Engagement of Black students with academic skills provision: why is it important?



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Context Setting

- University of Northampton widening participation university
- Learning Development umbrella term for colleagues engaged in teaching academic skills
- Learning Development at Northampton team of tutors engaged in embedded module teaching, a drop-in service and tutorial provision
- Scholarly focus impact of Learning Development interventions upon students



Research Findings Summary

Tutorial Provision

Award Gap

Access and Participation



Extending the research

Funded Project – Foundation Year Team + Black students

Engagement with Learning Development

Joint Project with the Students Union – Black Advocates Project



Summary

Thank You



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