

WELCOME WEEK TIMETABLE FOR YEAR 3 STUDENTS OPTOMETRY

Academic Year: 2023-2024

Monday 18th – Friday 22nd September 2023

Welcome back!

This document contains details of all of the activities that have been organised to introduce you to Year 3 of the programme. Make sure that you attend these sessions so that you are ready to start the semester: your normal teaching timetable begins on Monday 25th September.

Your groups this week are your clinic groups for the whole year: find your group number on the main timetable. If you have any questions during Welcome Week, don't hesitate to ask your Academic Advisor.

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Monday 18 th September			
09:00 - 11:00	Welcome and Introduction		
	Staff: Claire Mallon (Optometry Lead for Clinical Teaching) Location: Simon 3.44A		
Health and Safety Practicals			
Staff: Claire Mallon, Dr Ana Hernandez Trillo, Fatima Malik Location: Carys Bannister Building Campus Map: 88 About: This session focusses on clinic hygiene, dress code and hand hygiene. It is COMPULSORY : students will be unable to commence clinical experience in Week 1 if this session is not attended. <u>Your attendance will be recorded.</u>			
	FIT Room (G Floor)	FIT Room (2 nd Floor)	Room 3.006
12:30 - 13:30	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3
13:45 - 14:45	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6
15:00 – 16:00	Group 7	Group 8	

Tuesday 19 th September				
Clinic Inductions				
Staff: Claire Mallon, Professor Christine Dickinson, Dr Chris Howell-Duffy Location: Carys Bannister Building Contact Lenses: Suites E & F (Floor 2), Ground Floor Fit Room, Second Floor Fit Room. Low Vision: Room 2.005 Optometric Examination 3 (OE-3): Suites A, B, C and D (Ground Floor) General Practice time: FIT Rooms (Ground and 2 nd Floor)				
	Contact Lenses	Low Vision	OE-3	General Practice
09:30 – 11:00	Groups 1 & 2	Groups 3 & 4	Groups 5 & 6	Groups 7 & 8
11:30 – 13:00	Groups 7 & 8	Groups 1 & 2	Groups 3 & 4	Groups 5 & 6
14:00 – 15:30	Groups 5 & 6	Groups 7 & 8	Groups 1 & 2	Groups 3 & 4
16:00 – 17:30	Groups 3 & 4	Groups 5 & 6	Groups 7 & 8	Groups 1 & 2

Wednesday 20 th September				
Clinical Skills Practice/Refresher Sessions				
Staff: None: self-directed refresher sessions Location: Carys Bannister Building Instrumentation: Suites A, B, C and D (Ground Floor) OE-3: Room 2.005 Dispensing: Rooms 3.006 and 3.009 General Practice time: FIT Room (Ground) & Dispensing Clinic (Ground Floor) About: In these sessions you should practice in pairs. You will be given guidance as to how best to use this time in Claire Mallon's introductory session				
	Instrumentation	OE-3	Dispensing	General Practice
09:30 – 11:00	Groups 3 & 4	Groups 5 & 6	Groups 7 & 8	Groups 1 & 2
11:30 – 13:00	Groups 1 & 2	Groups 3 & 4	Groups 5 & 6	Groups 7 & 8
14:00 – 15:30	Groups 7 & 8	Groups 1 & 2	Groups 3 & 4	Groups 5 & 6

16:00 – 17:30	Groups 5 & 6	Groups 7 & 8	Groups 1 & 2	Groups 3 & 4
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Thursday 21st September

Clinic Inductions: Dispensing and Binocular Vision

Staff: Dispensing: Fiona Cook (Lecturer in Optometry), BV: Dr Catherine Porter (Senior Lecturer in Optometry)

Location: Carys Bannister Building

Dispensing: Meet in the Ground Floor Dispensing Clinic

BV: Room 2.005

	Dispensing	Binocular Vision
Groups 1&2	11:30 - 12:30	09:00 - 10:30
Groups 3&4	12:45 - 13:45	14:30 - 16:00
Groups 5&6	09:00 - 10:00	10:45 - 12:15
Groups 7&8	10:15 - 11:15	12:45 - 14:15

	Mental Health Talk
09:00 – 10:00	Location: Zochonis_TH B Staff: Fatima Malik Groups: 3,4,7,8 from 9 to 10am
13:00 – 14:00	Groups: 1,2, 5, 6 from 13:00 to 14:00

Friday 22nd September

Clinic Induction: Further Investigative Techniques (FIT)

Staff: Paul Rogers (Lecturer in Optometry)

Location: Simon_4.63

About: Make plans to either go home between sessions or to bring your device to campus to engage with the afternoon online session in e.g. the library

<u>9:00-10:30</u>	Groups 5-8
<u>10:30-12:00</u>	Groups 1-4
<u>13:00-14:30</u>	The Structured Patient Interview

	Staff: Sarah Morgan Location: Simon_4.63 About: An interactive communication session to help you when collecting history and symptoms from your patients.
<u>15:00-16:00</u>	Introduction to Binocular Vision Staff: Catherine Porter Location: Simon_4.63

WELCOME WEEK ENDS

Monday 25th September	
9:00	Normal Timetable Begins (Week 1) About: Semester 1 teaching starts today. Make sure you have accessed your timetable in advance and are aware of all of your live lecture sessions, online sessions and clinic sessions this week. Timetables can be found on the Optometry area of BlackBoard. If you are unsure of anything, remember that you can contact your Academic Advisor for help.