

Award in Cyber Security (Award/Level 1)

Cyber Security is the practice of protecting computer systems from digital attack and it is a growing industry in our modern, digital world. On this course you will learn about the risks posed to computer systems and how those systems can be protected, while also learning about the laws and regulations governing ethical computer use. This course offers a Level 1 Award in Cyber Security.

When does this start and end?

2 October 2025 - 24
October 2025

What are the entry requirements?

No prior knowledge or experience of Cyber Security is required but students will be required to have completed the Next Steps with Computers course, or already have digital skills equivalent to those listed in that course's description. Students will also need to be working at Level 1 or above in Literacy.

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

What can this course lead to?

As well as providing a recognised qualification on the subject, this course could also lead on to the Cyber Security (Level 2) course at the college.

Want to learn more?

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

Course session dates

Session dates for 2 October 2025 - 24 October 2025

- Thursday 02 Oct 2025 to Friday 03 Oct 2025
- Thursday 09 Oct 2025 to Friday 10 Oct 2025
- Thursday 16 Oct 2025 to Friday 17 Oct 2025
- Thursday 23 Oct 2025 to Friday 24 Oct 2025

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