**Analysis of Year 11 Feedback – University of Gloucestershire**

**Date of visits** – 15th October 2019

**Cohort** – 50 x Year 11 students

**Purpose** – Participate in University-style workshops on Sport and Business Studies / tour of campus

**Expected Outcomes:**

* Students will actively engage with and be inspired by meeting university students
* Students will develop understanding of entry routes into university and the range of courses/opportunities on offer at a university
* Visit will raise student aspirations and make university a more viable option to an increased number of students

**Pre-visit planning**

* *Form period task delivered to all students attending trip prior to visit to focus on what they will see and do*
* *Students given opportunity to look at the content of the Sport/Business courses prior to visit.*
* *Students asked to prepare three questions to ask during visit*

**Pre-visit Student Survey**

Q1 – Have you visited a University in the UK previously?

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| M5 | M6 | M7 | M8 | Total |
| 8 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 29 (58%) |

Q2 – Do you want to go to a University in the future?

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| M5 | M6 | M7 | M8 | Total |
| 10 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 36 (72%) |

Of the cohort **8 students stated they were unsure** if they wanted to go to University in the future and **6 students stated they did not want to go to** **University** in the future

**Post-visit Student Survey**

Q1 – Did you enjoy your visit to the University of Gloucestershire?

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| M5 | M6 | M7 | M8 | Total |
| 11 | 12 | 10 | 12 | 45 (90%) |

Q2 – Did you enjoy meeting University students on your visit?

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| M5 | M6 | M7 | M8 | Total |
| 12 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 47 (94%) |

Q3 – Did you enjoy the campus tour?

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| M5 | M6 | M7 | M8 | Total |
| 11 | 12 | 10 | 12 | 45 (90%) |

Q4 – Do you have a better understanding of the qualifications needed and entry routes into the University of Gloucestershire?

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| M5 | M6 | M7 | M8 | Total |
| 11 | 9 | 8 | 12 | 40 (80%) |

Q5 – Do you have a better understanding of the range of courses on offer at the University of Gloucestershire?

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| M5 | M6 | M7 | M8 | Total |
| 11 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 42 (84%) |

Q6 – Do you have a better understanding of course fees and the costs associated with going to a University?

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| M5 | M6 | M7 | M8 | Total |
| 11 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 44 (88%) |

Q7 – Do you have a better understanding of the types of support you can access to help you apply to a University?

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| M5 | M6 | M7 | M8 | Total |
| 11 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 42 (84%) |

Q8 – Do you want to go to University in the future?

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| M5 | M6 | M7 | M8 | Total |
| 10 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 39 (78%) |

**Overall impact - 6% increase in the number of students who want to go to University. Of the students who did not reply ‘yes’, only 4 students stated they did not want to attend while the other 7 students were ‘unsure’.**

**Student responses to the challenge of listing three new things they learned about life at a University after completing the visit:**

* *‘The campus is a safe environment’*
* *‘There are many places on the campus to work independently’*
* *‘There is a lot of different support for students’*
* *‘There are opportunities to listen to lectures even if you cant attend them’*
* *‘You can join many different types of clubs and activities’*
* *‘We learned about how to gain entry into a university’*
* *‘There are many different courses available on a wide range’*
* *‘Student fees are not as expensive as I thought’*
* *‘Going to University can lead to a better future’*
* *‘Universities have many different partnerships with employers and businesses’*
* *‘If you go to university you need to work hard and focus on your goals’*
* *‘There are many chances to learn different languages’*
* *‘You get lots of support with sorting out your finances’*
* *‘I learned about how to prepare years in advance to go to University’*
* *‘There are hundreds of different courses available to study’.*
* *‘They teach you how to become independent’*

**Feedback from University of Gloucestershire**

* *‘Excellent behaviour displayed by all students’*
* *‘Probing questions asked by a significant number of students’*
* *‘Students displayed a real interest in finding out about life and opportunities at university’*
* *‘Students engaged very well with University Ambassador teams’*

**EBI - What will we do differently next time?**

* Improve post-visit feedback from students to help them to reflect on visit a few days afterwards rather than completing a snap-shot survey at the end of the day.