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Book Review:

"How to be a student": 100 great ideas and practical habits for students everywhere

At last, for those who have looked up at the mountain of required texts, who find themselves ground between the upper and nether milestones of college and parental expectations, who sit in the library for hours hoping that something will enter their brains by a process of osmosis, there is hope in this excellent production by Sarah Moore and Maura Murphy of the University of Limerick.

There are books a plenty on "How to Study", but as the title suggests, "How to be a Student" combines the nuts and bolts of study techniques with a refreshing holistic approach to being a student. Insightful, down to earth and leavened with humour, "How to be a student" is as essential as a dictionary, thesaurus and calculator.

I predict it will be thumbed ragged by generations of students and be a revelation to their teachers and parents. Sadly, it arrived thirty years too late for me. Suffice it to say my son "borrowed" my proof copy and promised to return it ... sometime.

Beir bua agus beannacht.
Christy Kenneally.

