

Royal Navy Experience Day – HMS Dalriada, Govan

Dates: Tue 10th June, Wed 11th June, & Thu 12th June.

Timings: 0900-1500

Availability: There are 48 spaces available for pupils each day (teachers and staff are welcome & encouraged to attend).

Location: HMS Dalriada, 25 Birkmyre Rd, Govan, G51 3JH

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An immersive and interactive day looking at some of the tasks a career in the Royal Navy can offer. A sample of some of the activities is listed below. Lunch will be provided by us.

Royal Marines Fitness & equipment – a practical physical exercise with a demonstration and teaching of the requirements for Pre-Joining Fitness Assessment and a brief on personal equipment.

Recruitment Brief – An initial careers presentation giving an overview of the Royal Navy, what we do, where we operate, available roles and advice on the recruitment process.

Pac Simulator – Test your aptitude for driving Rigid Hull Inflatable Boats in a simulator. Get a feel for the equipment and clothing worn by the boat crew.

Leadership – This will be a problem-solving activity in the gym where the pupils are introduced to leadership & teamwork in order to provide a solution to a problem. We call this CLM in the Navy – Command, Leadership & Management.

Firefighting – All Royal Navy personnel are trained firefighters. This exercise allows the pupils to experience the initial actions taken on fighting a fire with an extinguisher (there's no real fire!), the scenario would dictate that the initial actions have been unsuccessful and we make what is called a "re-entry". The team get dressed in full fire-fighting gear, charge their firefighting hoses and advance on the fire to extinguish it. It demonstrates the need for physical fitness and teamwork.

STEM – Robotics and Electrics based interactive set up.

STEM - A virtual reality walkthrough

Sea Survival - This consists of an "Abandon Ship" simulation. Groups will get dressed into sea survival clothing, get into the 6-man life raft and operate it as if we were off the ship.

Weapons Stance / Airsoft– This is a show & tell type scenario with an introduction to rifles and ranges. Airsoft - Target range set up on hard standing facilitating use of airsoft rifles. Highly supervised evolution.