

UNDERGRADUATE RELIGIONS AND THEOLOGY

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 22nd September and Friday 26th 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:

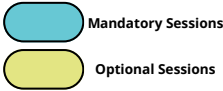
<https://www.studentsupport.manchester.ac.uk/study-support/course-unit-selection/>

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



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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					
10:00	<p><u>RELT Welcome to Religions & Theology.</u></p> <p>10am-11am Roscoe_1.009, Roscoe_1.010</p> <p>Your Head of Department and programme director welcome you to the department and to the university.</p>		<div><p><u>How to Succeed in your Philosophy Degree-</u> 10:30am-11:30am</p><p>Simon Building 4.63</p><p>Introductory talk from the Philosophy department</p><p>for students on the <i>Philosophy and Religion</i> programme only.</p></div> <div><p><u>RELT Optional Drop-in Session with Religions and Theology P.D</u> 10am-11am Sam Alex S1.3/Online</p><p>Have questions? Need help? The department's programme director is available for consultation during an online drop-in session on Zoom.</p><p><u>Join the meeting now</u> Meeting ID: 384 162 991 897 3 Passcode: N9ma9KE3</p></div>	<div><p><u>RELT Optional Drop-in Session with Religions and Theology P.D</u></p><p>(additional session for <i>Philosophy and Religion</i> students due to the 10-11am clash on Wednesday 24th)</p><p>10am-11am Sam Alex S1.3/Online</p><p>Have questions? Need help? The department's programme director is available for consultation during an hybrid drop-in session on Zoom.</p><p><u>Join the meeting now</u> Meeting ID: 331 081 667 609 0 Passcode: 6MV7ug6w</p></div>	
11:00	<p><u>RELT Meet your course mates</u> 11am-12pm</p> <p>Following our morning <u>RELT Welcome to Religions & Theology</u> session, we encourage you to grab a coffee or tea with your course mates using your voucher, before joining us for our next session of the day.</p>				
12:00	<p><u>Meet Your Peer Mentors</u> 12pm-1pm Uni Place_6.207</p> <p>A chance to meet your PASS leaders and group members, and to get advice from second and third year students on making the most of your degree.</p>	<p><u>Minor in Digital Humanities: Expand your skills, think critically, shape the digital future</u></p> <p>12pm-1pm Samuel Alexander Building, SLG.12</p>	<p><u>Synagogue walks (2 or 3 groups)</u> 12pm, 1pm, 2pm</p> <p>Duration: 50 mins each Sam Alex South Entrance</p> <p>Discovering the lost synagogue; when Religious Studies and Archaeology collide!</p>		

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
13:00		<p><u>Exploring Your Programme of Study</u> 1pm-2pm</p> <p>Learn about the programme of study you are on and the course unit choices open to you.</p> <p><i>Religions & Theology: Uni Place 2.218</i></p> <p><i>Philosophy & Religion: Sam Alex A214</i></p> <p><i>Comparative Religion & Social Anthropology (CRSA): Uni Place 4.212</i></p>	<p><u>Synagogue walks (2 or 3 groups)</u> 12pm, 1pm, 2pm</p> <p>Duration: 50 mins each Sam Alex South Entrance</p> <p>Discovering the lost synagogue; when Religious Studies and Archaeology collide!</p> <p>You will receive a sign-up sheet via email on Monday, 22 September.</p>		<p><u>Meet the SALC Graduates (Optional event)</u> 1pm-2pm</p> <p>Tune in to have the chance 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 own careers.</p> <p>Join Zoom Meeting: https://zoom.us/j/98160117153 Meeting ID: 98160117153</p>
14:00					
15:00	<p><u>Introduction for Joint Honours SOAN programmes</u> 15:30 - 16:30 University Place 4.212</p> <p>A short introductory meeting for: Joint Honours Comparative Religion only.</p> <p>Join the meeting now Meeting ID: 357 973 253 449 9 Passcode: LN7oy7Cy</p>		<p><u>RELT Social/ afternoon tea</u> 3-4pm</p> <p>Kanaris Room, Manchester Museum</p> <p>Please join us for afternoon tea in the Kanaris Room at the Manchester Museum to chat with your course mates and meet your Academic Advisor.</p>		
16:00	<p><u>RELT Introduction to R&T Canvas and Blended Learning.</u> 4-5pm</p> <p>Recorded- Link to session <i>You will need to have activated your IT account and email address to access the video. You can do this here.</i></p> <p>This session will introduce you to Canvas, our virtual learning environment. You can access it any time during Welcome Week, and we recommend you take a look at the content as soon as possible. It will help you with navigating your online learning spaces for your courses when teaching begins.</p>			<p><u>Study Abroad Presentation</u> 4-5pm</p> <p>Online</p> <p>Learn about the range of international options available to you during your degree.</p> <p>Join the meeting now Meeting ID: 312 194 990 496 3 Passcode: 4UV6Mn6C</p>	
17:00					
18:00					