



The John of Gaunt School

A Community Academy

Character Education

Value Badges Log Book



Our School Values

Excellence

We strive for greatness in everything we set our minds to. We endeavour to do our very best and excel in all aspects of school life.

Respect

We treat others in our diverse inclusive community as we wish to be treated. We acknowledge individual differences yet join together in an uncompromising respect for each other.

Responsibility

We understand that we own our own actions. We work hard to understand our emotions and manage them effectively whilst ensuring we put any mistakes right.

Resilience

When we encounter challenges we persevere and bounce back. We see setbacks as stepping stones to success and always give 100%.

Ambition

Our ambition has no ceiling, we will push ourselves to be the best version of our self and challenge ourselves to ensure success

Excellence Everyday

Excellence Award Pin Badge

Excellence
Bronze Award

- 75 Excellence Class Charts Points
- Bronze awards or above in 3 other Values

Excellence
Silver Award

- 125 Excellence Class Charts Points
- Silver awards or above in 3 other values

Excellence
Gold Award

- 175 Excellence Class Charts Points
- Gold awards in 3 other values



Values Award Pin Badges

Respect Award

- Two Gold awards from either:
 - People
 - Culture
 - Environment

Resilience Award

- Two Gold awards from either:
 - Commitment; Attendance; Sport; Class Charts
 - Adventurer; Reading

Ambition Award

- Two Gold awards from either:
 - Academia
 - Careers

Responsibility Award

- Two Gold awards from either:
 - Class Charts
 - Oracy
 - Leadership



*Our mission is to ensure
that all our students,
regardless of their
circumstances, discover
their personal best and
thrive academically, socially
and individually.*



Excellence Badge

To Achieve your Excellence Badge you need to have earned at least three other value badges and have the been awarded the following ClassCharts points:

ClassCharts	Description
Bronze	75 Excellence ClassCharts Points
Silver	125 Excellence ClassCharts Points
Gold	175 Excellence ClassCharts Points

For example:

To gain a Bronze Excellence Badge you will need to have 75 Excellence ClassCharts points plus 3 badges from either, Respect, Resilience, Responsibility or Ambition.

Respect is the corner stone to all of our interactions in school and an expectation of our behaviour. To demonstrate respect and earn your badge, we would like you to undertake activities that demonstrate your respect for people, culture and the environment.

Respect Badge

Culture	Description
Bronze – complete one of the following	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visit 2 different of the following: <i>gallery, theatre, museum, concert, ballet, opera, art cinema or similar</i> Take part in 4 different of the following activities: <i>School performance, choir, dance, recital, art, sculpture or photography exhibition, play, orchestra, band or similar</i>
Silver – complete one of the following	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visit 4 different of the following: <i>gallery, theatre, museum, concert, ballet, opera, art cinema or similar</i> Take part in 4 different of the following activities: <i>School performance, choir, dance, recital, art, sculpture or photography exhibition, play, orchestra, band or similar</i>
Gold – complete one of the following	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visit 8 different of the following: <i>gallery, theatre, museum, concert, ballet, opera, art cinema or similar.</i> Take part in 8 different of the following activities: <i>School performance, choir, dance, recital, art, sculpture or photography exhibition, play, orchestra, band or similar</i>
People	Description
Bronze – complete one of the following	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Volunteer for 10 hours Take part in an event or club that celebrates diversity (race, LGBT+, religion)
Silver – complete one of the following	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Volunteer for 20 hours Take part in 2 events or club that celebrates diversity (race, LGBT+, religion)
Gold – complete one of the following	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Raise £100 or more for charity Organise an event or club that celebrates diversity (race, LGBT+, religion)

- Complete one task at bronze level or above to work towards your Excellence Pin Badge
- Complete one task at silver level or above to work towards you Character Award Pin Badge.
- Complete two or more tasks at the gold level to be awarded your Respect Pin Badge.

