ADMISSIONS PROCEDURE
FOR FULL-TIME APPLICANTS

NORTH EAST SCOTLAND COLLEGE

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HOW DOES IT WORK?

FIND YOUR COURSE

Visit our website ***www.nescol.ac.uk*** and decide which course you'd like to study.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Do you meet the entry requirements for this course or are you working towards them?

YES

NO

Explore alternatives on our website or contact our ***Student Advice Centre*** to talk about the best route for you.

We're confident we have a course to suit everyone.

GUIDANCE

APPLY ONLINE

Excellent! ***Apply online now****. (Current students enrolled on Year 1 of an HND will have an application progressed on their behalf by our Admissions team.)

For further information on how to complete your application visit the ***'How to apply'*** section on our website.

****A paper application can be submitted***

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

You'll receive an acknowledgement of your application within *24 hours**. If we need further information from you or want to invite you for an interview, we'll be in touch within 5 weeks. Interviews may be in person on campus or online via Teams.

****For paper applications this will be within 5 working days***

You've been invited for an interview Don't worry! It's more of an informal chat so our curriculum staff can find out if the course you have applied for is the best option for you. It's also a chance for you to ask questions about the course and studying at NESCol. Remember and bring any documentation you've been asked to take along and give yourself plenty time to get to campus if your interview is in person.

INTERVIEW

SOMETIMES OUR ADMISSIONS TEAM CAN MAKE YOU AN OFFER STRAIGHT AWAY. THIS IS OFTEN THE CASE FOR CURRENT STUDENTS PROGRESSING BETWEEN COURSE LEVELS.

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

You'll be notified of the outcome of your interview within 10 days.

YOU WILL EITHER BE:

Made a full (unconditional) offer.

Congratulations! Accept your offer to confirm your place on the course.

OR

Made a conditional offer.

Your place on the course is dependent on achieving exams or successfully completing your current NESCol course. For those sitting exams (e.g. SQA Nationals, Highers at school) we'll let you know how to share those with us nearer results day (8 August 2023).

Not offered a place? Our curriculum team may recommend an alternative course or an advisor from our Student Advice Centre will be in touch to discuss your options.

ALTERNATIVE COURSE

The course you've applied for is at High Demand

Some of our courses attract more applications than places available. When this happens we hold your details on our waiting list and should spaces become available we'll let you know. You are welcome to withdraw your application for that course and apply for an alternative. Please contact ***enquiry@nescol.ac.uk*** to do so.

WAITING LIST

WE'LL KEEP IN TOUCH WITH YOU OVER THE COMING MONTHS VIA OUR REGULAR APPLICANT UPDATE EMAILS WHERE WE WILL SHARE USEFUL INFORMATION ON FUNDING, STUDENT SUPPORT, KEY EVENTS, ENROLMENT AND MORE. PLEASE KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR THESE.

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