

LATAHA MATHAVAN ARTS AND SACCIENCE COLLEGE NCC

About NCC

The Latha Mathavan Arts and Science College has a unique history in imparting personality development and leadership traits through National Cadet Corps (NCC). When the National Cadet Corps was introduced in educational institutions across India in 1952, The Latha Mathavan Arts and Science College came forward willingly to introduce NCC at 2023. Presently, the Army has one unit under the command of 4(TN) Engr COY installed in the campus.. ANO of NCC Army wing, Lt P.Gajendran and 50 cadets are in our company.

The Latha Mathavan Arts and Science College NCC Army plays a vital role in molding the character of young students and engaged them in grooming the youth 'the leaders of tomorrow' and provides youth a powerful way to develop mental strength, discipline, health, positive character, physical training, skills, courage, team spirit, leadership and self-confidence.

Our NCC Army emphasize the importance of mental and physical training as they are directly related to overall growth and personality development.

Motto Of NCC

UNITY AND DISICIPLINE

Vision and Mission

Vision Statement:

1. To develop character, courage, comradeship, discipline, leadership, secular outlook, spirit of adventure, sportsmanship and the ideals of selfless service among the youth to make useful citizens.
2. To create a human resource of organized, trained and motivated youth, to provide leadership in all walks of life and always available for the service of the nation.
3. To provide a suitable environment to motivate the youth to take up a career in the Armed forces.

Mission statement:

- To create suitable environment to motivate the youth to take up career in Armed forces

- To conduct centralized training and institutionalized training programs
- To conduct leadership training programs
- To conduct seminars, workshop and motivational training programs
- To organize visits to Defense establishment
- To inculcate the habit of social service like anti malaria drive, anti-polyether drive, blood donation, tree plantation, health and hygiene etc.

Duties Of NCC Cadets

INTRODUCTION:

NCC is the largest youth organization in the world with an enrolled strength of more than 13 lakhs Cadets. The aim of NCC is to train the young boys and girls to be better citizens and future leaders of our great country in all walks of life, including defense forces. NCC strives to be and is one of the strongest unifying forces of our nation, bringing together the youth hailing from different parts of our country and molding them into united, secular and disciplined citizens of our nation

Any student joining the ranks of NCC must know his/her duties and responsibilities as a cadet and he/she must maintain a conduct expected of a trained youth leader of the country. A NCC cadet once enrolled has certain duties and responsibilities unlike his/her peers in the institution. The duties and responsibilities are towards nation, society at large, his institution, NCC organization and to his / her fellow cadets too.

Duties of NCC Cadets during parades and camps are as under:-

- 1. Self-discipline is the most basic trait of a NCC Cadet.**
- 2. He/she has to be punctual during parade and roll call.**
- 3. Obeying the orders of higher ranks is yet another important duty of NCC Cadet.**
- 4. Every cadet should participate in camp activities with complete enthusiasm.**

5. Always take proper haircut and wear clean and correct pattern of uniform. Polishing of shoes, pressing of uniforms and wearing of beret in correct manner should be followed.
6. Take part in the cultural activities organized by the NCC.
7. Attend all NCC parades regularly without fail.
8. Participate in the team work. Extend complete cooperation to the seniors.
9. Pursue the adventure activities.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF A CADET

1. A NCC cadet by the very fact of being an active cadet has to shoulder extra responsibilities unlike his fellow classmates who are not members of NCC.
2. His / her responsibilities are nowhere written but obligatory as an outcome of his training. Thus he / she fulfills the main aims of NCC i.e, becoming a potential leader with character qualities and responsible citizen.
3. He / She has separate responsibilities to his / her NCC unit, organisation, his institution, society at large and to the country.
4. That includes active participation in social awareness initiatives, environmental issues, disaster relief, adventure and sports activities and other nation building efforts.
5. It doesn't end with his / her NCC training at his / her institution, but has to be carried forward to all the fields where he / she is going to be engaged in the future too. Thus with passage of time, country would have had past NCC cadets occupying leadership positions in all walks of life espousing the noble values and objectives on NCC.