Respect Badge (page 2)

Environment	Description
Bronze	Take part in an event which improves your local or school environment
Silver	Organise an event which improves your local environment
Gold	Contribute to a national, event or scheme which improves your local environment

- Complete one task at bronze level or above to work towards your Excellence Pin Badge
- Complete one task at silver level or above to work towards you Character Award Pin Badge.
- Complete two or more tasks at the gold level to be awarded your Respect Pin Badge.

Responsibility Badge

ClassCharts	Description
Bronze	75 Responsibility ClassCharts Points
Silver	125 Responsibility ClassCharts Points
Gold	175 Responsibility ClassCharts Points

Oracy	Description
Bronze	Speak publicly at an event or forum within school.
Silver	Speak publicly at an event or forum which includes an external audience
Gold	Take part in a competitive debating event

Leadership	Description
Bronze	Be on the student council or support with the leadership of a club (in or out of school).
Silver	Have role as an officer in the school council or have lead 3 or more sessions in a club.
Gold	Complete a leadership award (such as Sports Leaders) Or, have impacted change or improvement as a leader. Provide evidence of what you have achieved.

- Complete one task at bronze level or above to work towards your Excellence Pin Badge
- Complete one task at silver level or above to work towards you Character Award Pin Badge.
- Complete two or more tasks at the gold level to be awarded your Responsibility Pin Badge.
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Resilience Badge

ClassCharts	Description
Bronze	75 Resilience ClassCharts Points
Silver	125 Resilience ClassCharts Points
Gold	175 Resilience ClassCharts Points

Adventurer	Description
Bronze	Complete a residential school trip or your Bronze DofE expedition
Silver	Complete a residential school trip abroad or your practice Dartmoor Ten Tors expedition or silver DofE expedition
Gold	Complete the Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award or The Dartmoor Ten Tors Challenge

Reading	Description
Bronze	Read 8 books from the JOG Reading Superstars list
Silver	Read 16 books from the JOG Reading Superstars list
Gold	Read 20 books from the JOG Reading Superstars list

- Complete one task at bronze level or above to work towards your Excellence Pin Badge
- Complete one task at silver level or above to work towards you Character Award Pin Badge.
- Complete two or more tasks at the gold level to be awarded your Resilience Pin Badge.

Resilience Badge (page 2)

Commitment	Description
Bronze	100% attendance (unless absent from school) at 1 extracurricular club for one academic year
Silver	100% attendance (unless absent from school) at 2 extracurricular clubs for one academic year
Gold	100% attendance (unless absent from school) at 3 extracurricular clubs for one academic year
Attendance	Description
Bronze	Have 96% attendance or above for at least three terms
Silver	Have a 98% attendance or above by the end of term 4
Gold	Have 100% attendance by the end of term 5

Sport	Description
Bronze	Represent the school or yourself at a competitive sport
Silver	Represent the school or yourself at regional level at a competitive sport
Gold	Represent the school or yourself at national level at a competitive sport

- Complete one task at bronze level or above to work towards your Excellence Pin Badge
- Complete one task at silver level or above to work towards you Character Award Pin Badge.
- Complete two or more tasks at the gold level to be awarded your Resilience Pin Badge.

Ambition Badge

Academia	Description
Bronze – complete	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 50 Class Charts Points
one of the following	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend an extracurricular club from an Ebacc subject (English, Maths, Science, Humanities, Spanish) for one term
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete 6 weeks or 6 course of an online platform: Duolingo, Code Academy, Curious.com; Kahn Academy or similar OR Attend 3 external academic events: Ivy League Lectures, Course Webinars
Silver – complete	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend an Open Event or lecture at a university 80 Class Charts Points
one of the following	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend an extracurricular club from an Ebacc subject (English, Maths, Science, Humanities, Spanish) for three terms
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete 12 weeks or 12 courses of an online platform: Duolingo, Code Academy, Curious.com; Kahn Academy
Gold – complete	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Successfully secure an offer at a sixth form / college to complete A Levels or another Level 3 Course 150 Class Charts Points
one of the following	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend an extracurricular club from an Ebacc subject (English, Maths, Science, Humanities, Spanish) for an entire academic year
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete 20 weeks or courses of an online course: Duolingo, Code Academy, Curious.com; Kahn Academy

