

Enhancing Student Engagement, Achievement and Success at Cardiff Met

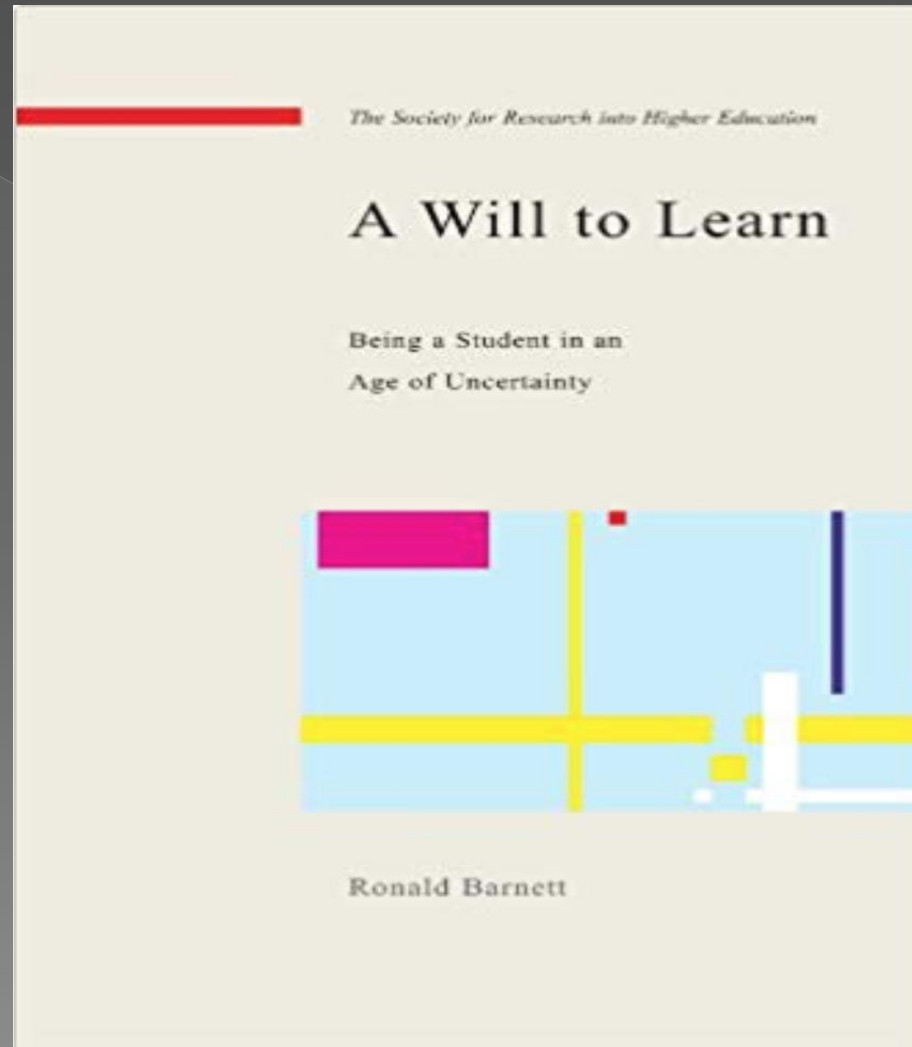
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Students as partners...

Interactions with staff...

Embracing data to support the student journey...

A Will to Learn: Being a Student in an Age of Uncertainty



A Will to Learn

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- Voice: Students ~~versus~~ and Staff
- Engagement: Academic ~~versus~~ and Non-Academic
- U 'n' I: L4: Person; L5: Academic; L6: Employee/Researcher

Voice: Student ~~versus~~ and Staff

- Pedagogical Voice
- Educational Voice
- Ontological Voice
- Epistemological Voice

Pedagogical Voice

- Seminars
- Practicals

Educational Voice

- Autonomy
- Authenticity

Ontological Voice

- Being engaged as a person first, student second
- 'Student Voice Matters' has two meanings

