Statement on Attendance

Attendance and engagement with your studies

We expect our students to attend and contribute fully to lectures and other teaching events. Student engagement in classes, seminars and practicals is an important part of learning, and contributes to the University community and the learning experience of fellow students on the programme.

Contributing to class, and listening to and reflecting on the contributions of others, is an important way of developing your understanding of the subject, and your communication and interpersonal skills, and provides feedback on your ideas.

The University is committed to excellence in education, and to supporting the progression and achievement of our students. Regular monitoring of student attendance allows the University to identify students who may need guidance or support to help them to succeed in their studies.

Student engagement with their programme of study is primarily measured by attendance, and completion of and performance in assessments, as appropriate.

The University monitors attendance and has Progress Procedures that set out how concerns about students will be followed up. Students whose engagement in their studies, as measured by attendance and/or submission of assessed work, is unsatisfactory will be contacted and offered guidance and support.