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# THE UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER UNDERGRADUATE OPEN DAY

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Saturday 6 October 2012  
10am – 4pm





# WELCOME

Thank you for choosing to attend The University of Manchester’s Undergraduate Open Day. By visiting our campus you will be able to gain a real insight into the student experience and life at The University of Manchester. You will have the opportunity to find out more about the courses you are interested in, meet current students and University staff, as well as attend sessions on key student issues such as accommodation and student finance. We hope you enjoy your visit and take full advantage of the programme we have put together for you.

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The Open Day is based mainly on the Oxford Road campus. Visitors wishing to see the Sackville Street campus can do so by walking to Oxford Road from Piccadilly Station, or by parking in Charles Street Car Park (car park A on the campus map on page 13) and walking to Oxford Road.

### Please Note:

Our Open Days are very popular events which attract a large number of visitors. You do not need to formally register on the day, so you are free to go to your chosen activities as soon as you arrive.

### Planning your day

In order to get the most from your day we recommend that you take time to plan your visit. There is a lot to see and do so we have included a visit planner at the back of this programme to make sure that you don’t miss any of the sessions that you want to attend. There is also a sample planner on our website to get you started, just go to the following link to have a look:  
[www.manchester.ac.uk/undergraduate/open-days/plan](http://www.manchester.ac.uk/undergraduate/open-days/plan)

### STAGE 1

Decide what subject sessions you want to attend – you can attend more than one, so just look at the timetable on pages 2 to 8 to see which ones suit you best. If you are interested in Civil Engineering, History, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering or Medicine, you will need to have pre-booked your place via the online registration form. You can also find out more about your subject by visiting the relevant Subject Exhibition Stand. These are listed in column three of the Subject Sessions on pages 2 to 8. These will be open from 10am – 3.30pm and will provide you with the opportunity to speak with staff and current students on the course.

### STAGE 2

We have general information sessions running throughout the day covering topics such as Careers, Student Finance and Accommodation. Have a look at the full list on page 9 and fit the ones you want to attend around your subject sessions.

### TOP TIP

Campus tours run all day – work these around your subject sessions.

### STAGE 3

Finally we have a variety of Student Experience activities organised such as Campus Tours and Library Tours. We also have a Student Experience Exhibition, which will have information stands on areas from Sport and Student Finance to Accommodation and Study Abroad. For a full list see page 10 and plan these activities around your other sessions.

We do advise that where possible you arrive early to your sessions as some will be very popular, in these cases we may limit admittance to one student and one visitor or students only.

As you make your way through the programme and start to plan your day, you will see that next to the building names/session venues that there is a number in brackets after each one. This indicates the building number as listed on the campus map on pages 13-14 and will help you to navigate around our campus. If you are having any problems on the day in finding a building please ask a member of our Open Day Team dressed in purple, they will be happy to direct you.



### TOP TIP

Most sessions finish ten minutes before the scheduled finish time to allow you time to get to the next session.

SUBJECT	SESSION / TALK INFORMATION	SUBJECT EXHIBITION STAND
Accounting and/ or Finance	Venue: Crawford House (31), Lecture Theatre 1 Session 1: 11am – 12noon Venue: Crawford House (31), Lecture Theatre 2 Session 2: 1pm – 2pm	Manchester Business School Stand Crawford House (31), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm Please note that student-led guided tours of Manchester Business School lasting approximately 15 minutes will take place all day. Tours will leave every 15 minutes from 11am until 3pm from the Manchester Business School Stand in Crawford House Foyer (31).
Aerospace Engineering	Venue: George Begg Building (17) Session 1: 10.05am – 12.30pm Session 2: 12.35pm – 3pm Please meet at at the Mechanical, Aerospace and Civil Engineering Meeting Point outside Schuster Building (54) where you will be met and walked to the pick up point for a short coach trip. Pre booking via the Open Day Registration Form for these sessions is essential. There are limited places available for the School and lab visit due to Health and Safety legislation; therefore we are unable to accommodate visitors who have not booked in advance. Booking closes the week before the Open Day, or when the tour is full.	School of Mechanical, Aerospace and Civil Engineering Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
American Studies	Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A101 Session 1: 10am – 11am Session 2: 1pm – 2pm	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Anatomical Science	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Archaeology	Venue: Manchester Museum (44), Kanaris Theatre Session 1: 10am – 11am Session 2: 1pm – 2pm	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Architecture	Venue: Humanities Bridgeford Street (35), Cordingley Theatre Session 1: 10am – 11am Session 2: 1pm – 2pm As this programme is run jointly with Manchester Metropolitan University (MMU), this session will be conducted as a tour of the facilities at The University of Manchester and MMU.	School of Environment and Development Stand Humanities Bridgeford Street (35), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Art History and Visual Studies	Venue: Manchester Museum (44), Kanaris Theatre Session 1: 11am – 12noon Session 2: 2pm – 3pm Each talk will be followed immediately by an optional tour of the University's Whitworth Art Gallery – maximum 1 hour.	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Audiology	Venue: Alan Turing Building (46), Room G.107 Session 1: 11am – 12noon Session 2: 2pm – 3pm	School of Psychological Sciences Stand Alan Turing Building (46), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Biochemistry	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Biological Sciences with a Foundation Year	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'



# SUBJECT SESSIONS

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Biology	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Biology with Science & Society	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Biomaterials Science and Tissue Engineering	see 'Materials Science and Engineering'	see 'Materials Science and Engineering'
Biomedical Sciences	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Biotechnology	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Business Studies	see 'Economic and Social Studies'	see 'Economic and Social Studies'
Cell Biology	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Chemical Engineering and Analytical Science	Venue: Schuster Building (54), Blackett Theatre Session 1: 12noon – 1pm Session 2: 1.30pm – 2.30pm	School of Chemical Engineering and Analytical Science Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Chemistry	Venue: Chemistry Building (61), Theatre G.51 Session 1: 11am – 12noon Session 2: 2pm – 3pm Flash Bang Demonstration 12.30pm – 1pm Please note that tours of the Chemistry School Laboratories will operate all day, please visit the Stand in the Chemistry Building (61) for tickets. Tours will run from 10am until 3.30pm.	School of Chemistry Stand Chemistry Building (61), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Civil Engineering	Venue: Pariser Building (12) Session 1: 11.05am – 1.30pm Session 2: 1.35pm – 4pm Please meet at the Mechanical, Aerospace and Civil Engineering Meeting Point outside Schuster Building (54) where you will be met and walked to the pick up point for a short coach trip. Pre booking via the Open Day Registration Form for these sessions is essential. There are limited places available for the School and lab visit due to Health and Safety legislation; therefore we are unable to accommodate visitors who have not booked in advance. Booking closes the week before the Open Day, or when the tour is full.	School of Mechanical, Aerospace and Civil Engineering Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Classics and Ancient History	Venue: Mansfield Cooper (65), Lecture Theatre G19 Session 1: 10am – 11am Session 2: 12noon – 1pm Session 3: 2pm – 3pm	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Cognitive Neuroscience & Psychology	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Computer Science	Venue: Kilburn Building (39), Theatre 1.3 Session 1: 11.30am – 1pm Session 2: 1pm – 2.30pm	School of Computer Science Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Criminology	Venue: Manchester Business School East (26), Room B10 Session 1: 11am – 12noon Session 2: 1pm – 2pm	School of Law Stand Manchester Business School East (26), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Dentistry and Oral Health Science	Venue: Roscoe Building (53), Lecture Theatre A Session 1: 2pm - 4pm Admittance to this talk is by ticket only. Tickets are available prior to the talk from a designated stand in the Alan Turing Building (46) foyer. Tickets will be allocated on a first come first served basis and will be limited to one student and one guest. The talk will start promptly at 2pm and late arrivals will not be admitted into the talk.	School of Dentistry and Oral Health Science Stand Alan Turing Building (46), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Development Biology	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Drama	Venue: Martin Harris Centre (42), John Thaw Studio Session 1: 11am – 12noon Session 2: 2.30pm – 3.30pm	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm

## TOP TIP

Don't forget to make time for lunch. There are plenty of outlets around campus that are open all day, so you can have lunch whenever suits you. See page 12 for some of our cafés and restaurants.



SUBJECT	SESSION / TALK INFORMATION	SUBJECT EXHIBITION STAND
Earth Sciences	Venue: Williamson Building (52), Room G.03 Session 1: 10.30am – 11.30am Session 2: 1.30pm – 2.30pm Session 2 will also include information on Planetary Science. The talk includes taster lectures. Please visit the school website for more information: www.seaes.manchester.ac.uk/openday	School of Earth, Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm Please note that current undergraduate students will be available for you to talk to in the Laboratories in Williamson Building (52) from 10am until 3pm
Economic and Social Studies	Venue: Kilburn Building (39), Theatre 1.1 Session 1: 11am – 12noon Session 2: 1pm – 2pm	School of Social Sciences Stand Arthur Lewis Building (36), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Economic History and Economics	see 'History'	see 'History'
Economic Science	Venue: Chemistry Building (61), Theatre G.53 Session 1: 12noon – 1pm Session 2: 2pm – 3pm Please note: For joint programmes see Economic and Social Studies and Social Sciences	School of Social Sciences Stand Arthur Lewis Building (36), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Engineering with a Foundation Year	see 'Integrated Engineering with a Foundation year and Integrated Science with a Foundation year'	see 'Integrated Engineering with a Foundation year and Integrated Science with a Foundation year'
Electrical, Electronic and Mechatronic Engineering	Venue: Schuster Building (54), Blackett Theatre Session 1: 10.30am – 11.30am Session 2: 2.30pm – 3.30pm	School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
English Language	See 'Linguistics and English Language'	see 'Linguistics and English Language'
English Language for Education	Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A7 Session 1: 10am – 11am Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A102 Session 2: 1pm – 2pm	School of Education Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
English Literature	Venue: Crawford House (31), Theatre 1 Session 1: 10am – 11am Venue: Univesity Place (37), Theatre B Session 2: 2.30pm – 3.30pm	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Environmental and Resource Geology	see 'Earth Sciences'	see 'Earth Sciences'
Environmental Management	see 'Planning and Landscape'	see 'Planning and Landscape'
Environmental Sciences	Venue: Williamson Building (52), Room G.03 Session 1: 12noon – 1pm The talk includes taster lectures. Please visit the school website for more information: www.seaes.manchester.ac.uk/openday	School of Earth, Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm Please note that current undergraduate students will be available for you to talk to in the Laboratories in Williamson Building (52) from 10am until 3pm
Foundation in Engineering and Science	see 'Integrated Engineering with a Foundation year and Integrated Science with a Foundation year'	see 'Integrated Engineering with a Foundation year and Integrated Science with a Foundation year'
Genetics	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Geochemistry	see 'Earth Sciences'	see 'Earth Sciences'
Geography	Venue: Humanities Bridgeford Street (35), Cordingley Theatre Session 1: 12noon – 1pm Session 2: 2pm – 3pm	School of Environment and Development Stand Humanities Bridgeford Street (35), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Geology	see 'Earth Sciences'	see 'Earth Sciences'
Geography and Geology	Students interested in this programme should visit members of staff in the Williamson Building (52)	School of Earth, Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm Please note that current undergraduate students will be available for you to talk to in the Laboratories in Williamson Building (52) from 10am until 3pm

# SUBJECT SESSIONS

TOP TIP

Check the programme to see when sessions occur for your subject of interest. You can attend sessions for more than one subject if you want to.



