

## HARTPURY UNIVERSITY SUPPORTING ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT FOR UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP ATHLETES

## Purpose:

At Hartpury, we firmly believe you can achieve academically whilst performing within our sports academies. The aim of this policy is to ensure that all sports scholarship athletes achieve their academic potential. In order to achieve this, all scholarship athletes are required to adhere to the academic regulations and meet the expectations set out in this document.

If these academic expectations are not met, the scholarship athlete's sporting provision for the following week will be reviewed after discussion with the academic staff member and sports academy manager / coach.

Where academy coaches, through their close contact with students, become aware of issues which may impact on academic performance they must inform the academic tutor.

Any concerns will be initiated by the academic member of staff as soon as possible with the relevant academy personnel.

This review could result in:

- Missing competitive fixture(s)
- Missing training
- Missing enrichment
- Missing external representative team training for specific sport
- No case to answer based on extenuating circumstances
- Not able to attend a sports academy tour

\*Further review necessary for injured athletes

## Scholarship Student Academic Expectations

All scholarship students are expected to;

- 1. Meet an 80% present lecture attendance.
- 2. Submit all summative points of assessment at the 1<sup>st</sup> sit assessment opportunity. If specific circumstances preclude this, for example, not being medically fit to study, then students need to follow the appropriate extenuating circumstances procedures detailed in the academic regulations.

- 3. Attend group and individual tutorials with their programme team when scheduled and requested.
- 4. Check Hartpury emails daily to be aware of any key information and changes.
- 5. Communicate regularly with their personal academic tutor.
- 6. Comply with Hartpury's non-academic behaviour policy and meet the requirements of a Hartpury student including the Student Charter.
- 7. Uphold the values of the institution.

Scholarship students are expected to adhere to all academic regulations and are encouraged to check specific regulations related to communication, VLE engagement, extenuating circumstances, assessment offences and fitness to study. The academic regulations can be found here:

https://www.hartpury.ac.uk/about-us/governance-and-policies/policies-regulation-andinformation/

\* N/B THE UNIVERSITY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REVIEW; THIS WILL INCLUDE REVIEWING THE PERFORMANCE OF THE STUDENT OVER THEIR ENTIRE STUDY PROGRAMME.

This policy has been distributed to all academic staff, sports academy managers / coaches and student athletes. It will be implemented to ensure that as an organisation we develop all students both academically and from a sporting perspective.