



### Why should I join the Sea Cadets?

The Sea Cadet Program offers challenging experiences, friendships and adventure! It's an opportunity to expand your own horizons, contribute to your community and make friends for life. Many former cadets credit their participation in the program for giving them a head-start in their career.

#### What are the safety standards in the Sea Cadets?

The safety and well-being of all cadets and other personnel in the Sea Cadets is our top priority. Each of our adult volunteers are required to complete safety courses each year. We strictly follow "two-deep leadership" protocols that ensure that your child is in a safe environment.

#### Is there an attendance policy?

Yes, cadets are required to attend at least 75% of mandatory drills annually in order to remain in good standing.





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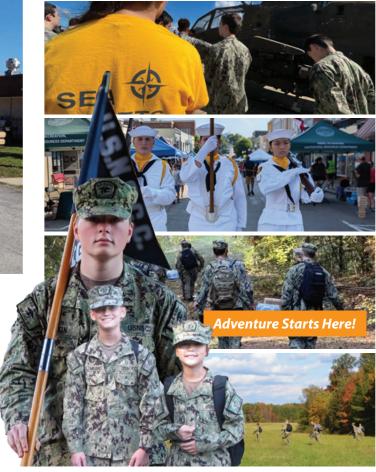
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## Raleigh Battalion

U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps



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# About Us

Raleigh Battalion is the triangle area's unit of the The U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps. Sea Cadets is a youth development program built around our highest values of **Honor**, **Respect**, **Commitment**, and **Service**. It is an official program of the U.S. Navy and Coast Guard for youth ages 10 to 18. Our mission is to build Leaders of Character.



## **Our Programs**

There are two programs that are part of Sea Cadets. The Navy League Cadet Corps (NLCC) is for middle school students, ages 10 to 13. The Naval Sea Cadet Corps (NSCC) is for ages 13 through completion of high school. At each level, cadets are mentored by committed adults and peer leaders.

We offer a wide range of training and educational programs to prepare cadets for success in any career path they may choose. Our programs are designed to help them develop essential life skills, leadership abilities, and teamwork skills, while instilling a strong sense of responsibility and discipline.



## Benefits

Cadets have the privilege of wearing the U.S. Navy uniform with appropriate Sea Cadet insignia. Cadets have absolutely no commitment regarding future military service, but cadets who do decide to enlist may be eligible to enter at an advanced pay grade. Cadet experience also helps individuals become more competitive for commissioning programs.







# Training Opportunities

Raleigh Battalion has monthly drills that take place year-round, either one or two days per month, and sometimes overnight. Drills consist of team-building, physical training activities, close-order military drill, and practical hands-on instruction. This may also involve special off-site activities such as tours of military bases or naval ships.

During summer and winter school breaks, cadets have the opportunity to participate in training events around the country, such as aviation, field and medical training, leadership development, military police science, scuba diving, seamanship, photojournalism and sailing. Cadets train aboard U.S. Navy and Coast Guard ships and can meet Sea Cadets from around the world on the International Exchange Program.

