

## NCS COMMUNITY EXPERIENCES PROGRAMME

# 16 & 17 YEAR OLDS, NOW IS THE TIME TO 'GROW YOUR AMBITION'!

Get ready to build your independence. Boost your work-readiness. Make a positive impact on the world. Blossom in confidence and form some amazing friendships along the way.

Sign up now to the NCS Community Experiences programme in Surrey and you will have professional guidance to grow: self-confidence, life skills, employability and a sense of community.

As well as developing these key skills, the programme will help you stand out from the crowd when it comes to applying for a job as well as supporting your university applications, offer you something powerful to talk about in interviews and give you the advantage with career opportunities.

You will be taking part in the **NCS Grow Your Ambition programme** with Surrey Outdoor Learning and Development (SOLD) at one of two outdoor learning centres either near Guildford or Dorking.

Some of the sessions will include adventurous outdoor activities which might include climbing, high and low ropes, woodland skills, archery, orienteering, team tasks and much more. We work on a challenge by choice basis so each individual works at their own pace and does what they feel is the most challenging for themselves.

The volunteering days are organised within SOLD and you will work with young people on our holiday activities as well as working with our Estates team.

The programme is **FREE**, you just need to commit to all the dates in your programme which start in July 2023 and consists of 3 distinct learning experiences over a 6 day period, which focus on strong personal development and a social action purpose. You choose which dates and

design of programme work best for you, commit to that programme and book your place on-line.

Take a look at the outline structure of the programme in the image below:

This is open to all 16 and 17 year olds and we look forward to you booking your place and benefit from this great experience.

The SOLD Community Experience programmes have been designed to be exciting, adventurous and ultimately very rewarding. We guarantee that you will be challenged, feel a huge sense of pride and achievement at the end of it and meet some amazing new people.

What are you waiting for!

The first programme is running on these dates:



### **HIGH ASHURST in Mickleham, Dorking – [BOOK HERE](#)**

**Experience 1** – Personal & social skills, teamwork, employability, independence

Day 1      Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July – 8.30 am – 6.30pm  
Day 2      Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July – 8.30 am – 6.30pm  
Day 3      Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> July – 8.30 am – 6.30pm

**Experience 2** – Volunteering and community action

Day 4      Monday 14<sup>th</sup> August – 9am – 5pm  
Day 5      Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> August – 9 am – 5pm

**Experience 3** – Consolidation, review and action planning

Day 6      Friday 1<sup>st</sup> September – 6pm – 9pm

**OR**

## Henley Fort in Guildford – [BOOK HERE](#)



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**Please book by 19<sup>th</sup> July 2023**

We look forward to welcoming you!

For more information visit our website [www.surreyoutdoorlearning.uk](http://www.surreyoutdoorlearning.uk)

Or click on this QR code:

