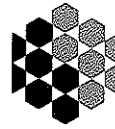


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Dear *Willie*

I recently provided a written response to your Oral Assembly Question, tabled for answer on 5 December: "To ask the Minister for Employment and Learning to outline the range of services offered as part of the Student Plus programme at Queen's University, Belfast." (AQO 903/11-15)

In my response I stated that, "Student Plus is a web based service provided by Queen's University for potential and existing students". However, Queen's University does not consider Student Plus as a programme or a web-based service, but rather it is one of the eight support directorates of the University. I have attached a revised response at Annex A.

I hope this clarifies the role of Queen's University's Student Plus directorate. Please accept my apologies for any confusion caused.

I am copying this letter to the Speaker, the Business office and the Assembly Library.

Yours sincerely,

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**Annex A**

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**Mr Clarke has asked:**

To ask the Minister for Employment and Learning to outline the range of services offered as part of the Student Plus programme at Queen's University, Belfast.

**ANSWER**

Queen's University has advised that Student Plus is a one of the University's eight support directorates and is responsible for seven separate operational functions which involve all aspects of the student journey and student life, beginning with the application and admissions process and culminating in the student graduating with a degree from the University. The seven units which make up the programme are: Marketing; Student Recruitment and Admissions; the Students' Union; Accommodation and Hospitality; Queen's Sport; Culture and Arts; Childcare; and Eventus (events, conferences, ceremonial and timetabling).

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