

2020 Student Leader Application Form

The Student Leader Volunteer Programme is designed to introduce an immediate support network for first year students and is designed to help students settle into college life by providing guidance and advice through the support of a Student Leader. The role of a Leader is considered a key partnership in fostering the first year student experience.

With such a diverse student population on campus, NCI is seeking to recruit diverse students, with a mix of backgrounds, disciplines, personalities and interests. Student Leaders must be registered and returning full-time undergraduate students in their 2nd, 3rd, or 4th year of study in the 2020-2021 academic year who:

- Generally have a well-rounded approach
- Can talk and listen to the needs of all students
- Demonstrate understanding and tact when required
- Can refer students to the appropriate support services in the College

*Due to the on campus support requirement of this role, repeat Students or Students completing a work placement year will NOT be eligible to apply.

Benefits

- Unique voluntary opportunity to develop your leadership and organisation skills
- Opportunity to make a contribution to the college community
- Increase professional employability
- Enjoy a fun experience and make new friends
- Receive a special recognition award and a reference from Student Support
- Participate in training programs

Applicants will be contacted in early April to begin the interview and selection process. Student Leaders participate in formal training to equip them for their role.

Due to the on campus support requirement of this role, students that are not in College for the full academic year will NOT be eligible to apply.

| Responsibility | Description | Time Commitment |
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| Training | To attend Student Leader volunteer training covering an overview of Mentoring and Orientation. | 2 nd or 3 rd September (TBC) |
| Orientation | Be available to volunteer during Orientation as part of your role as Student Leader. This is the first time you will meet your group of students and induct them into NCI. | 7 th -11 th September |
| Meetings | To attend three group communication and feedback meetings organised by the Student Experience Co-ordinator to address issues raised by students | Ongoing |
| Communication | To communicate via different media to students. | Ongoing |

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| Face to Face | To co-ordinate mentor and mentee meetings | Ongoing |
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First Name: [Click here to enter text.](#)

Surname: [Click here to enter text.](#)

Address: [Click here to enter text.](#)

Course: [Click here to enter text.](#)

Year of course entering in 2020-2021*: [Click here to enter text.](#)

Student number: [Click here to enter text.](#)

Student email: [Click here to enter text.](#)

Home or personal email: [Click here to enter text.](#)

Mobile number: [Click here to enter text.](#)

Date of Birth: [Click here to enter text.](#)

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1) Why do you want to be a Student Leader?

2) What skills or attributes do you have to equip you for the role of a Student Leader?

3) Do you have experience that demonstrates commitment to helping others or leading groups of people? i.e. Club or Society, Volunteering, or School Prefect.

4) What would you tell your first-year self?

5) What does it mean to you to be a leader?

I, the undersigned, declare that if selected I will fulfil all Student Leader Volunteer Programme responsibilities and time commitment

Signature: (double click the X to sign digitally)

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return form to orientation@ncirl.ie