Epistemological Voice

- Intellectual Formation
- Understanding how you know what you know

Engagement: Academic ~~versus~~ and Non-Academic

➤ Will to LEARN

➤ Will to OFFER

U 'n' I: L4: Person; L5: Academic; L6:
Employee/Researcher

- StUdents come first; #UniLife comes first;
- Staff as Facilitator, Instructor, Guide, Critical Friend
- More Knowledgeable Other

U 'n' I: L4: Person

- Life Skills: transitioning from Youth to Adulthood
- People Skills: interacting with others
- HE Skills: 'reading for a degree'

U 'n' I: L5: Academic

- Build on 'good habits' and 'good practice' of L4
- Engage with and challenge course tutors
- Manage the demands of academic rigour



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Problem-Based Learning (PBL) includes getting students to attend the Thursday morning slot. 🤔 Following the Maastricht method of applying PBL - the "seven steps to wisdom" (Maurer & Neuhold, 2012: 7) be like... Take a poll and get the biscuits in. Problem solved. #UniLife 💪



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PBL stands for 'Problem-Based Learning' but can also be read and understood as 'Post-BUCS Lecture'. Tutor-provided hangover cure be like... #StepUp #UniLife #PlayHardWorkHard #StudentExperience #VanWilderKnows #NoExcuses #Resilience #LifelsUncomfortable



U 'n' I: L6: Employee / Researcher

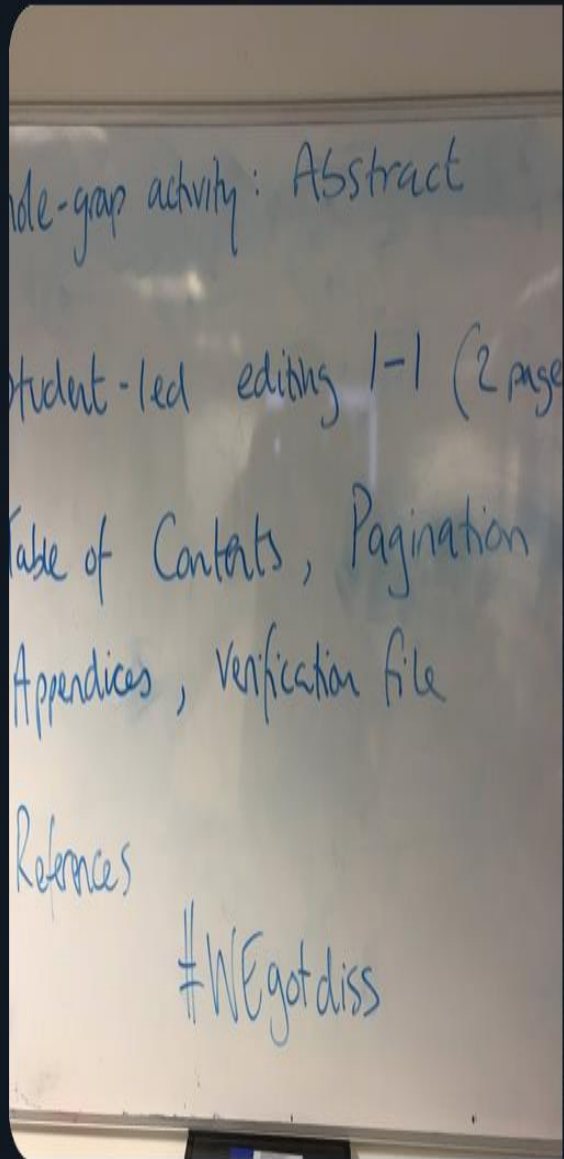
- Raison d'être
- Hone the 'Self'
- Next Step



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Diss students taking care of business. #UniLife #WEgotdiss 🎓🔪



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Student-set agenda and tutor-sourced survival kit. #UniLife #Wegotdiss




Intelligence

“The ability to adapt to change.”

