School of Biological Sciences University of Manchester

PROGRAMME FOR FIRST YEAR STUDENTS

WELCOME WEEK SEPTEMBER 2024

University of Manchester Welcome Activities

Alongside your programme-specific induction, the University runs a range of welcome presentations and activities that will help you get settled into the University and find out how you can make the most of your time at Manchester. 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 may contain sessions 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 16th SEPTEMBER)

Programme: Medical Physiology

Programme Directors: Dr Elizabeth Sheader

Room numbers: 1.103 Stopford Building

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

Monday 16th September

12.00 - 13.00 Registration with the School of Biological Sciences

Register at the SBS Registration Desk on the first floor of the Stopford

Building and collect your goodie bag

13.00 -14.00 Meet your Programme Director

Building: Stopford Building

Room: 1st Floor Teaching Labs (1 SUGT), Bay B

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14.00 – 15.00 'With Entrepreneurship' Meeting

(only for students registered on a degree 'with Entrepreneurship')

Building: Simon Building

Room: 3.62 Map Location: 59

14.00 – 15.00 'With a Modern Language' Meeting

(only for students registered on a degree 'with Modern Language')

Building: Roscoe Building

Room: 1.007 Map Location: 53

15.00 – 17.00 Meeting for International Students (Including EU Students)

Building: Stopford Building Room: Lecture Theatre 6

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Tuesday 17th September

09.00 – 11.00 Essential Course Information – Presentation by Senior Advisor,

Professor Tracey SpeakeBuilding: Stopford Building
Room: PC Cluster 2 (PCC2)

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11:00 – 12:00 Research Showcase 1 – Dr Mino Belle

Senior Lecturer, Division of Neuroscience

Building: Stopford Building Room: Lecture Theatre 1

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14:00 – 15:00 Environmental Sustainability Talk – Dr Maggy Fostier

Building: Stopford Building Room: Lecture Theatre 1

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16:00 – 17:00 **Go Abroad Talk**

(Optional for students interested in a semester abroad)

Building: Mansfield Cooper Building

Room: G.20 Map Location: 65

Wednesday 18th September

Building: University Place

Room: 2.217 Map Location: 37

13.30 – 14.30 **Meet Your Tutor**

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

Building: Whitworth Hall Map Location: 50

Thursday 19th September

10.00 – 11.00 Course Unit Selection Drop-in Clinic

Building: Stopford Building Room: PC Cluster 1 (PCC1)

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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.

11.00 – 12.00 EDI: Celebrating Diversity

Building: Crawford House Room: Lecture Theatre 1 Map Location: 33

13.00 – 14.00 Peer Assisted Study Scheme (PASS)

(Including lab coat collection)
Building: Stopford Building
Room: Lecture Theatre 1

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15.00 – 16.00 **Lab Coat Collection**

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

Building: Stopford Building

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Sections 11-13, 2 SUGT (2nd Floor Teaching Labs), Stopford Building

Section 11 for Small/X Small Lab Coats Section 12 for Medium Lab Coats Section 13 for Large/XL Lab Coats

Friday 20th September

10.00 - 11.30 **eLearning and IT Presentation**

Building: Simon Building

Room: Lecture Theatre E

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14.00 – 16.00 Medical Physiology Social Event

Building: Stopford Building

Room: 1st Floor Teaching Labs (1 SUGT) Bay A

Map Location: 79

Monday 23rd September

09.00 Lectures Begin