

# UNDERGRADUATE CLASSICS, ANCIENT HISTORY, ARCHAEOLOGY AND EGYPTOLOGY

## WELCOME WEEK TIMETABLE SEPTEMBER 2025

This timetable uses a colour key to highlight which departmental events are mandatory to attend, and which events are recommended.  
This key code can be found in the right hand corner of each timetable page.

**If you are a Joint Honours student, please refer to the Welcome timetable for both of your subject areas.**

You can search for all Welcome timetables and guides via the [Welcome site](#).

Where possible, we have scheduled our events to allow you to attend both Welcome talks and socials.

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## IMPORTANT EXTRAS

The School Information Fair is running from 10am-4pm on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> September and Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September. It is located in the north and south foyers of the Samuel Alexander Building, so you can't miss it whichever way you enter the building.

We will have staff from various teams on hand to provide information about their areas, including Student Support & Wellbeing, Careers, Placements, Residence Abroad, IT Services and UCAE.

## **SALC | ESSENTIALS**

SALC Essentials are online courses covering Health & Safety and Academic Malpractice.

These mandatory courses form part of your induction. You need to ensure you complete these courses before Friday 31st October. You can find these courses in [Canvas](#). Please note that you can only access these courses once you have activated your IT account and completed registration.

## **COURSE UNIT SELECTION |** DROP-IN SESSIONS

Course Unit Selection 'Drop-ins' will be held Monday to Friday - 10am-4pm - from 22 September to 10 October at the Student Hub (next to the Lime Café on the lower ground floor of the Samuel Alexander Building). If you have any questions about course unit selection, drop-in and talk to the team. For more information on course unit selection, please click on the links below:

<https://www.studentsupport.manchester.ac.uk/study-support/course-unit-selection/>

<https://www.alc.manchester.ac.uk/student-intranet/study/your-programme/course-unit-selection/>



**USEFUL LINKS**

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 Mandatory Sessions  
 Optional Sessions

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## Welcome Week: 22-26 September

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TIME	MONDAY 22 SEPTEMBER	TUESDAY 23 SEPTEMBER	WEDNESDAY 24 SEPTEMBER	THURSDAY 25 SEPTEMBER	FRIDAY 26 SEPTEMBER	
09:00					<b>Field Trip to York</b>  08:15 - 19:00  <i>Meet at 08:15 outside Manchester Museum on Oxford Road</i>  <i>Coach leaving from Manchester Museum at 08:30</i>	
10:00		<b>Academic Advisor Meetings</b>  10:00-11:00  <i>Various locations: please refer to your email for confirmation of your meeting room.</i>  Meet the staff member responsible for your academic progression and pastoral care.				
11:00	<b>Welcome and Introduction to the Department</b>  11:00-13:00  <i>Simon Building 2.61</i>  A general welcome from your Department. An introductory meeting where you will receive essential information relating to your Department and Programme and meet key staff.		<b>Your Career Journey</b>  11:00-12:00  <i>Simon Building Theatre D</i>			
12:00		<b>Campus Tour with CAHAE Society</b>  12:00-13:00  <i>Meet by the Samuel Alexandra steps, North entrance</i>		<b>Museum Event</b>  Optional for all CAHAE students.  12:00-13:30  <i>Manchester Museum</i>		

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13:00			<p><b>Synagogue walks (2 or 3 groups)</b></p> <p>Optional session for Archaeology (single and joint hon) students</p> <p>13:00-15:00 Duration: 50 mins each</p> <p><i>Samuel Alexander South Entrance</i></p> <p>Discovering the lost synagogue; when Religious Studies and Archaeology collide!</p>				<p><b>Museum Event</b></p> <p>Optional for all CAHAE students.</p> <p>12:00-13:30</p> <p><i>Manchester Museum</i></p>	<p><b>Meet the SALC Graduates</b></p> <p>13:00-14:00</p> <p>Join Zoom Meeting: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/98160117153">https://zoom.us/j/98160117153</a> Meeting ID: 981 6011 7153</p> <p>Tune in to hear from SALC graduates about their own Welcome Week experiences and how these first few days of university helped them to prepare for their careers.</p>	
14:00			<p><b>Language Day School</b></p> <p>Mandatory for all Classics, Classical Studies and Single/Joint Hons Ancient History students. Optional for all other programmes.</p> <p>14:00-16:00</p> <p><i>Mansfield Cooper_G.20 Various locations</i></p> <p>Introductory talk for all participants before splitting into groups</p>				<p><b>History Welcome Talk for Joint Honours with History</b></p> <p>14:00-16:00</p>	<p>08:15 - 19:00</p> <p><i>Meet at 08:15 outside Manchester Museum on Oxford Road</i></p> <p><i>Coach leaving from Manchester Museum at 08:30</i></p>	
15:00	<p><b>Introduction for Joint Honours SOAN programmes (for Joint Honours Archaeology and Anthropology students)</b></p> <p>15:30-16:30</p> <p><i>University Place – Room 4.212</i></p>		<p><b>Language Day School</b></p> <p>Group 1</p> <p><i>Mansfield Cooper_4.05</i></p>	<p><b>Language Day School</b></p> <p>Group 2</p> <p><i>Mansfield Cooper_2.02</i></p>	<p><b>Language Day School</b></p> <p>Group 3</p> <p><i>Mansfield Cooper_2.03</i></p>	<p><b>Language Day School</b></p> <p>Group 4</p> <p><i>Mansfield Cooper_3.01</i></p>	<p><i>Crawford House - Theatre 1</i></p> <p>History in Practice with Michael Wood</p>		

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17:00						
18:00		<b>CAHAE Social - Pub Quiz</b>  For all level 1, 2 and 3 UG students  18:00-20:00  <i>Ducie Arms</i>				