SUBJECT	SESSION / TALK INFORMATION	SUBJECT EXHIBITION STAND
Geology with Planetary Science	see 'Earth Sciences'	see 'Earth Sciences'
Greek and Latin	see 'Classics and Ancient History'	see 'Classics and Ancient History'
History	Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Arts Theatre Session 1: 10am – 11am Session 2: 1pm – 2pm Pre booking via the Open Day Registration Form for these sessions is essential. Booking will close one week before the Open Day or when the sessions become full.	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
International Business, Finance and Economics	Venue: Crawford House (31), Lecture Theatre 2 Session 1: 11am – 12noon Venue: Crawford House (31), Lecture Theatre 1 Session 2: 1pm – 2pm	Manchester Business School Stand Crawford House (31), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm Please note that student-led guided tours of Manchester Business School lasting approximately 15 minutes will take place all day. Tours will leave every 15 minutes from 11am until 3pm from the Manchester Business School Stand in Crawford House Foyer (31).
International Management	see 'Management and International Management'	see 'Management and International Management'
International Management with American Business Studies	see 'Management and International Management'	see 'Management and International Management'
Integrated Engineering with a Foundation year and Integrated Science with a Foundation year	Venue: Schuster Building (54), Moseley Theatre Session 1: 10.15am – 10.45am Session 2: 12.15pm – 12.45pm	Foundation Studies Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Information Technology Management for Business	Venue: Crawford House (31), Lecture Theatre 2 Session 1: 12noon – 1pm Session 2: 2pm – 3pm	Manchester Business School Stand Crawford House (31), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm Please note that student-led guided tours of Manchester Business School lasting approximately 15 minutes will take place all day. Tours will leave every 15 minutes from 11am until 3pm from the Manchester Business School Stand in Crawford House Foyer (31).
Law	Venue: Martin Harris Centre for Music and Drama (42), Cosmo Rodewald Concert Hall Session 1: 10am – 11am Session 2: 12noon – 1pm	School of Law Stand Manchester Business School East (26), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Learning Disability Studies	Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A215 Session 1: 11am – 12noon Session 2: 12noon – 1pm	School of Education Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Life Sciences	Venue: Roscoe Building (53), Theatre A Session 1: 10am – 11.30am Session 2: 12noon – 1.30pm	Faculty of Life Science Stand Alan Turing Building (46), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Linguistics and English Language	Venue: Martin Harris Building (42), John Casken Theatre Session 1: 12noon – 1pm Session 2: 2pm – 3pm	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Management and International Management	Venue: Crawford House (31), Lecture Theatre 1 Session 1: 12noon – 1pm Session 2: 2pm – 3pm Please note: For Business Studies, see Economic and Social Studies.	Manchester Business School Stand Crawford House (31), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm Please note that student-led guided tours of Manchester Business School lasting approximately 15 minutes will take place all day. Tours will leave every 15 minutes from 11am until 3pm from the Manchester Business School Stand in Crawford House Foyer (31).
Management and Leisure	Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A201 Session 1: 11am – 12noon Session 2: 1pm – 2pm	School of Education Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Materials Science and Engineering	Venue: Schuster Building (54), Bragg Theatre Session 1: 10.30am – 11.30am Session 2: 2.30pm - 3.30pm	School of Materials Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm


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Mathematics	Venue: Schuster Building (54), Rutherford Theatre Session 1: 10am – 11am Session 2: 1pm – 2pm	School of Mathematics Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Mechanical Engineering	Venue: George Begg Building (17) Session 1: 10.05am – 12.30pm Session 2: 12.35pm – 3pm Please meet at at the Mechanical, Aerospace and Civil Engineering Meeting Point outside Schuster Building (54) where you will be met and walked to the pick up point for a short coach trip. Pre booking via the Open Day Registration Form for these sessions is essential. There are limited places available for the School and lab visit due to Health and Safety legislation; therefore we are unable to accommodate visitors who have not booked in advance. Booking closes the week before the Open Day, or when the tour is full.	School of Mechanical, Aerospace and Civil Engineering Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Medical Biochemistry	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Medicine (5 Year Course)	Venue: Stopford Building (79), Theatre 1 Session 1: 10.30am – 12noon Session 2: 1.30pm – 3pm Pre booking via the Open Day Registration Form for the Medical sessions is essential. Booking closes the week before the Open Day, or when the session is full.	School of Medicine Stand Alan Turing Building (46), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Midwifery	Venue: Jean McFarlane Building (92), Room G306 A and B Session 1: 10.30am - 11am Session 2: 11.30am - 12noon Session 3: 1.30pm – 2pm	School of Nursing and Midwifery Stand Jean McFarlane Building (92), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Middle Eastern Studies	Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A201 Session 1: 10am – 11am Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A113 Session 2: 12noon – 1pm	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Modern History and Economics	see 'History'	see 'History'
Modern Languages	Modern Languages Talk: Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Arts Theatre Session 1: 12noon – 1pm Session 2: 2pm – 3pm  Integrated Professional Masters in Languages (IPML) Talk: Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A7 Session 1: 1pm – 2pm  Taster Sessions: French: ‘Studying Chanson at University: Edith Piaf, French icon’ Venue : Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A7 Session 1: 12noon – 1pm  Spanish, Portuguese and Latin American Studies: ‘Why Iberian Culture Matters (and Where Does it Lead?)’ Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A112 Session 1: 11am – 12noon  Spanish, Portuguese and Latin American Studies: 'Things you should know about Latin America but would never ask.' Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A7 Session 1: 2pm – 3pm  Italian: ‘Fictions of Italy’ Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A7 Session 1: 11am – 12noon  German: ‘Watch yor language - analysing the language of the Bild Zeitung’ Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A112 Session 1: 2pm – 3pm  Russian: 'Russia Under Western Eyes: Perceptions and Misconceptions' Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A112 Session 1: 10am - 11am	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer Individual subject areas have an exhibition in Samuel Alexander Building (67) rooms A115 and A116 10am – 3.30pm



# SUBJECT SESSIONS

TOP TIP

Decide on your subject sessions first and work the general sessions around these.



