UniSkills provides a wide range of face to face and virtual support designed to help students develop their academic skills and confidence at University and beyond. We support students from undergraduate through to taught postgraduate programmes.

Support is provided by the Student Engagement Team in Library & Learning Services.

Drop Ins

UniSkills Drop Ins are available in Catalyst weekdays 11am-2pm. We also offer UniSkills Drop Ins at Manchester St James every Wednesday 2pm-4pm.

We support students with quick 15 minute academic skills enquiries such as referencing, essay planning and structure, where to look for the best resources and everything in between.

UniSkills Workshops

UniSkills workshops run throughout the year and cover a range of key academic skills including academic resilience, effective exam preparation, finding academic print and digital resources, academic writing, presentation skills (UniSpeaks) and much more.

Workshops and webinars are self-bookable, open to students across all levels of study and they can attend as many as they like.

Virtual Support

Students can access UniSkills support virtually in a number of ways, all of which are available 24/7.

My Library Tab – all students have access to a subject specific My Library tab within their VLE. From here students can access a range of library services and academic skills support such as...

Online Toolkits – 13 digital learning objects on topics such as note-taking, academic writing, critical thinking, time management and proofreading to name a few.

Online Guides – there are over 35 online guides on a range of topics available on the UniSkills webpages from giving your dissertation a professional finish, to using RefWorks or support with your grammar.

Subject Resource Webpages - These pages are dedicated to students' subjects and house the key resources they will need for researching.

UniSkills Webpages – all of this is also available via our UniSkills webpages ehu.ac.uk/uniskills.

1-2-1 Appointments

We offer 1-2-1 appointments on academic writing and information literacy at both Ormskirk and Manchester St James.

All appointments are self-bookable, so students can pick a day/time that suits their availability.

We support students with everything from constructing an essay plan, to finding academic resources, writing critically, referencing, paraphrasing and can even help them decipher valuable feedback. Virtual appointments are also available.

Embedded Classroom Sessions

We offer a range of embedded classroom sessions on the core academic skills of writing, information literacy and referencing.

Academic tutors can book sessions throughout the year and the team will come to your classroom and deliver within your curriculum. There is a booking form available on our Wiki pages (link below) or email us at UniSkills@edgehill.ac.uk

Student Advisors

Our Student Advisors are all current 2nd/3rd year or postgraduate students who provide peer to peer help, support and guidance to other students.

They offer a great variety of subject knowledge from their individual disciplines together with a wealth of experience from studying at Edge Hill, to support other students on their own learning journey.

They primarily support students with getting the most out of their Library; locating and using physical and virtual resources; developing a range of introductory academic skills and signposting to further support where needed.

Students can book a 1-2-1 appointment with a Student Advisor weekdays 11am-4pm.

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