

A Guide to National Children's University™ Certificates

National Awards Structure

Hours gained are cumulative eg to get a Silver Award young people must gain another 35 hours to add to the 30 they already have to make a total of 65 hours. To gain a Gold Award a further 35 hours of learning activity needs to be completed.

Bronze Award Silver Award Gold Award 30 hours in at least Up to 30 hours can be Up to 25 hours can be through continued through continued one activity. participation in any of participation in any the Bronze Award Bronze/Silver Award activities. activities. 5 hours should be 10 hours should be through participation through participation in at least one new in at least one new activity. activity.

Awards then go up in increments - to 1,000 hours of learning (see below) and we ask children to participate in at least 10 hours of 'something new' for each award. Each increment is rewarded with certificates, diplomas and degrees before moving on to postgraduate awards, certificates, diplomas, degrees & then doctorates and fellowships. Each award is presented at a graduation ceremony.

Children aged 5 and 6 must complete at least 5 hours of 'family learning' for each National Award.