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Modern Language and Business and Management	Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A102 Session 1: 12noon – 1pm Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A215 Session 2: 2pm – 3pm	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Molecular Biology	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Music	Venue: Martin Harris Centre (42), Cosmo Rodewald Concert Hall Session 1: 11am – 12.30pm Session 2: 1pm – 2.30pm	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Neuroscience	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Nursing Degree	Venue: Jean McFarlane Building (92), Room G306 A and B Session 1: 10am – 10.30am Session 2: 11am – 11.30am Session 3: 1pm – 1.30pm Session 4: 2pm – 2.30pm Session 5 2.30pm – 3pm	School of Nursing and Midwifery Stand Jean McFarlane Building (92), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Optometry	Venue: University Place (37), Theatre A Session 1: 2pm – 3pm	Faculty of Life Science Stand Alan Turing Building (46), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Oral Health Science	see 'Dentistry'	see 'Dentistry'
Petroleum Engineering	Venue: Williamson Building (52), Room G.03 Session 1: 2.30pm – 3.30pm The talk includes taster lectures. Please visit the school website for more information www.seaes.manchester.ac.uk/openday	School of Earth, Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm Please note that current undergraduate students will be available for you to talk to in the Laboratories in Williamson Building (52) from 10am until 3pm
Pharmacology	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Pharmacy	Venue: Stopford Building (79), Theatre 3 Session 1: 12pm – 1.30pm Session 2: 2pm – 3.30pm	School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences Stand Alan Turing Building (46), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Philosophy	Venue: Chemistry Building (61), Theatre G.53 Session 1: 10am – 11am Session 2: 1pm – 2pm Please note: For joint programmes see Economic and Social Studies and Social Sciences	School of Social Sciences Stand Arthur Lewis Building (36), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Physics and Astronomy	Venue: Schuster Building (54), Rutherford Theatre Session 1: 11am – 12.45pm (includes a 45 minute tour) Session 2: 2pm – 3.45pm (includes a 45 minute tour)	School of Physics and Astronomy Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Physiology	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Planning and Landscape	Venue: Humanities Bridgeford Street (35), Room G6 Session 1: 1pm – 2pm	School of Environment and Development Stand Humanities Bridgeford Street (35), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Plant Science	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'
Politics and International Relations	Venue: Kilburn Building (39), Theatre 1.1 Session 1: 12pm – 1pm Session 2: 2pm – 3pm Please note: For joint programmes see Economic and Social Studies and Social Sciences	School of Social Sciences Stand Arthur Lewis Building (36), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Politics and Modern History	see 'History'	see 'History'
Politics, Philosophy and Economics	Venue: Chemistry Building (61), Theatre G.54 Session 1: 11am – 12pm Session 2: 2pm – 3pm	School of Social Sciences Stand Arthur Lewis Building (36), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm

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Psychology	Venue: Roscoe Building (53), Theatre B Session 1: 10am – 11am Venue: Martin Harris Centre (42), Cosmo Rodewald Concert Hall Session 3: 2.30pm – 3.30pm	School of Psychological Sciences Stand Alan Turing Building (46), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Religions and Theology	Venue: Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A113 Session 1: 11am – 12noon Session 2: 1pm – 2pm	School of Arts, Languages and Cultures Stand Samuel Alexander Building (67), North Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Science with a Foundation Year	see 'Integrated Engineering with a Foundation year and Integrated Science with a Foundation year'	see 'Integrated Engineering with a Foundation year and Integrated Science with a Foundation year'
Social Anthropology	Venue: Arthur Lewis Building (36), The Boardroom Session 1: 11am – 12noon Session 2: 2pm – 3pm Please note: For joint programmes see Economic and Social Studies and Social Sciences	School of Social Sciences Stand Arthur Lewis Building (36), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Social Sciences	Venue: Alan Turing (46), Room G.205 Session 1: 12noon – 1pm Session 2: 3pm – 4pm For Philosophy, Politics, Sociology, Social Anthropology, Criminology combined/joint honours programmes. For single honours see subject talks.	School of Social Sciences Stand Arthur Lewis Building (36), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Sociology	Venue: Humanities Bridgeford Street (35), Room G6 Session 1: 10am – 11am Session 2: 12noon – 1pm Please note: For joint programmes see Economic and Social Studies and Social Sciences	School of Social Sciences Stand Arthur Lewis Building (36), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Speech and Language Therapy	Venue: Alan Turing Building (46), Room G.107 Session 1: 10am – 11am Session 2: 1pm – 2pm	School of Psychological Sciences Stand Alan Turing Building (46), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Textiles	Venue: Schuster Building (54), Moseley Theatre Session 1: 11am – 12noon Session 2: 2pm – 3pm	School of Materials Stand Schuster Building (54), Foyer 10am – 3.30pm
Zoology	see 'Life Sciences'	see 'Life Sciences'





# GENERAL INFORMATION SESSIONS

A series of general information talks have been arranged to tell you about what you can expect as a student at The University of Manchester. Please note that many of the talks below are very popular. Please arrive early to avoid disappointment as lecture theatres cannot be filled beyond capacity for health and safety reasons. Please note for sessions that are very busy we may need to limit these to one student and one guest or to students only.

