

WHY BE A MENTOR?

BE THE SUPPORT A STUDENT
NEEDS ON PLACEMENT

BENEFITS?

- GOOD EXPERIENCE
- SATISFACTION
- PROVIDE A DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVE
- MUTUAL GROWTH
- DEVELOPMENT (CONFIDENCE & CAREER)
- LEARN ABOUT STUDENT VIEWS AND EXPERIENCES
- DEVELOPING COACHING TECHNIQUES
- REWARDING TO SEE DEVELOPMENT AND GROWTH
- HELPING STUDENT RETENTION AND GRADUATE RECRUITMENT

"To encourage and support completion of the course"

"The relationship is different without the added pressure of teaching or marking as well"

"A different way looking at things or new ideas".

"Student may feel more comfortable to discuss challenges with a mentor rather than their practice educator"

CHALLENGES?

- COMMITMENT TO TRAINING
- TIME MANAGEMENT
- COMMITMENT TO ROLE
- YOUR OWN MENTAL HEALTH
- ADDED RESPONSIBILITY
- RISK OF STUDENTS FEELING LIKE THEY HAVE TWO EDUCATORS



"Mutual growth & development"