

Term 1 Coffee Session sheet

Some questions have been clustered around the new Student Futures Manifesto. The Students' Union is working with the University to establish a better understanding of what staff and students think, and what needs to be done.

1. How do you see the relationship working between you and the Student Reps for the year ahead?

Is there anything specifically you are expecting from us this year?
What support can we expect from you for the year ahead?
How often would you envisage us meeting throughout the year?

2. We appreciate that based on University and programme objectives and previous student feedback there will be things that you are working on this year – is there any way that I can support that as a student representative? For instance, by gathering particular feedback.

3. What resources are available to help students understand the knowledge they need to access their course?

What subject-based support and skill building are available to students on the course?
How does the course aim to monitor the impacts of the pandemic on students?

4. What do you feel has worked well about the current induction/re-induction process?

What could be improved?
How are students with additional needs e.g. those with disabilities or caring responsibilities tailored for in the transition and reintegration process?

5. How does the course ensure students have visibility of the teaching and learning methods?

What digital skills do students need to succeed in the course?
How are these skills communicated to students?

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6. **What actions is the Course taking to improve sustainability?**

Are students aware of these elements?

Where could more be done when thinking about course sustainability?

7. **Are the Student Reps aware of any new issues that need to be tackled urgently?**

If so, what are the issues?

What can be done to resolve this?

8. **Are there any examples of positive practice on the course that either the Student Reps or Course Leader would like to discuss?**

What is working well on the course?

Are any staff members going above and beyond and deserving recognition in Staff Celebration*?

* Staff Celebration is an opportunity for the Students' Union to celebrate members of staff who have gone above and beyond, inspired us, and deserve recognition. Nominations can be submitted at bucksstudentsunion.org/yourvoice/staffcelebration