SESSION TITLE	TOPICS COVERED	TIMES AND LOCATIONS
Introducing Manchester, the University and our Accommodation	A brief introduction to the University and its history, as well as information about the Student Accommodation that the University has to offer.	<b>Venue:</b> University Place (37), Theatre A and B <b>Session 1:</b> 10am – 11am <b>Session 2:</b> 11.30am – 12.30pm <b>Session 3:</b> 1pm – 2pm
Accommodation Panel Session	This session is lead by our Accommodation Office and current students that have lived in one of our Halls of Residences. The session will run as a question and answer panel, allowing you the opportunity to find out about what it is like to live in University Accommodation.	<b>Venue:</b> Mansfield Cooper Building (65), Theatre G20 <b>Session 1:</b> 10am – 10.45am <b>Session 2:</b> 11am – 11.45am <b>Session 3:</b> 12pm – 12.45pm <b>Session 4:</b> 1.30pm – 2.15pm <b>Session 5:</b> 2.30pm – 3.15pm
Admissions Drop-in	Informal drop-in session offering advice and information on UCAS and the University's admissions processes and policies. This session also includes information for international students. Please note, for advice on entry requirements and other course specific questions please visit the relevant school stand, details of which can be found on pages 2 to 8.	<b>Venue:</b> Whitworth Building (51), Committee Room A Drop In Session: 10am – 3pm
Adult Returners to Education	Guidance for applicants who are considering re-entering education. This talk includes the opportunity to hear from a current student who was an adult returner.	<b>Venue:</b> University Place (37), Room 1.219 <b>Session:</b> 10.30am – 11.30am There will also be an informal drop-in session. <b>Venue:</b> Whitworth Building (51), Committee Room B <b>Session:</b> 1.30pm – 3.30pm
Careers	The Careers Service at The University of Manchester is consistently voted the best in the UK by employers. Find out what they can offer students studying at The University of Manchester and discover the destinations of our graduates.	<b>Venue:</b> Martin Harris (42), John Casken Theatre <b>Session 1:</b> 10am – 10.45am <b>Session 2:</b> 11am – 11.45am <b>Session 3:</b> 1pm – 1.45pm
Language Courses to Complement Your Degree	Would you like to continue or start to learn a language alongside your degree? Find out more about University Wide Language Programmes.	<b>Venue:</b> Samuel Alexander Building (67), Room A101 <b>Session 1:</b> 11.15am – 11.45am <b>Session 2:</b> 12.15pm – 12.45pm
Parents' Information Session	This session is lead by a member of staff at the University whose child has recently moved away to university. The presentation will focus on choosing a university, key features of Manchester and issues faced when a child leaves home for university. There is also a Parents' Information Stand in the Student Experience Exhibition in the Whitworth Hall (51).	<b>Venue:</b> Mansfield Cooper Building (65), Room G22 <b>Session 1:</b> 10am – 10.45am <b>Session 2:</b> 11am – 11.45am <b>Session 3:</b> 1pm – 1.45pm <b>Session 4:</b> 2pm – 2.45pm
Realising Opportunities	If you are a Realising Opportunities student from one of our partner universities you are invited to 'drop in' and chat to our staff and students.	<b>Venue:</b> Whitworth Building (51), Committee Room B <b>Session:</b> 11.30am – 1.30pm
Student Finance	A detailed look at the cost of studying at University and the support available including information on The University of Manchester's Financial Support.	<b>Venue:</b> Humanities Bridgeford St (35), Cordingley Theatre <b>Session 1:</b> 11am – 12pm <b>Venue:</b> St Peter's Chaplaincy (32), Theatre <b>Session 2:</b> 1pm – 2pm <b>Venue:</b> Humanities Bridgeford Street (35), Cordingley Theatre <b>Session 3:</b> 3pm – 4pm <b>Student Support Information Stand</b> Whitworth Building (51), Whitworth Hall 10am – 4pm
Study Abroad	An introductory talk about the opportunities to study abroad as part of your Manchester degree programme. Please note that this talk is aimed at non-language degree students.	<b>Venue:</b> Samuel Alexander Building (67), Arts Lecture Theatre <b>Session 1:</b> 11am – 12pm <b>Venue:</b> Schuster Building (54), Bragg Lecture Theatre <b>Session 2:</b> 12.30pm-1.30pm <b>Venue:</b> Martin Harris Centre (42), John Casken Theatre <b>Session 3:</b> 3pm – 4pm <b>Study Abroad Information Stand</b> Whitworth Building (51), Whitworth Hall, 10am – 4pm
Student Life	A presentation by a current student on studying at the University, and life in Manchester.	<b>Venue:</b> St Peter's Chaplaincy (32), Theatre <b>Session 1:</b> 10am – 10.45am <b>Session 2:</b> 11am – 11.45am <b>Session 3:</b> 2.15pm – 3pm
SPORT and FITNESS Manchester	A presentation about the range of opportunities for students to play sport or exercise at The University of Manchester further to studying their degree.	<b>Venue:</b> University Place (37), Room 1.218 <b>Session 1:</b> 12pm – 1pm <b>Session 2:</b> 2pm – 3pm <b>Sport Information Stand</b> Whitworth Building (51), Whitworth Hall, 10am – 4pm

# THE STUDENT EXPERIENCE

At The University of Manchester we are very passionate about providing students with a great Student Experience. Below you will find a list of several of our facilities, some with tours, which will allow the opportunity to explore the campus and get a real feel for what we have to offer our students.



