

UniSkills

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

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



Getting Started with UniSkills

GSWU is a pre entry package of support which is offered prior to enrolment at Edge Hill, for both undergraduates and taught postgraduates.

We introduce students to the key academic skills of writing, researching and resilience in a safe and welcoming virtual environment where they can meet their future peers, talk to our friendly and knowledgeable Academic Skills Advisors and learn more about the academic skills support available.

More information and toolkits are available on our [skills prep for Getting Started With UniSkills pages](#).

UniSkills Embedded Sessions

UniSkills can deliver a range of core academic skills from writing, information literacy and referencing within your curriculum.

Academic tutors can book sessions throughout the year, and we will deliver within your curriculum. Access our [embedded menu](#) and complete our booking request form on our [Wiki pages](#).

UniSkills Workshops

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

Workshops are self-bookable via the [UniSkills webpages](#). They are open to students across all levels of study, and students can attend as many as they like.

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1-2-1 Appointments

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

Appointments are available online and in person. They are self-bookable via the [UniSkills webpages](#) 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 actioning feedback.

Virtual Support

Students can access UniSkills support 24/7 in a number of ways:

The [UniSkills Webpages](#) outline all our student facing support. The pages provide access to:

Online Toolkits – on topics such as note-taking, academic writing, critical thinking, referencing, and proofreading.

Online resources – a series of support materials covering a range of topics including planning and structuring assignments, critical reading and writing, paraphrasing, proofreading and much more.

[Subject Resource Webpages](#) - these pages are dedicated to specific subjects and house the key resources students will need for researching.

Student Advisor Support

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

As current students, they bring a wealth of experience from studying at Edge Hill as well as a great variety of subject knowledge from their individual disciplines.

They can support students with getting the most out of the Library's physical and virtual resources and support students to develop a range of introductory academic skills.