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### **CYMFed Faith in Action Award**

The Faith in Action award has been part of the life of the Diocese for a few years now. The award aims to reward young people for the good work they are already doing in the life of the Church and then to encourage them to discern more how they can seek to do God's will in their life.

This is done through taking part in various acts of service and charity and then reflecting on these works in the light of scripture and tradition.

Young people are rewarded with awards from pin level, through to bronze, silver and gold. Awards are distributed at the end of the academic year at a ceremony with the Archbishop.

Since the launch of the award it has proven very popular in the Diocese and many schools and parishes are already hosting the award.

If your local school is hosting the award a parish might want to speak to the school chaplain to see how links can be forged to allow young people to have greater access to parish activities.

Or a parish can set up a group and lead the award themselves, as some parishes in the Diocese already do.

A parish running the scheme would be ideal follow-up to the Confirmation programme, or could run alongside it for the year 8's.

As the award is already well established in the Diocese you might want to contact the Animate office (01744 740460 or [admin@animateyouth.co.uk](mailto:admin@animateyouth.co.uk)) for more information. Details on the award are also available on the Animate website.