SCHOOL OF
ARTS, LANGUAGES
AND CULTURES

MA MODERN LANGUAGES & CULTURES
WELCOME WEEK TIMETABLE SEPTEMBER 2026

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 top right-hand corner of each timetable page.

(Please note this is a live document and may be subject to change.)

IMPORTANT EXTRAS

The School Information Fair is running from 10am-4pm on Monday 21st September and Tuesday 22nd September. Come and meet the key teams and services and learn about the opportunities available to you. Learn more about the Careers Service, Placements and Study Abroad, IT, LEAP Languages, becoming a Student Rep and more.

The fair is taking place in the north and south foyers of the Samuel Alexander Building, so you can't miss it whichever way you enter the building.

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 by Monday 19th 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 21st September to 9th 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 link below:
https://www.alc.manchester.ac.uk/student-intranet/study/your-programme/course-unit-selection/

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Mandatory Sessions

Optional Sessions

Welcome Week: 21-25 September

TIME	MONDAY 21 SEPTEMBER	TUESDAY 22 SEPTEMBER	WEDNESDAY 23 SEPTEMBER	THURSDAY 24 SEPTEMBER	FRIDAY 25 SEPTEMBER
09:00					
10:00		**MA Modern Languages and Cultures Induction** 10am-11am Sam Alex_A213			
11:00		**Meetings with the Programme Director** 11am - 1pm S4.13 Samuel Alexander building Meeting timings to be confirmed during morning induction.			
12:00					
13:00					**Meet the SALC Graduates** 1pm - 2pm ONLINE 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. **Join Teams Meeting** Meeting ID: 391 813 174 902 890 Passcode: oJ7nn3Lq
14:00					**PGT International Welcome Event (International students only)** 2pm-4pm Christie's Bistro Come and join us for afternoon tea and an opportunity to hear from some of the key services available to support you during your time at Manchester!
15:00					
16:00					
17:00				**PGT Welcome Reception** 5:30pm-7pm Whitworth Hall Join us in the Whitworth Hall for a wine reception and nibbles (soft drinks also available)	
18:00					