

University Teaching: Core Skills

Developed under the guidance of a panel of international experts and institutions, this flexible and practical teaching toolkit builds understanding of current scholarship, best practices, and professional values.



Build competence and confidence

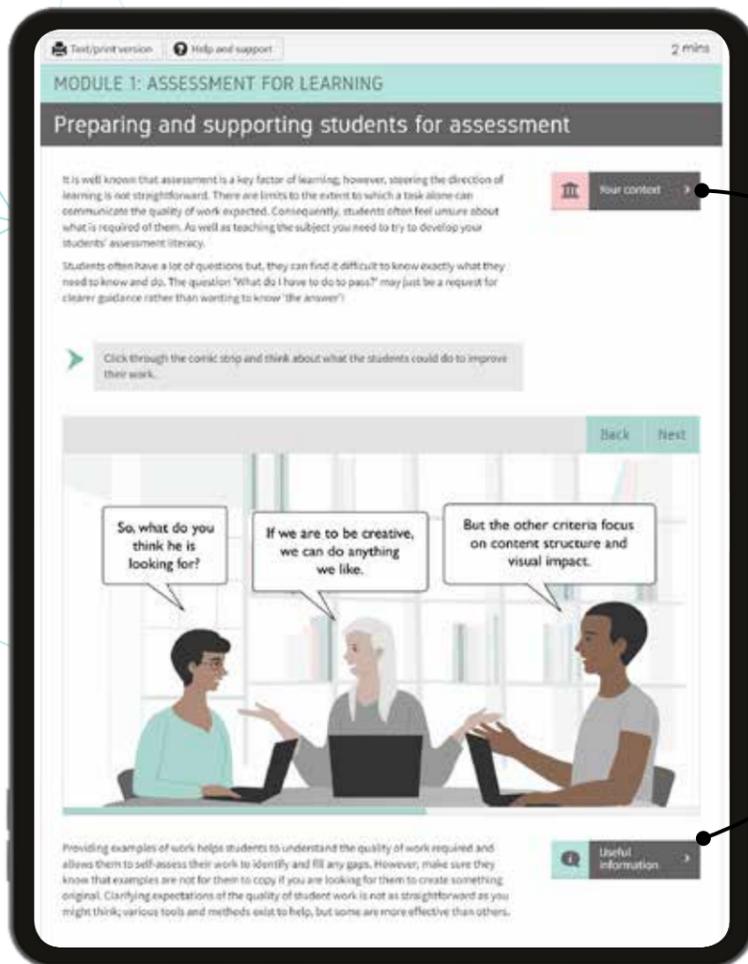
University Teaching: Core Skills ensures that new, early career, and part-time teaching and learning support staff have access to consistent, comprehensive training:

- Demonstrate a commitment to enhancing teaching quality in online, blended, and face-to-face environments via a forward-thinking online programme with a focus on meaningful self-evaluation and reflection
- Provide practical guidance on designing and implementing appropriate planning, teaching, and assessment methods, embracing new technologies and innovations, and navigating non-academic responsibilities
- Explore growing trends such as working with students as partners, student wellbeing, employability, and online and blended learning, through examples of best practices, interviews, and scenario-based activities



Downloadable portfolio activities provide opportunities to evidence reflection and progress

Authentic and relatable peer testimonials bring theory to life



Interactive pods introduce additional information, links, and resources



Strand	Modules
Introduction: Your role in university teaching and learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thinking about teaching • The higher education context • Your training needs
Planning and preparing learning activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to key principles • Planning and contextualising • Approaches to active learning • Active learning for online or blended delivery • Developing learning resources
Teaching and supporting learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engaging and motivating learners • Group work that works • Laboratory and practical settings • Environments outside of the university
Assessment and feedback	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment for learning • Feedback • Marking and grading
Addressing barriers to student success	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Including all students • Supporting students' wellbeing • Looking after yourself and looking out for others
Reviewing your teaching	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluating your teaching • Rethinking and redesigning • Milestones and pathways for professional development

Support staff in achieving professional accreditation

To fully meet your training needs, two versions of *University Teaching: Core Skills* are available for subscription: a universal version, and a version mapped to the PSF.

Featuring a diagnostic tool and modules that are clearly linked to the PSF, the programme is ideal for teaching and learning support staff applying for Associate Fellowship with Advance HE.

Advance HE acted as a consultant in the development of *University Teaching: Core Skills*, conducting thorough reviews, providing expert guidance to ensure best practices, and approving the resources as accurately aligned with Descriptor 1 of the Professional Standards Framework (PSF).



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