



YOUR SUCCESS

BABM00 - Student Success Skills



Who are You?



Looking forward to Graduation





WHO IS A STUDENT?

- Access to a better career
- Being a better human being



College Life



Diverse Backgrounds

College students come from various ethnic, cultural, and socioeconomic backgrounds.



Higher Education

They seek knowledge, skills, and qualifications through degree programs.



Active learners

College students engage in discussions, research, and practical experiences.



Independence

Balancing academics and a personal life



Role Of The College



- ✔ Provide a safe space
- ✔ Provide resources and tools to learn
- ✔ Fairness
- ✔ Support you to understand Malta and the Maltese culture
- ✔ Help you resolve issues



Your Role as A Student

Attending Lectures

Make sure that you attend lectures regularly

Engage

Take notes, participate and ask questions



Your Role as A Student

Be On Time

Submit tasks and assignments on time

Respect

Respect superiors, staff and students all the time



What should you know?

The Basics

- Programme and structure
- Timetable
- Lecturers
- Academic officer

Academic

- Writing assignments
- Doing presentations
- Study and research
- Using technology



The Policies

Outlook

The college gives you access to MS Outlook and will ONLY write to you using the latter.

Moodle

Check your Moodle for the content related to your lectures

Attendance Policy

80% attendance per module is compulsory.

Academic Malpractice

1. Using AI tools
2. Cheating during examinations

Harassment and Bullying Policy

1. Consent is key
2. Learn to say NO
3. If you hear no, walk away.



Culture Shock [The 4 Stages of Adaptation]



Share

CULTURE SHOCK



Watch on  YouTube



Two Truths, One Lie

Each student prepares three statements about themselves. Only two statements should be true. Each student can take turns sharing their statements. Team members can guess which statement is the lie. This game can help team members learn more about each other.

College Etiquette



What is acceptable or not?



Quality of behaviour we expect within the college



Covers unspoken but expected things



Global dexterity



Essential Habits for Students



Academic Habits

1. Study Every Day
2. Set Academic Goals



Personal Habits

1. Manage Your Time
2. Healthy Sleep Routine



Social Habits

1. Effective Communication
2. Embrace Diversity



Emotional Habits

1. Practice Gratitude
2. Manage Stress



Digital Habits

1. Balanced Screen Time
2. Stay Safe Online



Financial Habits

1. Budget Wisely
2. Understand Needs vs. Wants

The GCM Etiquette

- **Timeliness:** We follow a more European time. Being late is considered disrespectful.
- **Hygiene:** Cleanliness is very important, especially in closed quarters.
- **Respect:** Respecting people from different nations, creed and orientations is important.
- **Professionalism:** A college is not a gym, bar or your neighbourhood.
- **Attire:** Wearing comfortable, clean and comely attire is important. This is neither a fashion show nor a beach.
- **Show Interest:** Lecturers and staff are more supportive to people who show interest.
- **Be Humble:** Coming across as know it all.
- **Do Your Own Work:** Neither have somebody else do your work nor copy from anybody.
- **Good Use Of AI:** Using AI is normal but copy and pasting is not.
- **Referencing:** Give credit to the original scholars.

Behaviour at the College

Distance

Maintain distance while speaking

Tone

What is the right tone to use at the college?

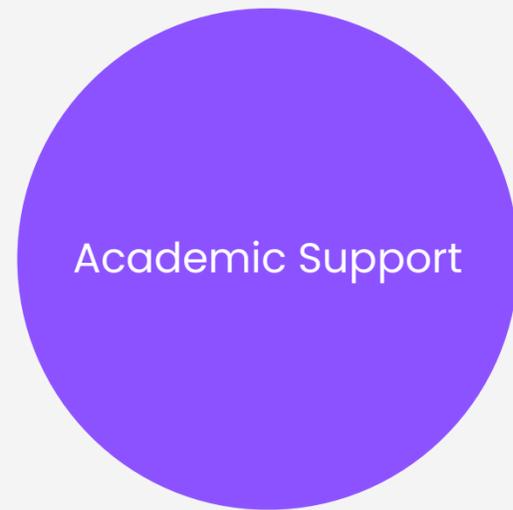
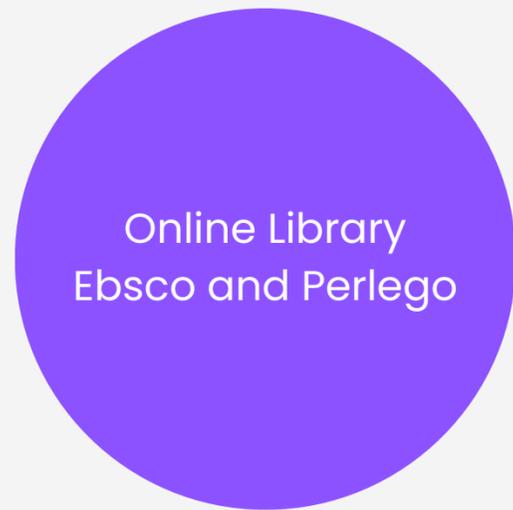
Body

Adequate postures and clothing

Openness

Discrimination will not be tolerated.
Be open to explore different cultures.

Services Offered At The College



How To Win Friends And Influence People

- **Smile**
- **Always begin** with a friendly way
- **Let the other** person save the face
- **Don't criticise**, condemn or complain
- **Give honest** and sincere appreciation
- **Let the other** people do the all talking
- **To get the best** of an argument, avoid it
- **Ask questions** rather than giving orders
- **Show respect** for other people's opinions
- **Always begin** with praise and appreciation
- **Remember** and use the other person's name
- **Become genuinely** interested in other people
- **Talk in terms** of other person's interests
- **When wrong**, admit it quickly and definitively
- **Arouse an eager** want within the other person
- **Be a good listener**. Let others do more talking
- **Go out of your way** to make people feel important
- **Publicly praise** the other person's accomplishments
- **Try to see things** from the other person's point of view

