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### March Cadets Tackle Kinder Scout

Nine Cadets from 1220 (March) Squadron swapped the flat fens for Kinder Scout recently.

As part of their on going training programme the weekend involved navigating to set points across Kinder Scout. Some of the route involved navigating by maps whilst other sections relied on using compass bearings. Based at an Edale camp site, in all they covered some 10 miles on day one and made it to the highest point in the area at just over 2000 feet. Day two took them around 6 miles along the top of Lords Seat.

The weekend provided vital experience not just in navigation but developed both leadership and team working as well as camp craft. Many of these skills will be used by cadets as they progress through the Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme, something which is flourishing in the March Squadron.

For further information on how to join 1220 Squadron log onto the website at [www.1220atc.org.uk](http://www.1220atc.org.uk) or Tel: 01354 651788. Address: 1220 (March) Squadron Air Training Corps, Gas Road, March. PE15 9LU. Parade nights: Tuesday and Friday between 1900-2130hrs.

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