FACILITY / TOUR	DESCRIPTION	TIMES AND LOCATIONS
Campus Tour	Take a guided tour of the main buildings and facilities of the University led by a student ambassador. This is also a great opportunity to find out more about student life at Manchester. All tours will finish at the Students' Union where you can take an optional tour. We anticipate that these tours will be very popular and guests may be required to queue outside at peak times throughout the day.	<b>Venue:</b> Meet at the gazebo on the grass outside University Place (37) and Williamson Building (52) <b>Time:</b> Departing at regular intervals between 10am and 3pm. <b>Duration:</b> 45 minutes
Sports Facilities	The University has three main sports centres providing world class facilities for students. You are welcome to drop in and have a look round anytime during the course of the day. Alternatively come and speak to the SPORT team who will be located in the 'Student Experience Exhibition' to find out how you can make Sport part of your experience at Manchester.	<b>Venues:</b> <b>Sugden Centre (22)</b> located on Grosvenor Street <b>Manchester Aquatics Centre (behind building 26)</b> <b>Armitage Centre</b> in Fallowfield. <b>Times:</b> Feel free to drop in at any time between 10am and 4pm.
The University of Manchester Library	This tour will introduce you to the University Library and give you an idea of the scale of our collections. See the range of learning spaces, quick access IT facilities and one-stop-shop service desk. Explore the building to learn more about our facilities and resources, including group study rooms, computer clusters and book collections. Our new Learning Commons (63) will also be open, please feel free to come in and take a look around this new and exciting space for students.	<b>Venue:</b> The University of Manchester Library Main Entrance (55) <b>Times:</b> 11am, 11.30am, 12pm, 12.30pm, 1pm, 1.30pm, 2pm, 2.30pm, 3pm <b>Duration:</b> 20 minutes Please note that tours are conducted on a first-come-first-served basis.
Manchester Museum	The Manchester Museum offers students Wi-Fi enabled work space, specialist equipment and use of the Museums vast collections. This will be of particular interest to students wishing to study in the School of Arts, Languages and Cultures, and those in the Faculty of Life Sciences.  In addition, the Museum is a great place to entertain younger visitors.	<b>Venue:</b> The Manchester Museum (44) <b>Times:</b> Open 10am – 5pm The Museum is free to enter, so please take the opportunity to enjoy the collections on show
Student Experience Exhibition	The Student Experience Exhibition is where you can pick up information about the University's main student services. This will include the Careers Service, the Student Support Stand (covering student finance), the Accommodation Office, IT Services, Sport, the Library and the Study Abroad Unit. We will also have stands representing our Alumni and Heritage departments, as well as a dedicated Parents' Information stand.	<b>Venue:</b> Whitworth Hall (50) <b>Times:</b> Feel free to drop in at any time between 10am – 4pm
University of Manchester Students' Union	The Union boasts over 250 societies and groups, from Archaeology and Amnesty International to Politics and Panto. It helps to make decisions at the University, ensuring the interests of all students are represented and preserved. So whether you are a budding presenter or producer eager to hone your skills at The Unions' very own state of the art media studio, or a music fan wondering who is headlining the official welcome week party, come along and find out what the largest university students' union in the UK has to offer you.	All campus tours will be ending at The Union where you will be able to take a 15 minute tour of the building and its facilities. See Campus Tours above for times and location. Alternatively just come along and visit to see the facilities for yourself - Students' Union Building (68).
University Heritage Tour	Throughout its history The University of Manchester has been pushing the frontiers of knowledge. Major discoveries and advances, such as the splitting of the atom and the world's first programmable computer, happened on our campus. This tour guides you through some of our oldest and architecturally significant buildings and explores where discoveries that shaped our modern world occurred.	<b>Venue:</b> Meet in the Old Quadrangle near the Whitworth Building (50) <b>Times:</b> 11am, 1pm and 3pm <b>Duration:</b> 40 minutes Spaces on these tours are limited. Prior to the tour you will need to register for a ticket at the Heritage stand in the Student Experience Exhibition, Whitworth Hall (51).



## TOP TIP

Some subject sessions must be booked before the day. These are indicated on the registration form.



# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION



## Travel

### Travelling from Piccadilly Train Station?

For visitors travelling via Piccadilly Train Station, Student Ambassadors will be able to provide you with walking directions to the Oxford Road Campus which takes about 20 minutes. There will also be Student Ambassadors along the route to help direct you.

Alternatively, the University has arranged to operate a bus service (number 147) between Piccadilly Station and Oxford Road Campus. The service is free of charge and will operate at the following times;

### SATURDAY 6 OCTOBER

OUTBOUND: Piccadilly to Brunswick Street

08:30	Every 10 minutes until	11:00
11:30	Every 20 minutes until	14:30

### SATURDAY 6 OCTOBER

RETURN: Brunswick Street to Piccadilly

11:30	Every 20 minutes until	14:50
14:50	Every 10 minutes until	16:30

The bus stop at Piccadilly is located on Fairfield Street, and Student Ambassadors dressed in purple will be able to direct you. The bus stop on the University campus is located on Brunswick Street, and will be clearly signposted.

Due to local traffic and the popularity of the service, please allow 45 minutes for the journey.

A taxi ride from the station will take approximately 15 minutes and cost around £8.00.

### Travelling from Victoria Station?

Victoria Station is approximately 10 minutes walk from Piccadilly Gardens. Here there are frequent bus services to the Oxford Road Campus. Services include the 41,42,43,142 and 143. Alternatively a tram service to Piccadilly Gardens is available from Victoria Station. You can then catch one of the bus services mentioned above.

Taxis are also available outside the station.

### Travelling from Oxford Road Station?

To get to the Oxford Road Campus, go down the station approach to Oxford Road and turn right. The Campus is a 10 to 15 minute walk. Alternatively, you can catch a bus from outside the Palace Hotel to the Oxford Road Campus. Please speak to one of our Student Ambassadors who will be based at Oxford Road Station.

### Travelling by car?

Full details of directions to our campus can be found on our website [www.manchester.ac.uk/aboutus/travel](http://www.manchester.ac.uk/aboutus/travel)

### Parking on campus

There is extremely limited parking on campus, therefore we suggest that where possible visitors use public transport. We cannot guarantee that parking will be available on campus or in the immediate vicinity. The following car parks will be open.

### Saturday 6 October

Limited free parking will be available in:

- Car Park E (accessible from Cecil Street)
- Car park F (accessible from Oxford Road)
- Car park G (accessible from Dover Street)

Limited charged parking will be available in:

- Car Park D (accessible from Booth Street West)
- Car Park B (accessible from Booth Street East)

Please look at the University Campus Map for further details on car park locations.

### In case of emergency

Contact the nearest member of the Open Day Team dressed in green or purple. The telephone number to contact the Open Day organisers on the day will be 0161 275 2212 and there are uniformed staff at the main entrances of most buildings. First Aiders are available on campus and can be contacted via 0161 275 2212 or via University security 0161 306 9966.

In the event of a fire alarm you are requested to vacate the building you are in immediately by the nearest exit. Do not use the lifts and remain outside until informed by a member of staff that you may re-enter.

### Overnight Accommodation

If you are travelling far you might want to consider overnight accommodation in Manchester. The University has its own hotel in Fallowfield, Chancellors ([www.chancellorshotel.co.uk](http://www.chancellorshotel.co.uk)) offering three star accommodation set in five acres of landscaped gardens and is only a short distance away from the University's Oxford Road Campus. Alternatively, please go to [www.visitmanchester.com](http://www.visitmanchester.com) or call 0871 222 8223 for further information.

### Luggage

Large items of luggage can be stored securely within the Whitworth Building (51), in the Whitworth Corridor Committee Room D. Please note, luggage must be collected by 4pm and unfortunately cannot be stored overnight.

