

Third Sector Dumfries and Galloway

OVERVIEW OF NATIONAL AND LOCAL VOLUNTEERING AWARDS



Volunteering awards are a great way to show your appreciation for the time, effort, and impact volunteers make.

The King's Award for Voluntary Service

The UK's highest recognition for volunteer groups.

Investing in Volunteers (IiV)

UK quality standard recognising excellence in volunteer management.

Duke of Edinburgh's Award

Internationally recognised award, includes a volunteering section.
(Young people (14-24))

Saltire Awards

Scottish youth volunteering certificates based on hours contributed.
(Young people (12-25))

John Muir Award

Celebrates volunteering focused on nature conservation.

SQA Volunteering Skills Award

National accredited qualification at SCQF levels 3-5.
(Volunteers of all ages)

Dynamic Youth & Youth Achievement Awards

Recognises personal development through volunteering activities.
(Young people (10+))

Dumfries & Galloway Youth Awards

Annual event celebrating achievements across multiple youth categories.
(Young volunteers in sports & community)