

# Community & Social Action

## Peer Mentoring

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### When does this start and end?

We have 4 different start dates for this course:

- 17 November 2022 - 9 December 2022
- 9 January 2023 - 24 January 2023
- 15 March 2023 - 30 March 2023
- 24 April 2023 - 26 May 2023

### What are the entry requirements?

No formal qualifications are required. However, we do recommend you access one of our Introduction or Exploring entry level courses before you access this course if you have been out of education for some time.

### Need more information?

You can find out more about Northern College and the courses on offer by calling us on 01226 776000 or emailing us [courses@northern.ac.uk](mailto:courses@northern.ac.uk)

## Course description

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This qualification will support you in understanding the role of a mentor and be aware of the skills needed to become an effective mentor.

This includes:

gaining insight into the role and practice of mentorship  
being clear about mentor/mentee relationships  
being aware of the specific skills and understanding you will require in order to mentor.

You will also be introduced to some of the theory and practice of being a mentor.

This course provides professional development for new and existing volunteers and anyone in related community sector employment such as support workers.

## What can this course lead to?

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Other level 1 courses you could go on are:

Interpersonal Skills (Level 1)  
Volunteering (Level 1).

Or you could progress onto:

Peer Mentoring (Level 2).

Possible careers include Mentor, Community Support Worker, Community Worker or Volunteer.

## Want to learn more?

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You can find out more about Northern College and the courses on offer at one of our Open Events [<https://www.northern.ac.uk/about-us/open-events/>]

## Location

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Northern College, Yorkshire [<https://www.northern.ac.uk/contact-us/>]

## Course fees and funding support

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You may be eligible to study for free if you are unemployed, on certain benefits, or earn £18,525 a year or less (£19,305 for residents in West Yorkshire Combined Authority). We can confirm when you apply or contact our Student Support Services team to learn more.

## Course session dates

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Session dates for 17 November 2022 - 9 December 2022

- Thursday 17 Nov 2022 to Friday 18 Nov 2022
- Thursday 24 Nov 2022 to Friday 25 Nov 2022
- Thursday 08 Dec 2022 to Friday 09 Dec 2022

Session dates for 9 January 2023 - 24 January 2023

- Monday 09 Jan 2023 to Tuesday 10 Jan 2023
- Monday 16 Jan 2023 to Tuesday 17 Jan 2023
- Monday 23 Jan 2023 to Tuesday 24 Jan 2023

Session dates for 15 March 2023 - 30 March 2023

- Wednesday 15 Mar 2023 to Thursday 16 Mar 2023
- Wednesday 22 Mar 2023 to Thursday 23 Mar 2023
- Wednesday 29 Mar 2023 to Thursday 30 Mar 2023

Session dates for 24 April 2023 - 26 May 2023

- Monday 24 Apr 2023 to Tuesday 25 Apr 2023
- Monday 08 May 2023 to Tuesday 09 May 2023
- Thursday 25 May 2023 to Friday 26 May 2023

## Course fees and funding support

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FREE\*

\* [This course is fully funded for eligible students.](#)

If you are not eligible, the cost of the course is £0.00. If you choose to stay residentially, and you are not eligible via the residential funding assessment, there will be an additional fee to pay. The vast majority of students are eligible to study and stay residentially for free and we will confirm when you apply.

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