

ASSESSMENT FEEDBACK



AF 1 Provide accessible feedback.

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Lecturer / Teacher Focused (LT)

- LT1 Explain the principles underpinning how you give feedback and why your approach is good.
- LT2 Agree the most appropriate form(s) for feedback for specific tasks.
- LT3 Ensure there is time for feedback in each taught session and identify it as feedback.
- LT4 Ensure feedback is specific and focused on how to improve.
- LT5 Ensure feedback contains reference to what the student has done well prior to elaborating on what needs improvement (address “is anything I did okay?”).
- LT6 Ensure feedback relates directly to the assessment criteria but also gestures to beyond the module.
- LT7 Ensure feedback focuses on the most important areas to address and not the minutiae.
- LT8 Ensure feedback is realistic in expectations (student has sufficient knowledge to be able to use feedback effectively).
- LT9 Provide links to where further information can be found to support development of ideas.
- LT10 Give detailed feedback on key sections of text so that students can learn to address this throughout their work without you doing the whole thing for them.
- LT11 Do not give feedback on full drafts and use comment boxes judiciously.
- LT12 If a student has failed an assignment summarise succinctly what the key things are that they must address in order to achieve a pass.

Student Focused (S)

- S1 Get students to ask three focused feedback questions when submitting formative work and address these specifically.
- S2 Ask students to commit to what they want feedback on with Masters and PhD work.
- S3 Get students to do something with the feedback to check their understanding of it, and their ability to use it within and beyond a module.
- S4 Get students to diagnose where their problem lies (e.g. lack of knowledge; lack of understanding of feedback; effort; lack of awareness of resources; misunderstanding of requirements etc.).

Programme / Director Questions (PD)

- PD1 Do you have agreed principles of effective feedback underpinning all programmes?
- PD2 How are you ensuring consistency in approaches to the giving of feedback?
- PD 3 Is your strategy for implementing University strategy at the Faculty level clear to all?
- PD 4 How are you evaluating the effectiveness and efficiency of feedback mechanisms?
- PD5 Is time built into workload models for training to ensure shared understandings of what the base line of quality is for giving feedback and for agreeing what constitutes good?