

NCL STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION AND LEARNER ENGAGEMENT

BOARD REPORT FOR 2023



NCLSA

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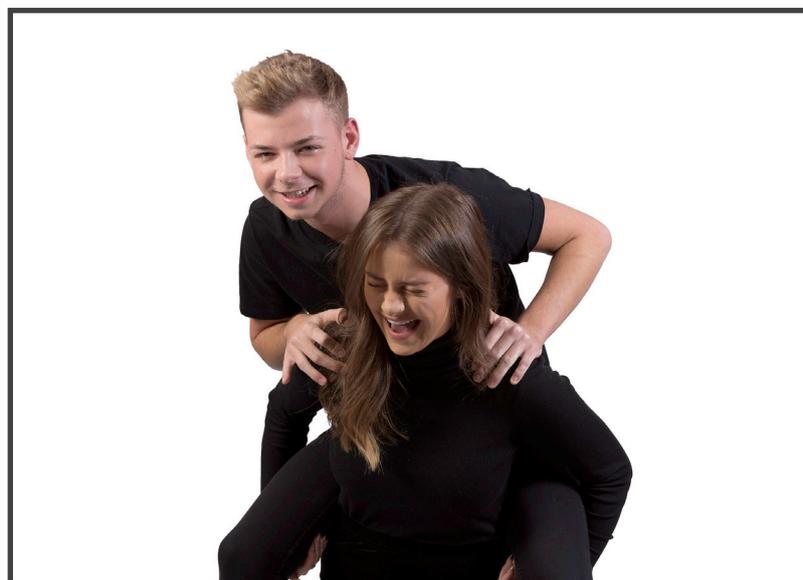
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RAISING AWARENESS.

LGBT Charter and LGBTQ+ History Month

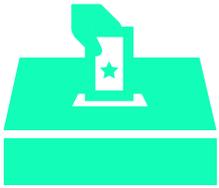
As we arrive to the deadline of the LGBT Charter, the SA are working closely with our EDI Advisor to help gather evidence to achieve the charter.

February marks the beginning of LGBT History Month and the SA have been working with the brand team to showcase historical moment that marks a time in LGBT history.

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These moments in history will be displayed on internal screens and college social media platforms.



We are looking for One full time sabbatical officer, this is a paid full-time position.

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Student Elections 2023

we are looking for One full time sabbatical officer, this is a paid full-time position. To support the One full time sabbatical officer, we have 2 voluntary vice president roles based in Cumbernauld and Motherwell,

these are currently being filled by 2 supported learning students. For the new academic year, we will continue with 1 president and 2 voluntary vice presidents.

The purpose of the **STUDENT VOICE**



CO-CREATION OF THE CURRICULUM

To ensure student representation is integral to decision making processes in future curriculum development.



CONNECTING WITH THE COMMUNITY

To ensure we support the development of our student's personal and professional interests by making relevant connections to enable access to opportunity.



BUILDING OF POSITIVE WORKING RELATIONSHIPS

To ensure the continuation of raising awareness of the students' association function within the college and how that can support academic success.



TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY

To ensure students are regularly informed of progress made by elected sabbatical officers working on their behalf to enhance the college experience for everyone.



MAINTENANCE OF EXCELLENT PRACTICE

To ensure feedback processes are accessible to students with actions and outcomes promoted and visible to be scrutinised and evaluated.

SUCCESS MEANS

Raising the aspirations and fulfilling the life potential of all our students.



SUPPORTED LEARNING AND STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE

we have a recently formed this committee with 7 SL student volunteers at Cumbernauld and 16 SL student volunteers at Motherwell which are led by our Vice presidents, Liam Nolan (Cumbernauld) and Ciara Chapman (Motherwell). The SA and our SL committee members are working

together to improve college life for all students by doing a campus clean up, litter picking, car park (blue badge) patrols, no smoking patrols around entrances etc. The SA meet with the VP's and our committee members weekly to plans and discuss the following weeks activities on our respective campuses.

No Badge, No Parking



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This is a campaign led by Motherwell SL students and their support workers to raise awareness of the number of drivers who parked in disabled bays with no blue badge- increasingly students with disabilities have been

unable to park on campus so they decided to patrol the Motherwell campus car park and speak to drivers and encourage them to park considerately and leave disabled spaces for people who need them.



Bucs Outdoor Athletic

CHAMPIONSHIPS

This is Liam Nolan he is a T20 athlete who studies at our Cumbernauld campus- he's on a community pathways course. Liam represented the college at the Bucs outdoor Athletic championships in Grangemouth on 22nd April and we want to congratulate him on his sporting achievements and throwing well when participating in the Hammer and Discus events.



The Happy Shop

This was launch day for some Cumbernauld supported learning students' projects, they have set up "the Happy shop" selling confectionary, greetings cards, travels mugs etc in the Atrium on Thursdays, they have also set up a Game zone on the 3rd floor of the

main building where students can play games on Xbox and play stations with their friends during breaks or free time during the college day. The principal and vice principals attended the grand opening on 27th April.

Congratulations

Congratulations to the NCL mens football team on winning the league!





Welcome Canadian Students

EXPLORING THE STUDENT LEARNING EXPERIENCE.

Justin walker, Development Consultant for SPARQS attending a student workshop at NCL to gather feedback regarding the student experience. This was well attended with student from across all NCL campuses. We look forward to reviewing the data collected.

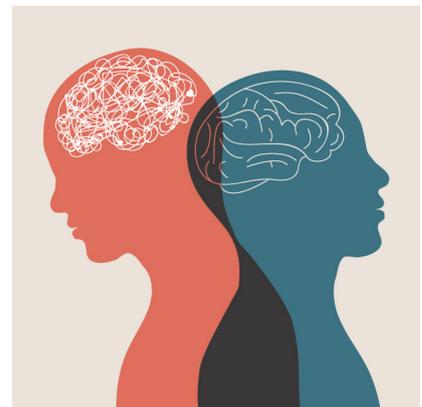
ONGOING WORK.

Mental Health

- Student Mental Health Agreement
- Disability Sports Club at the Tryst Centre for our supported learning students is now in its 10th week of it's first 10 week block. Planning for a second block is underway to be up and running by late Feb.

Cost of living crisis

- Ready to Help committee
- Food pantry and Swap Shop
- Warm spaces
- Lunch vouchers for students in need
- Laptop Library
- Supporting YoungScot Free travel campaign





Boards and Committees

- Nursery review team
- Health, Safety and Wellbeing
- Safeguarding

Training and Development

- First aid training
- Skills for supervisors training program

Student Engagement

- Regular class visits allowing the NCLSA to raise awareness of the support and activity being carried out by the SA
- Regular feedback sessions are held, gaining vital thoughts on key topics and overall student experience
- Feedback Fridays

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