### Visitors with disabilities or special requirements

The campus is generally accessible for all those with mobility difficulties, although there are a few areas where problems may occur. The main exhibition in the Whitworth Hall (50) is accessible by a lift in the Christie Building (58).

If you have any additional support needs as a result of a disability, medical condition or specific learning difficulty, we will try to provide you with whatever assistance you require. In advance of the Open Day, please contact 0161 275 2077 or email [openday@manchester.ac.uk](mailto:openday@manchester.ac.uk). On the day, please talk to a member of staff on the Welcome Desks in the Whitworth Building (51) or University Place (37).

### Photography

Please note that on occasion, photographs may be taken and used within University publications. If you would prefer your image not to be used, please make yourself known at the Welcome Desk in the Whitworth Building (51) or University Place (37).

### Enjoy the city

Manchester is a vibrant and exciting city to study and live in. It's only a short walk away from Oxford Road so if you find that you have some spare time at the end of your visit today it is well worth a look.

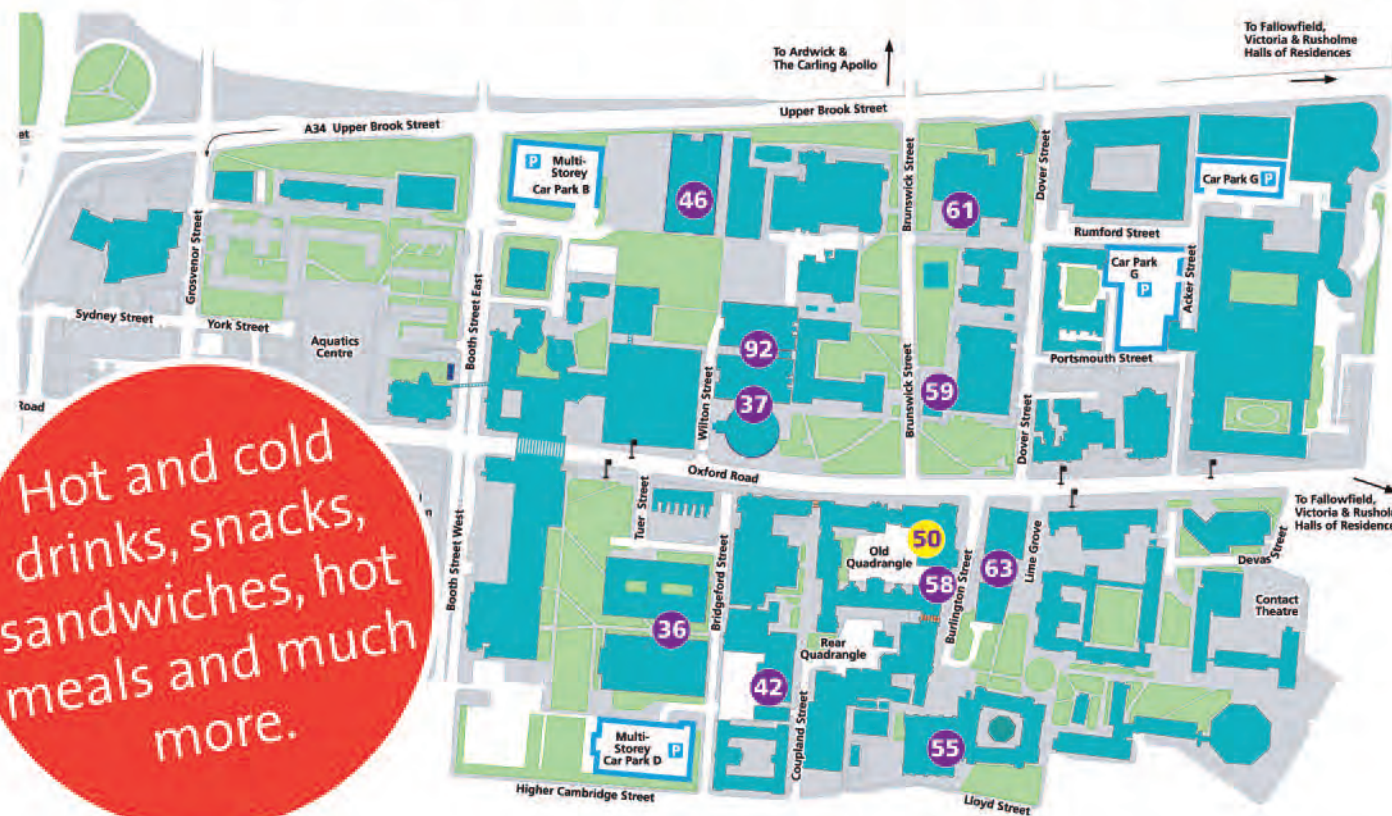
Named the 'shopping capital of the North West' there are high-street shops to individual boutiques that will suit every style and taste. There are also countless restaurants and bars to enjoy and relax in after a busy day.

If you are looking for some culture you could visit one of the many galleries or museums in the city centre, or visit the University's own Manchester Museum (44) or the Whitworth Art Gallery (84), both free to enter.

Whatever your interests, Manchester is certain to have something to suit you. Take a look at [www.visitmanchester.com](http://www.visitmanchester.com) or [www.themanchestertouristboard.com](http://www.themanchestertouristboard.com) to find out what else this great city has to offer and we are sure that you won't be disappointed.

# Food and Drink

The following University catering outlets will be open throughout the day...



