



# Academic Mentoring

Program Overview 2024

*We're here to support students on their academic journey.*

**Academic Mentoring** allows students the opportunity to build and develop their foundational study skills. Each mentor will guide a small group through weekly content that will build their knowledge on a range of strategies and introduce them to tools to better support and equip students for academic success.

Study Week	Focus Topic
Week 1	<p><b>Services, support and trimester planning</b></p> <p>Kick off the new trimester feeling informed and prepared. Explore <b>key services</b> available to all Gold Coast campus students, learn about the importance of <b>goal setting</b> and equip yourselves to create a <b>custom study plan</b> for the trimester ahead.</p> <p><a href="#">Click here</a> to view and register for the Student Guild's upcoming academic workshops.</p>
Week 2	<p><b>How to ace your assignments</b></p> <p>From <b>course profiles</b> to <b>task sheets</b> and <b>rubrics</b>, work through how to read and interpret these documents together. In addition, learn how to <b>strategically note-take</b> in a way that works for you and elevate your <b>academic writing</b> with our practical tips and tricks.</p>
Week 3	<p><b>Perfecting your study practices</b></p> <p>Learn ways to <b>develop effective study skills</b> and create habits that work for you. Make the most of your time as you learn how to master your productivity.</p>
Week 4	<p><b>Making connections and boosting employability</b></p> <p>Stay <b>connected</b> and feel confident <b>accessing services</b> when you need them most. Discuss ways you can stay connected on campus:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ <a href="#">Join/start a club</a></li><li>✓ <a href="#">Play a sport</a></li><li>✓ <a href="#">Check out an event with a friend</a></li><li>✓ <a href="#">Volunteering opportunities</a></li><li>✓ <a href="#">Food assistance</a></li><li>✓ <a href="#">Wellbeing support</a></li></ul> <p>Explore additional job skill courses to <b>build your employability skills</b> to stand out from other applicants.</p> <p>*Build your professional network by connecting with other mentees via LinkedIn (optional).</p>