

20 October 2021

Dear Year 11 Student

### **NCS Skills Booster Sessions - Fantastic Opportunity!**

I am delighted to let you know that you have been selected to participate in this year's NCS Skills Booster Sessions. The National Citizenship Service (NCS) is a well established organisation with the aim to engage, unite and empower young people, building your confidence so you can go out and achieve your dreams, no matter where you're from or what your background is. From the life skills you develop to the friends you make, giving you an opportunity to unleash your potential, to build your self-belief and get you prepped for life after school.

The sessions will take place on Tuesday afternoons from 1.30pm until 4.30pm and will run for five weeks. Weekly pizza refreshments will be provided as well as treats and a reward for completion of all five sessions. The pizza will be available towards 4.30pm each Tuesday, and you will have the chance to select your toppings and amount.

Your commitment to these sessions will be testament to your enthusiasm as an Outwood Academy Normanby student.

The sessions will cover Employability, Careers and Progressions, Skills for Independent Living, Health and Wellbeing and Volunteering. They will be led by highly trained coordinators with interactive activities and real case studies. You will be aware that in the summer holidays, NCS, in partnership with school, will be providing free residential places on outward bound activities, and other brilliant opportunities.

I will explain more in assembly on Monday after we return.

Go for it!

Yours faithfully



Andrew Wappat  
Principal