



Dear Year 11/12 Form Tutors,

Do your students want to boost their CV, develop skills for life and help a local charity this October Half Term?

We have a new exciting NCS Programme on offer for this upcoming Half Term for young people aged 15 - 17 years old who may be searching for a new challenge outside of the classroom or want to add something to their personal statement when applying for college or university.

The half term will comprise of three different programmes lasting three days each and are divided into separate categories; Life Skills, Employability Boost and Social Action, each programme will focus on skills and techniques to help your young people develop their knowledge in each area and prepare them for adulthood.

Young people can choose to book on to just one of these programmes or two, or all three if they wish to. Please note however they must attend all three days of the programme to complete this and receive a certificate.

The Life Skills programme will run from Saturday 14th October – Monday 16th October 2023 from 10am – 5pm each day. During these three days, we will focus on wellbeing, budgeting, nutrition and exercise and run a workshop with Street Doctors.

The Employability programme will run from Tuesday 17^h October – Thursday 19th October 2023 from 10am – 5pm each day. Across the three days young people should expect to partake in workshops surrounding work experience, routes into employment, mock interviews, and visit DMU for the day.

The Social Action programme will run from Friday 20th October – Sunday 22nd October 2023 from 10am – 5pm. Across the three days young people the programme will be based on social action in which voting, fundraising, and campaigning alongside planning and delivering a form of social action will be covered.

All three programmes will be based at Warning Zone Ltd, 30 Frog Island, Off North Bridge Place, Leicester, LE3 5AG and will run from 10am – 5.00pm.

This is free of charge for all young people, there is no lunch or travel support included.

It would be greatly appreciated if you could share this information with your young people and their parents / guardians.

If your young people are interested, they will need to request a place via the link below and complete the form attached. We will then contact them and their parent / guardian to confirm their place on the programme/s and send further information.

Link - Request a place form

For further information please contact me on the details below.

Kind regards

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