

Retention Programme

This programme will aid students transition to further education. It will provide them with a range of effective tools and techniques to support their development into autonomous learners with a sense of purpose.

Description

An estimated £300 million is wasted each year, due to students leaving their FE/HE courses early.

Prevention is better than cure, therefore to tackle the rising issues of students 'dropping' out of FE and HE, we believe that it is important to identify the root of the problem and strategise a plan for moving forward.

Bridging the Gap
Goal Mapping
Mastering Student Motivation
Exam Busters
Resilience

Content

During this programme, students will:

- Learn how to navigate the transition between KS4 and KS5
- Gain clarity on where their educational journey will take them
- Be provided with the DAC effect: the drive, attitude and confidence to succeed
- Receive an exam toolkit to help them 'bust' through their revision and exams
- Learn how to become a resilient individual and able to adapt to adversity

Features & Benefits

Entering further education presents many challenges for students including: becoming an independent learner, managing workload, gaining a deeper understand of subjects and the pressure of deciding what's next.

Each workshop in this programme has been carefully selected in alignment with the topics which schools have identified as being 'key areas to improve on'.

Students who experience each workshop will benefit from a comprehensive toolkit of techniques to raise standards, encourage focus and raise aspirations to keep them on track and content in further education.

Aims

- To build positive, focused students who understand why they are in further education
- To provide effective, creative and motivational study techniques

Logistics & Dynamics

- Each workshop is 2 hours long
- We deliver 2 x 2 hour workshops per day to 2 different groups of students
- Each workshop can be delivered to up to 150 students (Goal Mapping – up to 100)
- This is a 5 day intervention

“Very good content and the sixth formers learned a lot.”

St Simon Stock Catholic School



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