

Senior Leadership Team

Navigate Staff Quick Guide

Navigate and Ofsted

It is increasingly important that Senior Leadership Teams have access to timely, reliable data related to the college work placement, enrichment and employer engagement programmes. Navigate provides this, allowing all non-qualification activity to be tracked, managed and evidenced through a single platform.

Navigate is more effective than traditional methods for capturing non-qualification data, for example through ILPs, spreadsheets and in-house platforms. It provides an outstanding user experience, which encourages engagement, saves time and captures high quality evidence. The Navigate management reporting suite ensures that SLT can have on-demand access to data which can be segmented and fed directly into college MI systems if required.

The data from Navigate provides detailed evidence required for ILR returns and ensures colleges can successfully meet funding audit requirements. Crucially, the platform provides a central point through which all Ofsted judgements related to the frequency, quality and impact of work placement, enrichment and employer engagement can be evidenced.

How does Navigate help to meet Ofsted inspection judgements?

| Ofsted judgement theme | What evidence does Navigate provide? |
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| Quality of Education | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> That learners gain knowledge and/or skills for the future, including through non-qualification activity. |
| Behaviour and Attitudes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> That learners have positive behaviours and attitudes whilst on work placements. That learners gain valuable employability skills. That high numbers of learners participate in activity that goes 'beyond the basics', for example skills competitions or social action projects. |
| Personal Development | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> That learners are supported to develop their knowledge and skills beyond the purely academic, technical or vocational. That learners receive an effective careers programme that offers advice, experience and contact with employers. That learners participate in a range of quality extra-curricular activities. |

Note: All statements above are taken from the Ofsted [Further Education and Skills Handbook, 2019](#)

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