



INTRODUCING  
**WYLD**



Wycliffe Leadership and Discovery

**Year 9**



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# WYLD... A bold adventure

for Year 9 pupils at  
Wycliffe College

At the start of Year 9 our pupils embark on an exciting new journey: **WYLD (Wycliffe Leadership and Discovery)**, a dynamic course designed to unlock leadership potential, build confidence and prepare pupils for life beyond the classroom.

## What is WYLD?

WYLD is more than just a course, it is a launchpad for personal growth. Through hands-on experiences and expert guidance, pupils develop essential skills in:

TEAMWORK  
AND LEADERSHIP  
SKILLS

SELF-DISCIPLINE  
AND  
RESPONSIBILITY

CONFIDENCE

COMMUNICATION  
SKILLS

FIRST AID

MAP  
READING

CAMPCRAFT  
AND AIR RIFLE  
TRAINING



Whether pupils choose to pursue the **Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award (DoE)** or join the **Combined Cadet Force (CCF)**, WYLD will give them the tools and confidence to thrive. Even those who do not opt into the DoE or CCF scheduled activities will leave the programme with a powerful set of 'soft skills' that will serve them well throughout their time at Wycliffe and beyond.

To build on the **WYLD** programme and complete their **DoE**, pupils will need to still complete the four DoE sections (volunteering, skill, sport and expedition) as part of the DoE activity slot, or in their own time. We also encourage our Year 9 pupils to take part in **CCF** on a Wednesday evening for a deeper exploration of the skills gained in **WYLD**.



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**WYLD** is not just a course, it is a gateway to self-discovery, growth and personal development.

## Why WYLD?

By embedding this programme into the curriculum, we are making it easy for pupils to complete their Bronze DoE in Year 9 and progress to Silver in Years 10 and 11. With access to experienced staff and dedicated time in the school week, **WYLD** is a game-changer for personal development.

Year 9 pupils are the pioneers of **WYLD**, setting the standard for future Year 9s at Wycliffe and discovering what it means to lead, grow and explore.



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