


RIGHT CHOICE?



Do I love what I
am learning?




Am I
looking
forward to
my work
experience?



Do I look
forward
to my
classes?



Have I made the
right choice for me
and my future?



Does my
course
make me
smile?

‘Right Choice’ Review

As you are aware due to COVID19 we have had to do things differently this year and were unable to hold:

- Transition days in June
- Enrolment days in August

These two occasions provide opportunities for students and parents to talk to staff at the college to gain more information about life at Highlands and about the course they are embarking upon.

Therefore, this year we are allowing for an extended period of adjustment to take place during the first 4 to 6 weeks of the Autumn term to check that:

- Students are on the right course for them
- Tutors to ensure that students are on the correct level of course

During the ‘Right Choice’ review period we will be supporting students to think about the course they are on and make sure they feel certain that this is the course they want to study and commit to for the year. There will be an opportunity for students to:

- Visit another area of the college on Friday 25th September between 1.30pm and 3.30pm to talk to staff and find out more about another course that they feel might be better for them.

Over the first 4-6 weeks tutors will be gathering evidence from the students to support this process. They will be considering:

- Students commitment and attitude toward the course – completion of Summer Task
- Assessed work to ensure that the student has the potential to be successful on their programme.
- Attendance and punctuality to classes whether in college or online – at least 95%

Any decisions to make changes to a course or level will involve students, parents, tutors and other departments in the college that can support your son or daughter to be successful in college. We want all students to have a successful year at college and to do this they must be on a course that is right for them.

Should you have any queries about the above process please do not hesitate to contact me.

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