tutor

Skills:

* Knowledge of computer systems and software due to the Computer Science A Level Course and my own interest
* Leadership and communication skills due to experience being a Young Leader at a Beaver group
* Teamwork due to my experience working in a group with others during Duke of Edinburgh
* Perseverance due to completing four Duke of Edinburgh expeditions in total
* Experience teaching due to tutoring maths

Education:

My GCSE results are as follows:

English Language: 8

English Literature: 8

Mathematics: 9

Further Mathematics: 8

Biology: 9

Chemistry: 8

Physics: 8

Computing: 8

French: 8

Geography: 8

History: 8

Interests:

I am very involved in Scouting and have been a part of the organisation since I joined Beavers at the age of 6. I stayed in Scouting for 10 years in total until I left my Explorer Group earlier this year.

I was a volunteer at a Beaver group for just over a year and since January 2019 I have been a Young Leader there and have completed the Young Leader training course in this time. A Young Leader takes responsibility for helping to plan and deliver meetings with the group leaders. The modules instruct you on different parts of being a leader, such as how to plan meetings and first aid, meaning that when you have completed them all you have all the necessary skills to organise meetings, deliver them safely, make them accessible, and take feedback to improve next time around.

I enjoyed completing the Duke Of Edinburgh Award at both Bronze and Silver level. This involved completing a volunteering activity, physical activity and a skill for a set amount of months each and then completing a practice expedition and a qualifying expedition. At Bronze level I did 6 months volunteering at the Beaver Group, 3 months doing physical work at the gym and 3 months doing cooking as a skill. Both expeditions were 2 days and 1 night and were located in Surrey. For my Silver I did 6 months volunteering at an after school club, 3 months doing physical work at the gym and 3 months taking Young Leaders modules as a skill. Both expeditions were 3 days and 2 nights and took place in the Peak District.

I am very interested in computers and I find it interesting to learn about them. I have recently built a PC out of the different components, and I have experience working with computers and I consider myself to be very computer literate.

References available on request.