



# NCS Autumn Programme 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

This year NCS are offering a Coventry Half Term programme designed specifically for Year 12 College & Sixth Form students taking into account their interests and areas of study. The NCS programme offers young people a once in a lifetime opportunity to do something meaningful with their autumn break, as well as a chance to develop key skills for employment whilst taking on new challenges that will set them up for adult life. They'll also do something good for their local community, carrying out a project to support a cause they care about. We've seen first-hand what an amazing feeling of accomplishment and increased confidence this brings. Throughout 2021, teenagers on NCS donated 500,000 hours of their time to help rebuild their communities following the pandemic, showing what a difference young people can make when they work together towards a goal.

More information on the NCS autumn programme can be found below and on our website;

Over a 12 day period, they will;

- ✓ **Meet new people**
- ✓ **Try new things and step out of their comfort zones**
- ✓ **Give back to their local community through social action**
- ✓ **Take on new challenges**
- ✓ **Develop the skills and confidence to take on their next steps**
- ✓ **Generate experience for their university application, job/apprenticeship interview or CV and more!**

NCS is all about helping teenagers realise their potential by giving them a taste of independence and loading them up with new skills that set them up to achieve their future goals, whatever they may be. And this is your teens final chance- once they turn 18 they are no longer eligible!

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If your teen does want to register their interest in taking part in NCS this autumn, we will ask them to share your contact details. This is so that we can complete the administrative process required to get them signed up to a programme date. If they do let us know they're interested, we'll be in touch with you by email or phone to run through the steps we need to complete their booking.

A place on NCS is worth up to **£1200**. However, thanks to government funding for the programme, we only ask for a contribution of **£50** from you to access the programme. During Phase 2 & 3 of programme, you will be required to bring pack lunch and pay for a bus pass. We want to ensure that everyone can do NCS so there are bursaries available if you need some help to cover the **£50** cost.

Bursaries will reduce the cost to **£10** for eligible students. Please get in touch with us on **0116 240 7007** to access the bursary amount and discuss bursary criteria.

If you have any other queries please contact the NCS team on **0116 240 7007** or email us at [ncs@leics-ebc.org.uk](mailto:ncs@leics-ebc.org.uk). We will be happy to help!

Yours sincerely,  
Phoebe Wright  
NCS Recruitment



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## NCS Autumn Dates – Coventry Half Term

**Phase 1 - Be Epic – 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> October.** This residential phase begins after college/sixth form on the last Friday of term. It involves 3 nights at an exciting outdoor pursuit centre designed to support leadership and team work skills. Transport will be provided. Pick up/ drop off location is the Co-Op on Fairfax Street. Outdoor Activity centre is YHA Haworth, Matlock, Derbyshire.

**Phase 2 - Live Life – 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> October.** The next 3 days see students network with local businesses and get stuck into a business challenge. Students will also participate in workshops that give valuable insights into the world of work. Phase 2 is based at Coventry Methodist Central Hall.

**Phase 3 - Do Good - 28<sup>th</sup> October, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> November.** Students will plan their social action project on the Friday of half term, then complete their project the following weekends. This phase involves students taking action to support local organisations and charities. From fundraisers and social media campaigns to renovations and re-vamp projects, the list is endless! This allows students to make a change in their community and gain volunteering experience. Phase 3 is based at Coventry Methodist Central Hall.

**Phase 4 - Go Party - TBC date in November.** On completion of the programme students attend a celebration event where they will receive a certificate of recognition signed by the UK prime minister.

## How to Sign Up!

Visit: [www.wearencs.com](http://www.wearencs.com) & click the **Sign Up Now** green button in the top right hand corner of the home page.

**(Step 1)** Fill out the participants details on the first page and select your school or College:

**(Step 2)** Requires you to select your programme. Please select the **Autumn 2022** programme - Coventry 21/10/2022

**(Step 3)** Will ask for Parent/Guardian information. Please fill **Parent guardian information** before clicking **Submit** and completing your registration.

Once completed, we will email the Parent/Guardian an **Online Medical Joiner** form this needs to be completed online and submitted back to us as soon as possible.

If you have any other queries please contact the NCS team on 0116 240 7007 or email us at [ncs@leics-ebc.org.uk](mailto:ncs@leics-ebc.org.uk). We will be happy to help!

**GRAB YOUR SPOT**

You're just a few minutes away from reserving your place on NCS!  
We've tried to make this as painless as possible, so you should be able to whizz through...

**STEP 1: YOUR DETAILS**    **STEP 2: PROGRAMME OPTIONS**    **STEP 3: RESERVE YOUR PLACE**

I am a  
Young Person

First name

Last name

Gender  
Select a value

Date of birth  
Day    Month    Year

Postcode

Building and street

City

Email

Mobile

Home phone (Optional)

Your school

Start typing your school name and it should show up in the list

I don't attend a school

I'm not a robot

**SAVE AND CONTINUE**