



**Are you or have you:**

**Filed for bankruptcy:**  Yes  No If yes, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you:**  Single Parent  Return to Labour market  Homeless  Ex-Offender  Refugee  
 Rural area resident

**Do you receive any type of State Benefits?**  No  Yes – please give details and Benefits Office name:

**Employment Status:**

Employed  Self-Employed  Unemployed For How Long? \_\_\_\_\_ Months

**Qualifications:**

None  Basic (NVQ1)  Middle (NVQ2, GCSE, GCE)  Higher (NVQ3/A Level/HND/Degree)  
 Other – Please Specify \_\_\_\_\_

**Business idea:**

Agriculture  Banking and Business services  Construction  Distribution, hotels and related  
 Engineering  Food, drink and tobacco  Health & Education  Manufacturing (Other)  
 Metal and Mineral Products  Mining and related  Professional Services  Public Admin  
 Services (Other)  Textiles & Clothing  Transport & Communications  Utilities (gas, water etc)  
 Other

**Is your proposed business a franchise?**  No  Yes – please give details:

**Is your proposed business a social enterprise?**  No  Yes

Brief description of idea

Why do you want to start your enterprise?



What skills and abilities can you bring to the enterprise? (include details of past employment/ experience/ relevant training received)

What is your proposed service/ product and what is unique about it?

Why will people buy it?

Have you completed or begun writing your business plan?  Yes  No

Are you receiving support from anywhere else?  Yes  No  
(if Yes, please provide details)

Have you received any other grant funding?  Yes  No

When do you anticipate starting a business?

Within 3 months  Within 6 months  Within 9 months  Within 1 year

Other – Please specify \_\_\_\_\_

Planned legal status:

Sole-trader  Partnership  Limited company  Unsure  Other

Potential location of proposed business:

Name of other people involved in the management of the business

List the equipment that you already possess that will be used

List the additional equipment that you require to start



Why do you want to become an NES scholar and why should we support your idea?

How much time, hours per week, are you prepared to dedicate to developing your proposal in partnership with us?

Is finance required to start the business?  Yes  No

How much are your start up costs? £

How much are you investing in the enterprise? £

How much finance will your business need to raise to get started? £

Are you willing to act as a role model for future scholars?  Yes  No

Please include or attach any supporting evidence/documents relevant to your application

How did you hear about the NES programme?

- Newspaper/magazine  Leaflet  Word of Mouth  Prince's Trust  Enterprise Agency  
 Internet  University  Other – Please specify \_\_\_\_\_

In view of the fact that my non-attendance would deny someone else the opportunity of joining this programme, I will agree that if offered a place on the programme I will fully commit to the scholarship, and will attend the whole of the programme. I understand that this form and others completed on the programme may be passed on to programme funders and partners and related Government departments, but that information remains confidential at all times. By signing this application form I agree to this sharing of data amongst partners. I have read, and agree to fully comply with, the HBV Client Charter.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Date of Interview:	
SOA Name:	Ranking:

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