

## Volunteer Officer Report November 2018

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What has been worked on in the past month?

With having our schools first subject committee of the year this month, my main focus was to gather the course reps together to work hard in gathering good quality feedback from the students across the school. Each rep was allocated a personal tutoring session dedicated to gathering positive comments and potential improvements. This was really effective and encouraged great student engagement in putting forward areas for discussion. Something that the school has lacked in previous years. There were many points raised, accompanied by the students own ideas on how they want to see things improved. This especially made the subject committee process more effective and some improvements should hopefully be seen in the near future.

These personal tutoring sessions also provide a time to discuss TEF and gather feedback. All reps seem to show a positive attitude in working with the students to better the Schools results. Furthermore, these sessions run by reps are something we will look to in the future when gathering feedback and benefitting from direct contact with the students.

Successes from the past month and any Reps Wins

The process of forming an academic society is moving forward and I have two enthusiastic first year reps that are working towards its formation. They have great ideas for activities and ways of getting the whole school pushing for a successful Sport Science Society. As previously mentioned, a huge rep win would be the success of having personal tutoring sessions run by course reps to work with the students in gathering feedback and opinions on their experiences in the course. It was good to see the motivation of the reps in pursuing feedback.

Plans for next month:

Next month me and my reps will be working on the module evaluations and really pushing for maximum contribution from the students. We will carry out a number of lecture drop ins and shout outs. I myself will monitor which year and course need motivating to complete their module evaluations and will work with the relative rep to push this. Finally, I will keep working on gathering feedback in relation to the TEF and will complete my evaluation.