NCC Flag

NCC flag for various units of the NCC was first introduced in 1951. The flag was of same pattern, color and size as was used by various regiments of the Army. The only difference was that it had the NCC badge and unit designation placed in the center. Later on it was felt that the flag should be in keeping with the inter-service character of the Corps. In 1954 the existing tricolor flag was introduced. The three colors in the flag depict the three services of the Corps, red for the Army, deep blue for the Navy and light blue for the Air Force. The letters NCC and the NCC crest in gold in the middle of the flag encircled by a wreath of lotus, give the flag a colorful look and a distinct identity.

Benefits of NCC

1. Scholarships

Scholarships are awarded to cadets who pass class 10th and 12th examination at Rs 6000/- and Rs 12,000/- respectively as one-time payment. Not a lot, but it surely helps to complement the pocket money given by your parents. 66 cadets doing professional courses are also awarded Rs 30,000/- each for one year and is common for Boys and Girls cadets all over India.

2. Reservation in Education

Many competitive exams have reservation for certificate holders in terms of awarding ranks.

3. Security Agencies

There are some security agencies both private and government who prefer recruiting NCC certificate holders thereby giving them an edge over other candidates with a handsome pay.

4. Defence Benefits

For the candidates who aspire to join the defence forces, NCC "C" certificate is a golden opportunity for them to go to SSB directly. These candidates are exempted from giving the common entrance exam and are called directly for SSB.

i. CDSE (Men)

If a candidate clears his CDSE and subsequent SSB, he will have the following reservation in various academies. A separate merit list is prepared for NCC cadets with "C" certificate.

- IMA - 3-15 vacancies reserved for "C" Certificate (Army Wing) holders
- INA - 05-08 vacancies reserved for "C" Certificate (Naval Wing) holders

ii. Special Entry (Men and Women)

- OTA Chennai - 50 vacancies for "C" certificate holders for NCC Spl. Entry (non tech)
- AFA Hyderabad - 10% vacancies reserved for "C" certificate Air Wing holders in all courses.

iii. Recruitment as Jawan

If a cadets wants to join the defence forces as as Soldier GD/clk/skt/tech/tdn cat, he will be eligible for the award of following benefits:

- "A" Certificate: 05 marks (GD) 05 marks (clk/skt/tech) 05 marks (tdn)
- "B" Certificate: 10 marks (GD) 10 marks (clk/skt/tech) 10 marks (tdn)
- "C" Certificate: Holders of C certificate and who have participated in Republic day parade will be exempted from CEE for rect sol clk /skt, sol tech and sol NA cat and will be awarded 100% marks in lieu of CEE.

5. Other Benfits of "C" Certificate

- For ORs, Sailors, Airmen: 5 to 10 percent bonus marks awarded for recruitment.
- Para Military Forces: 2 to 10 bonus marks awarded for recruitment
- Department of telecommunication: Bonus marks awarded for recruitment
- CRPF: NCC cadets holding 3rd division degree eligible for recruitment to gazetted posts.
- NCC: Civilian Gliding instructors/Girl Cadet Instructors/ Whole Time Lady Officers.
- State Govts: Preference for State Services in certain States.
- Industry: Some industries give preference to NCC C certificate holders for various jobs related with the field of security.
- NCC Games: Cash awards to teams and individuals for excellence.

6. Non-Tangible Benfits while serving in NCC

- Annual Training Camps: You will make a lot of friends from various schools and

colleges of the city.

- Republic Day Camp at Delhi (RDC): How can anyone else get a chance to march at Rajpath while still studying?**
- Para Training Camp (PTC): Selected cadet get to undergo Parajumping at PTS, Agra along with Indian commandos and get to wear the coveted Para Wings.**
- National Integration Camp (NIC): You will make a lot of friends from various schools and colleges from all over India.**
- All India Trekking Expedition: Trekking in various hillstations and other places of interest.**
- All India Mountaineering Expedition: Basic and Advanced Mountaineering course for selected cadets.**
- Attachments with Army Unit, Air Force Stations, Naval Base/ Establishment/ Ship/ Sea Training, Service Hospital.**
- Adventure Courses: Mountaineering Basic Course, Mountaineering Advance Course, Water Skiing/Snow Skiing Courses, Snow & Ice (Condensed) Course, Sailing expedition, NRAI Matches, Scuba Diving Course**
- International Outreach: Youth Exchange Programme, Foreign cruise (Navy or Coast Guard).**
- Air Wing Cadets get to fly Micro light aircraft as part of their training.**