



Year 11 and 12 students are going to be given a fantastic opportunity this summer to take part in this super government funded scheme. For £50 students can participate in a four week programme during the summer holidays (financial support is available). Over 50 students participated last year and as a result Farlingaye is now a 'Champion School'.

The programme consists of:

Week 1 - Adventure

You'll experience the freedom of living away from home in an outdoor environment. In a team of no more than 15 people you will embark on a range of adrenaline fuelled activities like rock climbing, abseiling and canoeing.

You'll get to know your NCS family, build confidence and achieve things you never thought possible!

Week 2 - Skills

Reunited with your group you'll be living away from home for the second week in university-style accommodation. Not only will you learn to cook and clean for yourself (yes, really) you'll also learn some huge life skills that will look great on your CV!

This week is all about discovering yourself and developing your skills for life.

Weeks 3 and 4 - Action

This is where your NCS experience really comes together! You'll return home where your NCS team will reunite using all of the fun and inspiration from the first two weeks to step up and deliver your very own social action project within your community. Plan; fundraise; make a difference! This is your chance to find something you're passionate about and make a difference.

Graduation

You've come a long way – it's time to celebrate! After these four weeks you deserve a well-earned reward for everything you've achieved; you'll be invited to a special graduation ceremony to receive a certificate signed by the Prime Minister and reflect on your amazing NCS journey.

As an NCS Graduate, you'll get exclusive access to potential volunteering opportunities and apprenticeships, as well as amazing discounts and big events! Once an NCSer, always an NCSer!

Students will be given assemblies and loads of information about the scheme over the next few weeks, there will be details on how to apply. There is further information on the NCS website:

<http://ncseast.co.uk/what-is-ncs/>

