



Devon Air Ambulance Badge

Name _____

Pack _____



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This booklet contains information on how to gain your Devon Air Ambulance badge.

The requirements for the award of the badge are:

1. Research

i) Invite a speaker from the Devon Air Ambulance Trust to talk about the work of the Air Ambulance.

AND

ii) Find out how helicopters fly and make a model helicopter.

AND

iii) Find out about how to become a paramedic who flies with the Air Ambulance.

2. Observation

i) Keep a sightings log of when and where you see the Air Ambulance.

OR

ii) Take a photograph of the Air Ambulance.

3. Support

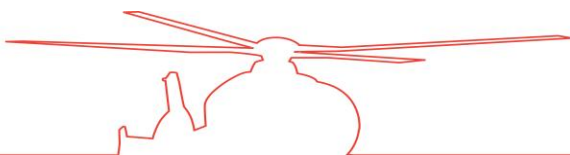
i) Organise a fundraising event for the Devon Air Ambulance.

OR

ii) Buy something from a Devon Air Ambulance charity shop.

When you have completed all three elements, give your log to your pack leader who will arrange for your badge to be awarded.

Good luck from all at the Devon Air Ambulance.



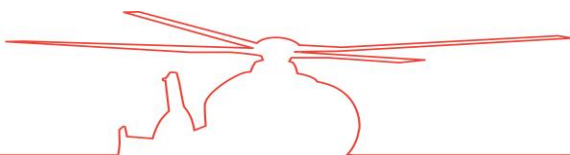
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Visiting speaker

Name of speaker _____

Date _____

Important things I have learned from the talk.



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How helicopters fly

Use this space to attach or write in information about how helicopters fly.

I have made a model helicopter.



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Paramedics

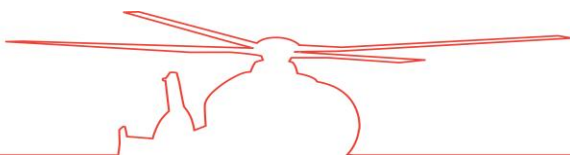
1. What is the job of a paramedic?

2. How many paramedics fly in the Air Ambulance? _____

3. Does a doctor fly in the Devon Air Ambulance? _____

4. What do you have to do to become a paramedic?

5. What telephone number should you call if you need the Devon Air Ambulance? _____



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Sighting log

date	where sighted	on ground or in air

OR
photograph of Air Ambulance



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Support

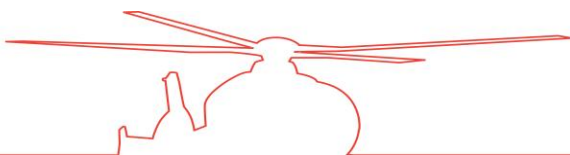
Title of fund raising activity:

Date of activity: _____

Place: _____

Amount raised: _____

OR
attach till receipt



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Key facts

Devon Air Ambulance Trust is the Charity which raises the money to keep Devon's two Air Ambulances flying.

It costs £4.5 million each year to keep both helicopters flying.

We are independent of Government funding. The operating costs of the service are met by public fundraising and donations. The paramedics are provided by South Western Ambulance Services NHS Foundation Trust, supported in part by the Charity.

Every year, each of our helicopters fly an average of 500 missions; one in ten is for a young person.

Each helicopter has 3 crew members - there is also space for a parent to accompany a child.

You can keep in touch with what your Air Ambulances are up to:

Website: www.daat.org

Facebook: Devon Air Ambulance

Twitter: @DevonAirAmb

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