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## **MY EXPERIENCE IN NCC**

I am Sharmita.S, NCC cadet. My personal motivation to join National Cadet Corps [NCC] was the awesome sight of the many Republic Day Parades, Independence Day parades and the inspiring uniformed NCC cadets I witnessed During my childhood. I enquired about the roles played by a NCC cadet in the society, I got motivated by what is thought in NCC and decided my contribution to my country. When I was promoted to 8<sup>th</sup> standard, we had enrollment for NCC in our school. I was really delighted as I was worried, we may not have NCC this year due to the pandemic as it had changed so many things in our lifestyle. So, I was really looking forward to it. I remember the students whipping some frenzy-Some of them said that the certificate is very valuable and it will help us get good jobs/ get into the army, etc. And to join NCC we were given a physical test. And by passing the given physical test, I was selected as a NCC cadet. To be a NCC cadet is like being unique, hardworking, dedicated, punctual and most of all an achiever. It inculcates the attitude of never giving up, makes you optimistic and builds a lot of self-confidence and character. The discipline I learnt at NCC is still being implemented in my daily life. As we all know the Corona has been affecting the whole world, though we started to train up as a NCC cadet by following the Covid-19 protocol. I attended NCC practices and theory classes for few days. A ANO was selected to train the cadets of our school. Here, we were trained in drill, shooting skills, physical fitness, map reading, taught about riffle, salute karna, use of ground and movement, Section formations, Observation, Camouflage and

Concealment, etc. We learnt a lot of things from the ANO which was very informative. And on March 12<sup>th</sup> 2021 we attended a social service activity where Deputy Director General was present in Paradise ground. We were motivated by the speech given the officers. And also, in theory classes we were thought about many things. And after finishing theory classes we were given food. We were given an opportunity to attend virtual yoga sessions during this pandemic. It was a very good session. It changed me from a common person to a special person. NCC has taught me leadership, time management, stress, team work which myself unique. The life as a cadet is one of the best experiences one can ever have as it teaches them life as it is and shows how it is to be an officer in the Indian Armed Forces management. This was my experience in NCC.



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