Careers	Description
Bronze	Take part in a one to one interview with a careers advisor
Silver	Take part in an interview with an employer
Gold	Secure professional work experience (for one week)

- Complete one task at bronze level or above to work towards your Excellence Pin Badge
- Complete one task at silver level or above to work towards you Character Award Pin Badge.
- Complete two or more tasks at the gold level to be awarded your Ambition Pin Badge.

Resources

Academia Badge Online Courses

<https://www.khanacademy.org>

<https://www.duolingo.com>

<https://curious.com>

<https://www.codecademy.com>

<https://www.classcentral.com/collection/ivy-league-moocs>

[Careers Officer:](#)

Mrs Lynch: alynch@jogschool.org

Record of achievement

To achieve badges that are not linked to Class-Charts or attendance data, you will need to complete the record of achievement.

Each Award will require you to collect evidence and respond to the questions. This record then needs to be countersigned by a member of staff, external club leader or parent (as appropriate)



Respect Badge: Volunteering (Bronze and Silver Award)

Date range	Activity + Summary of your work and your response to the experience.	Signature (Parent/carer or staff and employer)

Respect Badge: Volunteering Gold Award

What is the name of the charity you raised money for and what inspired you to work for this charity?

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Explain the event or activities that you lead to raise money:

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What impact do you think this money will have?

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Respect Badge: Diversity (Bronze and Silver Award)

Date range	Activity + Summary of your work and your response to the experience.	Signature (Parent/carer or staff and employer)

Respect Badge: Diversity Gold Award

What is the name of the organisation that you organised an event for and what inspired you to organise it?

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Explain the event or activities that you lead to raise money:

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What impact do you think this money will have?

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Respect Badge: Environment (Bronze and Silver Award)

Date range	Activity + Summary of your work and your response to the experience.	Signature (Parent/carer or staff and employer)

Respect Badge: Environment Gold Award

What is the name of the event that you contributed to and what inspired you to become involved?

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Explain the event or activities that you completed:

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What impact do you think this will have on the environment and why?

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Responsibility Badge: Oracy

Date	Event that you spoke at + Brief summary of what you spoke about and your response to the experience.	Signature (Parent/carer or staff)

Responsibility Badge: Leadership (Bronze and Silver Awards)

What is your role in either the student council or club?

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Silver Award: What did you lead and what was your response to this?

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Signature of club or council leader to verify your involvement:

Resilience Badge: Adventurer (Bronze and Silver Award)

Date	Trip or expedition completed + Brief summary of what you did and your response to the experience.	Signature (Parent/carer or staff)

To be awarded your Gold Badge please copy your certificate of achievement.

Resilience Badge: Reading

Date Reading completed	Novel Read+ Brief summary of what it was about and whether you enjoyed it and why	Signature (Parent/carer or staff)

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Date Reading completed	Novel Read+ Brief summary of what it was about and whether you enjoyed it and why	Signature (Parent/carer or staff)

Resilience Badge: Commitment

Date Reading completed	Club attended + Brief summary of what you did and what you learned.	Signature (Parent/carer or staff)

Resilience Badge: Sport

Date Reading completed	Name of Competition + Brief summary of what you did and your response to the experience.	Signature (Parent/carer or staff)

Ambition Badge: Academia

Date Reading completed	Name of Club or Course + Brief summary of what you did and your response to the experience.	Signature (Parent/carer or staff)

For online learning or courses please also include a certificate of achievement or attendance log when applying for your badge.

Ambition Badge: Careers

Date Reading completed	Brief summary of your interview or WEX; what you did and your response to the experience.	Signature (Parent/carer or staff)