What’s in it for me – the Student Perspective

I teach in the law clerk and paralegal programs. In both cases the students pretty much MUST get the degree to be EMPLOYABLE in the field.

For further motivation – the BETTER the GRADES the better the PROSPECTS of finding a Job -it never hurts to let the students know that I am often asked to give references including advising if the student regularly showed up and participated.

Best motivation – being educated and professional increases COMPETENCE – which can help the students AVOID BEING SUED.

Finally, - what is in it for them on a personal consumer level – Every chance I get I ask students to consider HOW WHAT WE ARE LEARNING IMPACTS THEM in the real world– for instance, how does living in a condo compare to living in a freehold town home – what are the benefits and the detriments – What is the WORST and BEST outcomes of each.