



EXTENDED EDUCATION SCHOOL LEAVERS PROGRAMME

Who is the Extended Education School Leavers course for?

This programme is for students aged 18-21 who have left specialist schools and may have a range of learning difficulties and require additional support in small group settings.

What does the course cover?

During the course students will have the opportunity to develop independent living skills such as:

- Managing money
- Using local transport
- Travelling independently
- Team building
- Keeping healthy and safe
- Community and leisure
- Developing relationships

Students will also have the opportunity to develop their IT, English and maths skills whilst on the programme.

Experienced and qualified staff provide a safe and secure environment for the students to learn and develop their confidence, both in and outside of class.

What else can students do whilst on the course?

Students will be able to participate in voluntary work to get a better understanding of the local community in which they live and may eventually work in.

What can students do after the course?

The course allows students to gain skills and experience that will help them to live more independently and to progress onto additional qualifications at college, paid employment, supported employment, further training or voluntary work.

Students will be interviewed before enrolling on a course to find out what level they should be working at.

For more information

To find out more about Northumberland College's Foundation Learning Department and the courses on offer call our advice centre on **01670 841200**, email advicecentre@northland.ac.uk or visit www.northumberland.ac.uk