



In conjunction with Make Happen based at the University of Essex and Made Training will be delivering to our Year 10s and Year 11s a series of one-hour study skill sessions to support them with their mock and GCSE exams.

**Monday 4th October - Study and Recall**

This session will introduce students to the fundamental thinking skills- purpose, prioritising, condensing, revising, memorising, planning.

**Tuesday 12 October - Advanced Note-taking**

This compact and dynamic workshop will show our students how to become active readers and how to apply the Cornell Method for taking efficient and effective notes; a technique that will serve them well as they progress on to higher levels of study.

**Wednesday 20 October - The Write Stuff**

This hour will focus on the power of words, sentences and paragraphs with engaging exercises in short form writing. Building on this, students will learn an effective argument building techniques known as The Bridge that they can apply to their essay writing. Key skills of paraphrasing and quoting and the use of academic language will also be covered to offer a well-rounded guide to getting thoughts and ideas into words.

**Thursday 4 November - Little things add up: Marginal Gains**

In this workshop, students will learn how to identify the factors that influence their academic results and encourage them to make simple changes that can increase their performance and ultimately, achieve the results they deserve.

**Friday 12 November - Goals and Aspirations**

It can be daunting for many to try and pick A level choices, or which career path to follow. Made Training's engaging workshop will help our students clarify their goals and aspirations across a number of areas, helping them to identify their strengths and prioritise their efforts. Within just an hour, MADE will make their ambitions an achievable reality!