

Strengthening partnerships between
leading universities and schools

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Summary

- **1994 Group universities, student experience and progression**
- **Prospective students expectations of university learning**
- **Successful partnerships between schools and 1994 Group universities to support progression to university**

1994 Group universities, student experience and progression partnerships

- **Key features of 1994 Group universities**
 - World class research
 - Research-led teaching
 - High levels of student experience
- **‘Enhancing the student experience’ project**
- **Recommendations on progression and school partnerships**

Student expectations and experience of university

- **Transparent, accurate information about the nature of the student experience**
 - National Student Survey
 - Bestcourse4me
 - Student charters
 - Student expectations of university
(1994 Group / JISC project)

Progression and Widening Participation Partnerships

- **Progression Accords**
- ***Exeter Progression Awards***
The University of Exeter in partnership with Exeter College and 5 secondary schools
- ***Yr 10 Masterclass Programme***
Queen Mary, University of London in partnership with secondary schools in Waltham Forest

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