

Students and their Support

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- Institutions should consistently apply predefined and published regulations covering all phases of the student "life cycle", e.g.:
 - student admission
 - ➢ progression
 - ➢ graduation



- Institution should provide students for progress in academic career:
 - Conditions
 - Support
- Institutions should ensure:
 - fit-for-purpose procedures:
 - admission
 - recognition
 - Completion



Induction to the institution and the programme should be provided

• Student access:

policies
 admission processes
 criteria

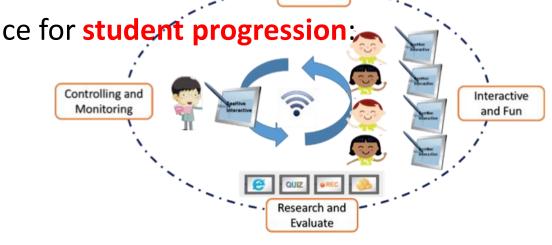
✓ implemented consistently

✓ in a transparent manner



STUDENT INFORMATION SYSTEM

- Institutions have in place for student progression;
 - processes
 - tools to:
 - \checkmark collect
 - ✓ monitor
 - ✓ act



Sharing

Appropriate and fair recognition regulation and procedures in line with the principles of the Lisbon Recognition Convention

ensuring coherent recognition

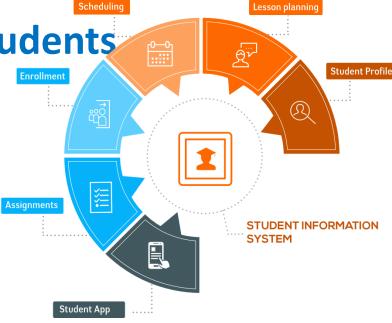
- **Students** should receive documentation •
 - explaining the qualification gained
 - including:
 - > achieved learning outcomes
 - context

- Admission
- **Progression requirements**
- **Student evaluation methods**
- All
 - ≻are clear≻made available



- The institution informs students
 - ➢ for study programmes
 - training programs
 - ➤access conditions
 - ➤evaluation methods
- The institution publishes
 > objectives of each course
 > admission procedures





 Admission requirements and student selection procedures correspond to the standards of the study program

Curriculum ties in with the qualifications of the incoming students



- Information specifically for students with disabilities
- Welcomes and pursues specific policies for absorption and integration of new students
- Establishes separate structures for new students
 - reception
 - information
 - admission



- Mechanisms for student support and advice are established for:
 - >successful accomplishment
 - >continuation of studies
 - >career preparation and success
 - job placement-orientation



- The institution fosters:
 - the students' contribution to quality improvement
 - communication with alumni and the creation of an alumni community
 - information and orientation of students
 - framework for guiding and advising
 - mechanisms relating to student support and advice
 - structure of information and counselling



The institution:

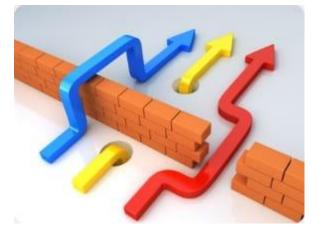
- Owns external communication means
- Owns internal communication means
- staff have internal email addresses
- Holds personal files for each student
 - address (including email address) and phone number
- The institution follows supporting policies for students' progress
 - provides tutorship for students
 - tie in with the needs of students

• The institution:

applies alternative teaching methods depending on its students' interests

>assists and guides students how to find literature

- offers courses to help students in difficulty
- Provides orientation activities



• Institutions ensure implementation of:

➤a student-centred learning and teaching

Sencouraging students to play an active role in creating the learning process

reflected in the student assessment



- Student-centred learning and teaching plays an important role in:
 - stimulating students'motivation
 - self-reflection
 - engagement in the learning process
- > This means:
 - careful consideration for study programmes of the:
 - ➤ design
 - ≻delivery
 - The assessment of outcomes



• The **student-centred learning** and teaching:

➢ respects diversity of students

≻their needs

>enabling flexible learning paths

Considers and uses different modes of delivery

>use variety of pedagogical methods





INSTITUTION:

- Regularly evaluates and adjusts the modes of delivery and pedagogical
- Promotes mutual respect with in the learnerteacher relationship
- Has appropriate procedures for dealing withs tudents'complaints

The Internal quality assurance processes for students assessment

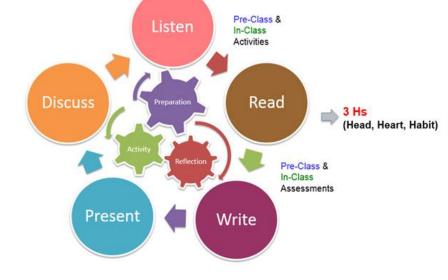
- Assessors are familiar with existing testing and examination methods
- The criteria and method of assessment are published in advance
- The assessment allows students to demonstrate the extent to which the intended learning outcomes have been achieved.
- Students are given feedback
- > assessment is carried out by more tha none examiner
- > Assessment is consistent, fairly applied to all students
- formal procedure for students' appeals is in place and implemented



 The institution ensures inclusiveness of any kind of student admitted



- Learning and teaching take into account:
 - diversity of students
 - their needs
 - flexible learning paths
 - inclusive education context



- students who are not adequately prepared for study at the level
- **INSTITUTION** supports:
 - the use of teaching methods to ensure quality training regardless of student profile
 - research and the implementation of new learning methods
 - to foster interdisciplinary
 - to develop transversal skills

- The institution has transparently implemented
 Secondar equality
 - gender equality
 - equal opportunity and support policy for students with:
 - Dparticular living circumstances
 - disabilities
 - Chronic illnesses
 - □vulnerable groups

policy of support

- students engaging in sports activities
- □ students wishing to pursue part-time studies
- □ Roma students and Balkan Egyptians

The institution has a supportive policy to:

 Dextra-curriculum activities
 Dreward the engagement of students



• The institution:

pursues a policy to facilitate student life



supports students' cultural life

is actively and regularly involved in regional sociocultural initiatives

Supports students who engage in sports activities

