INSTALL Project for current Second Year Students in NUI Maynooth

The Academic Advisory Office is running a useful programme again this semester, called INSTALL. It will run in the form of a class, 1 hour long, once a week, for 6 weeks, where you will learn to develop the skill of "Learning to Learn". These 6 classes combine to form a training programme where you will develop a "Learning to Learn" competence, which you can apply to your learning throughout your academic journey.

This will not clash with your academic timetable. We will orgnise a suitable time for students to attend as best we can, depending on the timetable of those who sign up. We would very much like to hear from you if you feel that you would benefit from developing your ability to Learn to Learn, to ask about the programme, or to sign up.

Entry Criteria:

As a current Second Year student, you must meet one of the following criteria from (A) and one from (B):

A) Academic Criteria:

- 1. Have passed at least one module by compensation in your First Year
- 2. Failed at least one exam in January or May, repeated it in August and passed (in your first year)
- 3. Self Selecting students who have marks lower than 60% (in your first year) are also welcome

B) Social/Economic Criteria:

- 1. Parents have not been to University
- 2. In receipt of Local Authority grant
- 3. On Access/HEAR/DARE programme
- 4. Work more than 15 hours per week

To find out more, sign up or e-mail:

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You can find us on <u>Facebook</u> or visit the official <u>INSTALL project website</u>.

The Academic Advisory Office is a project partner in the European Union (EU) project "Innovative Solutions to Acquire Learning to Learn" - INSTALL (October 2011 - October 2014). INSTALL project partners are NUI Maynooth, University of Seville, NSPSPA Romania and Federico II University (SINAPSI) as project co-ordinator.

"The INSTALL project promotes inclusive education, equity and social cohension whle preventing university drop-out of students who need support to filfil their educational potential because of disadvantages caused by personal, social, cultural or economic circumstances".