

NATIONAL CADET CORPS (NCC)

The National Cadet Corps is an Indian Military Cadet Corps with its Headquarters at New Delhi, India. It is opened to school and college students on voluntary basis. NCC is Tri-service Organization, comprising the Army, Navy and Air Force engaged in grooming the youth of the country into disciplined and patriotic citizens. The NCC in India was formed with the National Cadet Corps Act of 1948. A committee headed by Pandit Hraday Nath Kunjru recommended a cadet organization to be established in schools and colleges at a national level. The NCC Act was accepted by the Governor General and on 15 July 1948 the National Cadet Corps came into existence.

After 1965 and 1971 Wars NCC syllabus was revised. Rather than just being second line of defence, NCC syllabus laid greater stress on developing quality of leadership and officer like qualities.

FLAG OF NCC: In 1954the existing tricolor flag was introduced. The three colours in the flag depict the three services in the Corps, Red for Army, Deep Blue for Navy and Light Blue for Air Force. The NCC letters and the crest in gold in the middle of the flag encircled by a wreath of lotus, give the flag a colourful look and a distinct identity. Each lotus represents one NCC Directorate (Dte). The two dots represents Officer Traing Academy's in India they are at Kamptee, Maharashtra, Nagapur and other at Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh.

AIMS OF NCC:

- 1) To develop character, comradeship, discipline, leadership, secular outlook, spirit of adventure and the ideas of selfless service amongst the youth of the country.
- 2) To create 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.

MOTTO OF NCC:

"UNITY AND DISCIPLINE"

DIVISIONS OF CORPS:

- 1) The Senior Division (SD): The recruitment to senior division is from male students of the university.
- 2) The Girls Division (SW): The recruitment to senior division is from female students of the university.

CENTRAL ADVISERY COMMITTEE:

Central government may for the purpose of advising it, on all matters of policy connected with constitution and administrations of the crops appoint a central advisory committee comprising of the following persons.

- a) The Minister of defence who shall be the chairman of the committee.
- b) The Secretary to the Government of India, ministry of Defence, Ex-officier.
- c) The Secretary to the Government of India, ministry of Education, Ex-officier.
- d) The Financial Adviser, Defence, Ex-officier.
- e) The Chief of Army Staff and Commander in chief, Indian Army, Ex-officier.
- f) The Chief of Naval Staff and Commander in chief, Indian Navy, Ex-officier.
- g) The Chief of Air Staff and Commander in chief, Indian Air force, Ex-officier.
- h) Five non-official members to be nominated by Central Government.

CARDINALS OF NCC DISCIPLINE:

- 1) Obey with Smile.
- 2) Be Punctual.
- 3) Work hard with Fuss.
- 4) Make no excuses and tell no lies.

WHO CAN JOIN NCC AT COLLEGE LEVEL:

- 1) Any Boy or Girl having age between 16 to 24.
- 2) Having Good bearing and physical fitness.

NCC officers' qualities are bound by certain guidelines, which restricts the behavior of an officer. Earl Chetwode says "The honour, welfare and safety of your country comes first, The honour, welfare and safety of the men you command comes next and your own honour, welfare and safety comes last, always and every time" by keeping all these words in mind all NCC activities will run.

We teach NCC cadets about some of the following qualities, he should posses. Good bearing, Decisiveness, Enthusiasm, imitativeness, justice, loyalty, truthfulness, self confidence etc. Our aim is to build up the cadet who should do the following things.

- 1) Always be courteous towards superiors.
- 2) Be loyal with other cadets.
- 3) Always wish all well, saluting should be proper and alert.
- 4) Always use polite language when speaking to subordinates.
- 5) Always be cheerful and careful in your work.
- 6) Always be smartly dressed and cheerful.
- 7) Always introduce subordinate to a superior / male to ladies.
- 8) Accept responsibilities.
- 9) Always Aim higher.
- 10) Make sound and timely Decisions.
- 11) Never slouch in saluting / working.
- 12) Be cheerful but do not be loud in behavior.
- 13) Do not get intoxicated.
- 14) Never criticize any one behind his back.
- 15) Always thank the hostess for invitations.

NCC IN G.K.G. COLLEGE:

In Gopal Krishna Gokhale College, the NCC sub-unit is established in the year 1960. After the China-Indian war in 1962, government of India made the NCC training compulsory to allthe students of the college, up to intermediate level. The Battalion Commander, Officers, training staff, cadets and college Principal who form and complete this chain. This patternof compulsory NCC was run only for five years, which is from 1962 to 1967. Our five Officers with 200 cadets each were involved in this activity for these five years.

Due to financial and other unavoidable reasons the scheme of compulsory NCC was shifted to voluntary base. In1968 we have enrolled 409 cadets for NCC as per schedule, dividing into two companies. During the first term of 1968 our boys were connected with the 37 Mah Bn. But in the second term they were transferred to the 5 Mah Bn NCC. Our boys comprised of 132 arts, 129 commerce and 109 science students making a total of 370 with 49 girls' cadets.

