Teaching Excellence Framework: Year two

Statement of findings

Farnborough College of Technology

UKPRN: 10002412

TEF Bronze

This award was made in June 2017 and is valid for up to three years.

The TEF Panel reviewed the provider metrics and provider submission according to the process and criteria specified in the TEF guidance.

The provider metrics supplemented by the submission indicate that most students achieve good outcomes. The metrics indicate high levels of student satisfaction with assessment and feedback for most students. Both academic support and highly skilled employment for first degree students are significantly below benchmark, and mature students are below benchmark for highly skilled employment or further study. The panel noted the limited statistical significance of the provider's metrics and regarded the evidence in the submission as particularly important in reaching an overall judgement.

The Panel considered the College submission in relation to the TEF criteria and its judgement reflects, in particular, evidence of:

- effective use of assessment and feedback
- an emerging culture of staff engagement with scholarship and research and developments in the involvement of students with scholarship, research and professional practice
- the introduction of an HE Strategy which helps to better align College provision with regional employer needs.

Overall, the TEF Panel judged that the combination of evidence in the provider metrics and the provider submission best fits the descriptor for a Bronze award.

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