

Dear Parent/Guardian/Carer,

We are writing to inform you that places are still available for your teen to go on NCS this summer. We understand that some families have not made solid plans for the summer break and we would love it if your teen could come on NCS. We have trusted local delivery partners who are fully trained in delivering excellent NCS programmes.

The NCS programme offers young people, aged 15-17, a once in a lifetime opportunity to do something meaningful with their summer, as well as a chance to develop skills and take 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. Whilst our programme gives teens an opportunity to meet new people, if they want to go on NCS with their friends then we will do our very best to get them booked on the same programme.

More information on the NCS summer programme can be found below or on our website; Over a period of 2 or 3 weeks, they will;

Meet new people
Try new things
Give back to their local

✓ Give back to their local community through voluntary 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 year, it's your teen's turn!

A place on NCS is worth around £1500. However, thanks to government funding for the programme, we only ask for a contribution of £50 to cover some basic costs. **We want to ensure that everyone can do NCS** so there are bursaries available if you need some help to cover the cost.

Go to <u>wearencs.com</u> to sign up or for more information, Frequently asked questions can be found at <u>wearencs.com/faqs</u>. Alternatively, please give us a call and we'll do our best to help you: **0800 197 8010**

We look forward to welcoming your teen on NCS this summer! Warm wishes,

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