



UVT Padlet Feedback and changes from Summer 2023

You said	We did
More guidance needed about linking to Profile Descriptors.	Video in the Mentor Zone .
Encourage trainees to title documents on IDP, especially trainee uploads.	Video on the Mentor Zone . Discussed during the taught course
Guidance tab on DI WDM confusing for trainees, would interim reflection be more meaningful.	Heading on the relevant tab is now 2nd Weekly Development Meeting (<i>Interim Reflection</i>)
Could there be an upload box on the WDM to add resources discussed	There is an upload box WDMs in the DI Phase. The WDM forms have also had a LM comment box added.
Ask trainees to upload the relevant Lesson Plan to the Lesson Observation	The Lesson/Episode Observation Form on the IDP now has an upload box for the lesson plan
More training for mentors to help with trainee transitions.	Mentor comment box has been added to the CP FRAP to support transition. Continuing in phase action plan removed and TSP/CFC action plans will now be used instead where necessary. There is also now 2 weeks between the FRAP deadline and end of placement 1 to allow for any Action Plan to be resolved. This was a focus of discussion during mentor induction
Action plans sometimes a real squeeze due to bank hols and SATs.	In these instances targets can be based on 10 school days rather than 14 calendar days- ask exeterpartner for guidance where needed.
Trainee demotivation when suddenly get an Action Plan.	This should not come out of the blue for a trainee. It is important that the ITEC/mentor can express concerns without feeling the need to wait for the UVT to visit. This is mentioned in mentor training and will also be emphasised in ITEC meetings. Might be useful to establish to what extent trainee is aware of school concerns before discussing with them.
During UVT meetings please can Professional Studies resources on the Mentor Zone be signposted, so schools can be directed if required. Some schools still find this confusing.	The link is here (Practical Support section of Mentor Zone) and there is also information in Section 5.5 of the programme handbook. PRMs to cover in ITEC briefings. Professional Studies being reviewed for 24/25.
Request for paper copy of handbooks.	Will be provided at UVT training.