The Student Experience
Student for the day

Objective – To develop a real life understanding of the student experience.
Observations

Cultural differences

Fire alarm testing

Food on campus
Observations

Wifi
Lunchtime sessions
iPads for use in lessons
Different expectations of UK universities
Standard presentations
The Student Journal project
84 participants
8 weeks
595 journal entries
500 words per entry
Fee paid plus bonus
That’s a lot of data!
Recommendations

Earlier encouragement and development of academic study skills:

- Increased referral to library sessions
- Study skills module semester 1
- Pre-entry module

Ensure the student handbook is accessible via a centralised place for all students across all courses
Outcomes

- Project to pilot a pre-entry module
- Creation of a template for VLE modules
- Review of induction