



Get ready to start your

# NESCol story

Important info for full-time applicants

Hi <<First Name>>



Hope you're good! Now that we're into August, the beginning of the new academic session at NESCol is in touching distance! We're looking forward to welcoming you on campus at the end of the month to get started on a successful year ahead!

Hopefully by now you have received and accepted a full offer from us, but if you've just recently applied or are yet to respond to an offer of a place, please check your application status and respond to offers [here](#). If your plans have changed we're sorry you won't be joining us this session but don't worry. Please just let us know so we can offer the space to another applicant as many of our courses now have waiting lists in operation.



## **Enrolment**

Online enrolment invites are being sent out now to all applicants who have accepted a full offer. Please look out for this email from [enquiry@nescol.ac.uk](mailto:enquiry@nescol.ac.uk) and complete the process.

To help you, some useful info can be found [here](#). If you have accepted a full offer and haven't received an online enrolment email by 20 August, please email [enquiry@nescol.ac.uk](mailto:enquiry@nescol.ac.uk) and our team will get this sorted for you.

## **Keeping our College community safe**

Everyone at NESCol is looking forward to the start of the new College year - with a range of measures in place to make it safe, engaging and enjoyable for all. Guidelines have been created in partnership with the Students' Association. It is essential that you follow these guidelines when at College – they intentionally go above and beyond the Scottish Government's Level 0 rules to minimise the potential for disruption to your studies.

The key points you will be reminded about throughout the year are:

- Face coverings must be worn in all public areas, including corridors and lifts. These can be removed when seated in teaching areas and libraries as well as dining or social spaces.
- Maintain physical distancing. A 1-metre rule is in place throughout the College and must be observed. This includes dining and social spaces. The only exception is for risk-assessed activities approved by staff.
- Avoid crowded spaces and don't gather in groups. One way systems are in place in some areas and are clearly marked – please follow directions to help keep NESCol moving.
- Clean your hands regularly using the sanitising stations available. This is one of the easiest and best ways of preventing the spread of Coronavirus.

- Do not attend College if you experience any Coronavirus symptoms. If you do, stay at home, carry out a self test or book a test through the NHS, and update your Academic Tutor accordingly.

Students and staff are also able to access lateral flow test kits and we recommend everyone who attends campus takes part in regular testing. These kits are for use for anyone who does not have symptoms related to Coronavirus. Further information is available by email at [centraladmin@nesco.ac.uk](mailto:centraladmin@nesco.ac.uk).

### **Your first day on Campus**

We can't wait to have you back on campus, but we need to do this safely. Please keep an eye out for further instructions on where to report to when you are attending Campus for your first class delivered in College.



### **Digital Futures Toolkit**

As a NESCol student, you'll have access to a huge range of digital resources to enhance your learning experience. Our Digital Futures Toolkit outlines the systems and applications available to you, find out more [here](#). We are also hosting an online [Q&A session](#) on Wednesday 18 August where our Learning Technologies and Digital Skills teams will provide an overview of the toolkit and be available to answer any questions you have about digital learning at NESCol.

Thanks for reading, we'll be in touch again soon!

Applicant Ref: <<Your student reference>>