- Academically
- Physically
- Emotionally

LEARNING

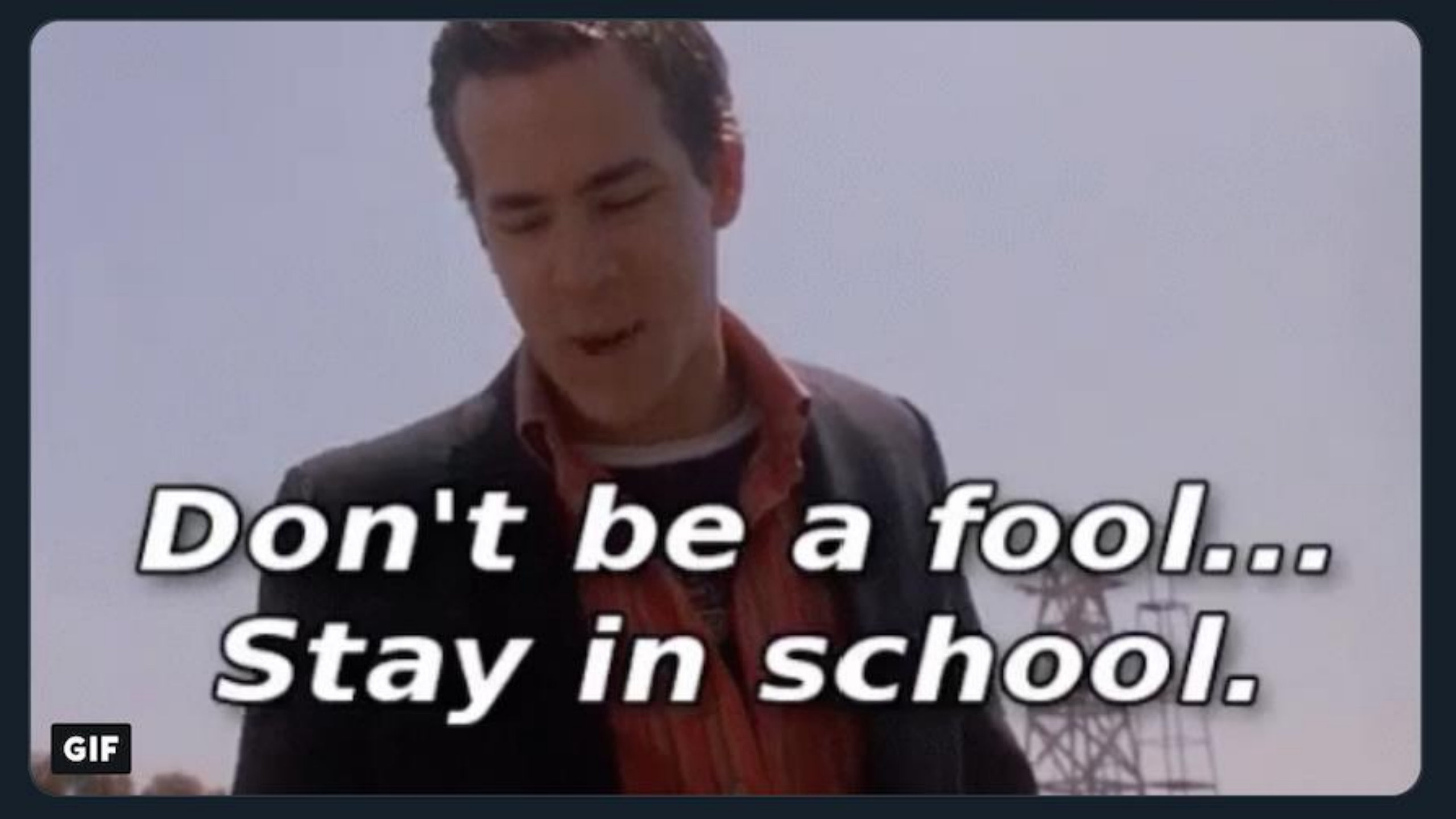
- Assessment for Learning (AfL)
- Needs Analysis  Learning Adjustments
- Flipped / Blended / Distance

TEACHING

- Tutor-led / Student-led sessions
- Guided Independent Study
- Study Groups

EXPERIENCE

- TIME to transition, to develop, to become...
- CONFIDENCE and space to fail
- OPPORTUNITIES to flourish

A man with dark hair, wearing a dark suit jacket over a red collared shirt, is looking down with a serious expression. The background is a light, hazy sky with a faint silhouette of a power line tower on the right.

***Don't be a fool...
Stay in school.***

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