Achieving “successful student status”: an evaluation of ASk support on the ground

“Pre journey check”

Establishing entry behaviour and directing students to Ask workshops for gaining study skills are the equivalent of the pre journey check and regular servicing of a car

Ask workshops in tandem with subject sessions enable students to acquire a “successful student toolkit”:

A high degree of awareness
Good at critical questioning
Adult approach/relationship with staff
Clear and logical thought
Positive attitude
Self confident
Develop own framework on studies
Willing and able to teach themselves
Intelligence

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