Again due to increase in the number of colleges and demand of NCC from other colleges, our strength was reduced to 56 cadets with one officer.

Honorable Secretary, Prof. Jaykumar M. Desai and the Principal have been taking keen interest for the progress of our college NCC subunit. With their enthusiasm, encouragement and support, we march ahead with enthusiasm and discipline. He is the light-house to our cadets.

At present Capt. Dr. A. N. Basugade is working as a Associate NCC Officer, under his leadership 56 cadets (31 boys & 25 girls) are taking part in all the NCC activities.

As per the rules and regulations of NCC Act, the NCC activities are performed in the college by ANO with his committee members under the able guidance of Honorable Prof. Jaykumar M. Desai, Secretary, Shikshan Prasark Mandal, Kolhapur and the Commanding officer, 56 Maharashtra Battalion NCC, Kolhapur.

OUR NCC OFFICERS:

Sr. No.	Name of NCC Officer
1.	Maj. A. S. Jadhav
2.	Capt. J. M. Desai
3.	Capt. P. V. Chavan
4.	Capt. A. D. Jadhav
5.	Lt. V. D. Khatri
6.	Lt. V. D. Khatamble
7.	Lt. P. U. Kulkarni
8.	Lt. V. A. Joshi
9.	Lt. B. K. Dongare
10.	Lt. T. G. Naik
11.	Lt. V. M. Desai
12.	Lt. Mrs. S. V. Desai
13.	Lt. M. U. Jamadar
14.	Capt. P. N. Bhosale
15.	Capt. Dr. A. N. Basugade

NCC WORKING COMMITTEE:

Sr.	Name of Committee Member	Position Held
No.		
1.	Capt. Dr. A. N. Basugade	ANO
2.	Prof. Mrs. Y. A. Patil	Member
3.	Prof. R. H. Patil	Member

OUR PRIDE

Regt. No.	Name of Cadet	Achievements
MAH/SD/04/190518	Sgt. Mohite Swapnil Vilas	Selected as Army Officer (2013)
MAH/SD/91/190489	Sgt. Mangore A. B.	Rakshamantri Medal BLC (1995) Silver Medal in Firing (1995)
MAH/SD/92/190501	SUO Bate Ganesh K	1) State level Karate Champion
		 2) 1st in Solo song & IInd in Folk song & Folk dance competition at NIC Gujarat (1995)
MAH/SD/03/190487	Cdt. Mane Vikrant Gopal	Silver Medal in Firing TSC (2004)
MAH/SD/09/190523	Sgt. Toraskar Sohan Ananda	Silver Medal in Map Reading TSC (2011)
	SUO Dandvate Vikas	Selected for SSB Training at IMA Deharadun (2006)
MAH/SD/12/190552	Cdt. Sawant Amit Ashok	The Capt. Jaysing Gorge "A", Jadhav Memorial Prize

SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Regt. No.	Name of Cadet	Scholarship
MAH/SD/03/190491	Cdt. Patil Amol	Sahara Scholarship of
	Sakharam	Rs. 12000/-
MAH/SD/10/190544	JUO Mitake Akshay	CWS Scholarship of
	Dananjay	Rs. 3000/-
MAH/SD/10/190550	Pol Satish Rajshekhar	CWS Scholarship of
		Rs. 3000/-
MAH/SD/06/190508	Sgt. Sakate Atul A.	Chief Minister
		Scholarship of Rs. 2000/-
MAH/SD/07/190524	Sgt. Dongale Tukaram D.	Chief Minister
	Tukaram D.	Scholarship of Rs. 2000/-
MAH/SD/12/190536	SUO Mulla	State Govt.
	Haidrasaheb F.	Scholarship of Rs.
		750/-
MAH/SD/12/190543	Cdt. Patil Swaroop S.	State Govt.
		Scholarship of Rs. 750/-
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MAH/SD/12/190542	Cdt. Patil Sourabh S.	State Govt. Scholarship of Rs.
		750/-
MAH/SD/12/190552	Cdt. Shintre Shubham	State Govt.
	R.	Scholarship of Rs.
		750/-

AWARDS & HONOURS:

Best ANO Award given to Capt. Dr. A. N. Basugade by Brig. P.S. Rana Hon. Gr. Commander, Kolhapur Group in November 2018 on the occasion of NCC Day.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES THAT OUR NCC CADETS PERFORMS:

- 1. Organization of Cycle Expedition.
- 2. Organized Blood Donation Camp.
- 3. Tree Plantation.
- 4. Pulse Polio Programme.
- 5. AIDS Awareness Rally.
- 6. Trekking camp for NCC cadets.
- 7. Lecture on Personality Development.
- 8. Yoga Training Camp.
- 9. Swachhata Abhiyan.
- 10. Celebration of Communal Harmony Day.
- 11. Participation in Voter's Day Rally.
- 12. Cancer Awareness Rally.
- 13. Environment Awareness Programme.
- 14. Save Baby Girl movement.
- 15. Anti Corruption Awareness Programme.