Outlet	Building	Opening Times
36 Arthur's Brew	Arthur Lewis	10:00 – 14:30
37 EATS / Shop / Café Eros	University Place	Various times between 08:00 – 16:30
42 Café Eros @ Martin Harris	Martin Harris Centre	10:00 – 14:30
46 Tikki @ Pi	Alan Turing	10:00 – 14:30
50 Open Day Exhibition (Exhibition Stand only)	Whitworth Hall	10:00 – 16:00

Outlet	Building	Opening Times
58 Chancellors at Christie's Bistro	Christie	08:30 – 16:30
59 Potters	Simon	09:30 – 15:00
61 Café 204	Chemistry	10:00 – 14:30
63 Café at the Learning Commons	Alan Gilbert Learning Commons	07:30 – 23:00
92 Atrium	Jean McFarlane	09:00 – 15:00



FOODONCAMPUS

[www.manchester.ac.uk/foodoncampus](http://www.manchester.ac.uk/foodoncampus)



# CAMPUS MAP



26 Manchester Business School East



31 Crawford House



35 Humanities Bridgeford Street



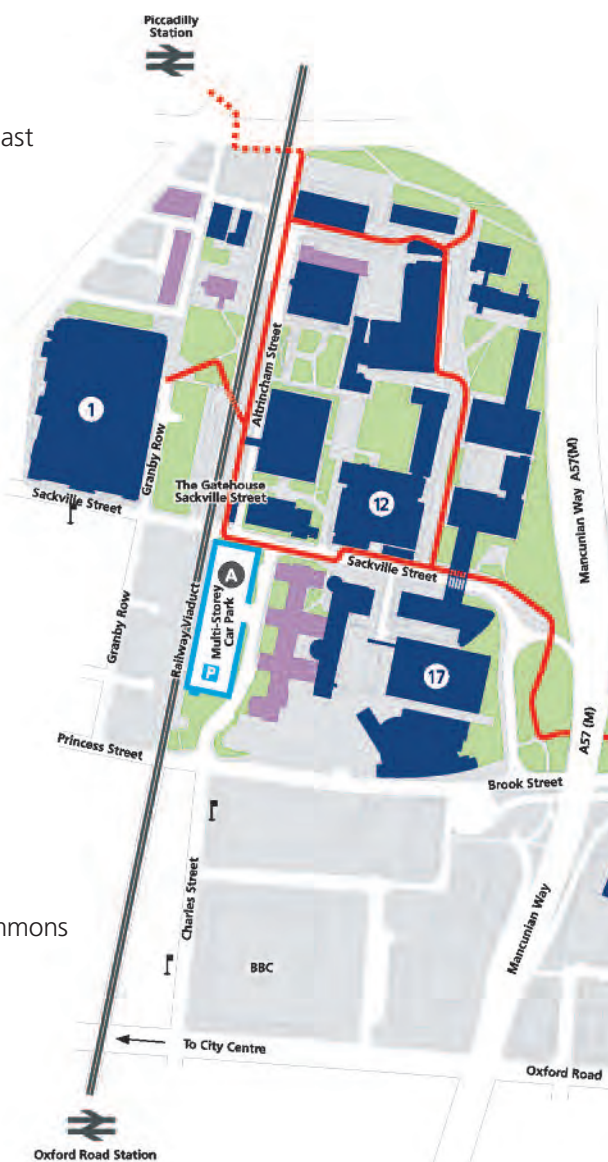
36 Arthur Lewis Building



37 University Place

## Building key

- 1 Sackville Street Building
- 12 Pariser Building
- 17 George Begg Building
- 22 Sugden Sports Centre
- 26 Manchester Business School East
- 31 Crawford House
- 32 St Peters House/Chaplaincy
- 35 Humanities Bridgeford Street
- 36 Arthur Lewis Building
- 37 University Place
- 39 Kilburn Building
- 42 Martin Harris Centre for Music and Drama
- 44 The Manchester Museum
- 46 Alan Turing Building
- 48 John Owens Building
- 50 Whitworth Hall
- 51 Whitworth Building
- 52 Williamson Building
- 53 Roscoe Building
- 54 Schuster Building
- 55 The University Library
- 57 Student Services Centre
- 58 Christie Building
- 59 Simon Building
- 61 Chemistry Building
- 63 The Alan Gilbert Learning Commons
- 67 Samuel Alexander Building
- 68 Students' Union Oxford Road
- 78 The Academy
- 79 Stopford Building
- 84 The Whitworth Art Gallery
- 92 Jean McFarlane Building



46 Alan Turing Building



51 Whitworth Building



54 Schuster Building



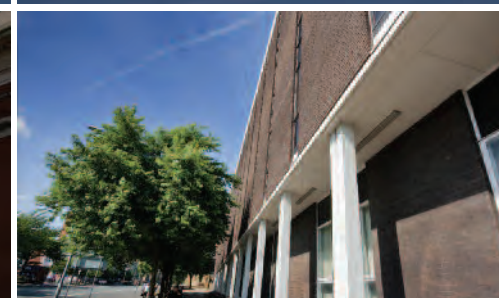
53 Roscoe Building



65 Mansfield Cooper Building



67 Samuel Alexander Building



79 Stopford Building



92 Jean McFarlane Building

Campus Buildings

Under Construction

University Residences

Principal Car Parks

Accessible Route

Bus Stops

Railway Stations

Open Day Exhibition

Walking Campus Tours

Information Point

Sat Nav

Sackville St postcode M1 3BB  
Oxford Rd postcode M13 9PL

### TOP TIP

Wear sensible shoes and bring a raincoat or umbrella. Bring a bag for any literature you might pick up.



TIME AND ACTIVITY	
10am	10.30am
11am	11.30am
12 noon	12.30pm
1pm	1.30pm
2pm	2.30pm
3pm	3.30pm

These are our tips on making the most out of your day:

- Our Open Days are very popular events and sessions can sometimes become full. To avoid disappointment we suggest where possible you arrive early.
  - Check the programme to see when sessions occur for your subject of interest. You can attend sessions for more than one subject if you want to.
  - Decide on your subject sessions first, and work the general sessions around these.
  - Some subject sessions must be booked before the day. These are indicated on the registration form.
- Campus tours run all day – work these around your subject sessions.
  - Most sessions finish ten minutes before the scheduled finish time to allow you time to get to the next session.
  - Wear sensible shoes and bring a raincoat or umbrella. Bring a bag for any literature you might pick up.
  - Don't forget to make time for lunch. There are plenty of outlets around campus that are open all day, so you can have lunch whenever suits you.