School of Biological Sciences University of Manchester

PROGRAMME FOR FIRST YEAR STUDENTS

WELCOME WEEK SEPTEMBER 2022

Week Commencing 12 September – University Online Induction

The University's online induction will include a range of online presentations and workshops that will help you get settled into the University and find out how you can make the most of your time at Manchester. There will also be sessions for international students on topics such as healthcare in the UK, getting started with our Careers Service and managing your money.

Further information is available here: https://www.welcome.manchester.ac.uk/welcome-and-induction/whats-on-welcome/

Finding your way around the University campus

A copy of the campus map can be found at the link below. University buildings have a number allocated to them, which is referred to in your timetable below: https://www.manchester.ac.uk/discover/maps/

Zoom

Your Welcome Week timetable will contain at least one session delivered via Zoom. In order to create your Zoom account, you should visit <u>Zoom.us</u> and sign up with your University of Manchester email address.

YOUR PROGRAMME-SPECIFIC WELCOME TIMETABLE (WEEK COMMENCING 19th SEPTEMBER)

Programme: Developmental Biology

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Tuesday 20th September

Please note that there will be an SBS (School of Biological Sciences) Student Help desk in the Stopford Building Foyer from Tues-Weds of Welcome Week, and lots of SBS Student Ambassadors who will be happy to answer any queries you may have and direct you to the relevant rooms.

11:00 – 12:00 Meet your Programme Director

Bay G, 1st Floor Teaching Labs, Stopford Building

(Location 79 on campus map)

13:00 – 14:00 Research Showcase 2 – Dr Martin Pool

Senior Lecturer in Molecular and Cellular Function

Lecture Theatre B, Roscoe Building (Location 53 on campus map)

14:00 – 16:00 Essential Course Information – Presentation by Senior Advisor,

Professor Tracey Speake

Stopford Building, PC Cluster 2 (PCC2)

Wednesday 21st September

10.00 – 11.00 **Meet your Tutor**

You will be informed of your tutor group in advance of this meeting

Whitworth Hall

(Location 50 on campus map)

13.00 - 14.00 **'With Entrepreneurship' Talk**

(only for students registered on a degree 'with Entrepreneurship') Section 2, 2 SUGT (2nd Floor Teaching Labs), Stopford Building

16.00 – 18.00 Meeting for International Students (Including EU Students)

Lecture Theatre 3, Stopford Building

Thursday 22nd September

9.00 - 10.00 eLearning and IT drop-in clinic, online (optional)

Join on the day using the following Zoom link:

https://zoom.us/j/98196520221

11.00 – 12.00 'With a Modern Language' talk

(Only for students enrolled on a programme 'with a modern language')

Section 6, 2 SUGT (2nd Floor Teaching Labs), Stopford Building

13.00 - 14.00 Peer Assisted Study Scheme (PASS)

(Including lab coat collection)

Lecture Theatre 1, Stopford Building

15.00 - 16.00 Course Unit Selection Drop-in Clinic

PC Cluster 2 (PCC2), Bay A, Stopford Building

For help with enrolling onto optional course units on the student system (NB this is <u>not</u> a session to help you to choose your optional units – if you have queries about which optional units to select, you should contact your Programme Director). This session is to help you navigate the online unit selection system, if you are experiencing

difficulties with this.

16.00 - 17.00 Programme Drinks and Cake: Meet 2nd and 3rd Year students

Kro Bar (325 Oxford Road, M13 9PG) – a table will be reserved upstairs

in the Kro Bar.

Friday 23rd September

10.00 - 11.00 eLearning and IT drop-in clinic, online (optional)

Join on the day using the following Zoom link:

https://zoom.us/j/99450085186

14.00 - 16.00 Lab coat collection

(Optional – for any students who missed the PASS session)

Sections 7-9, 2 SUGT (2nd Floor Teaching Labs), Stopford Building

Section 7 for Small/X Small Lab Coats Section 8 for Medium Lab Coats Section 9 for Large/XL Lab Coats

Monday 26th September

09:00 Lectures Begin