

Department of Materials: Materials Science & Engineering MATS90002 Year 1 Welcome Timetable w/c 22nd September 2025

Date	Time	Activity	Location	Host/Key Staff
Monday 22nd September	10:00-11:00	Welcome to the Department of Materials	Nancy Rothwell Building Lecture Theatre B (2A.041)	Dr David Lewis; Dr Lee Fielding; Dr Jo Conlon
	11:00-13:00	Welcome to Materials Science and Engineering Health & Safety on Campus	University Place Theatre A	Dr Katie Moore; Adam Stanley
	13:00-14:00	Meet your cohort (lunch provided)	Nancy Rothwell Building Blended Theatre 1 (GA.056)	Dr Lee Fielding; Dr Katie Moore; Dr Thomas Flint
	14:00-15:00	Introduction to Canvas	University Place Theatre A	Dr Alison Harvey
	15:00-16:00	Network with cohort	University Place Theatre A	N/A
Tuesday 23rd September	09:00-10:30	Maths Diagnostics Exercise	Online exercise located in MATH19731 Canvas TEAMS meeting Link Please see document below for further information	Colin Steele
	13:00-14:00	Meet your Year Manager: Overview of 1st Year and Relevant places in Manchester	Roscoe Building Theatre B	Dr Thomas Flint
	14:00-14:30	Group Activities	Roscoe Building Theatre B	Dr Thomas Flint

	14:30-15:30	Student Support, Wellbeing and Campus Life talk	Roscoe Building Theatre B	SoNS Student Support Hub Staff and wider University Services
Wednesday 24th September	10:00-11:00	Chemistry Diagnostics Exercise	Exercise completed online https://zoom.us/j/95591489169	Dr Shanshan Xu
	11:30-12:30	Physics Diagnostics Exercise	Exercise completed online https://zoom.us/j/94010571167 Passcode: PhysicsY1	Dr Andrew Thomas
Thursday 25th September	10:00-11:00	Introduction to PASS	Humanities Bridgeford Street Building Cordingley Theatre	Dr Xiaorong Zhou; PASS Leaders
	11:00-12:00	Introduction to Academic Advisor/Personal Tutor Sessions & MATSOC	Humanities Bridgeford Street Building Cordingley Theatre	Dr Daniel Toolan; Dr Suzanne Morsch
	12:00-13:00	Meeting with Personal Tutor	See Personal Timetable	Personal Tutor
Friday 26th September	09:00-10:00	Chemistry Diagnostics Exercise (additional session for those unable to access the diagnostic exercise on Wednesday)	https://zoom.us/j/97424416243 Meeting ID: 974 2441 6243 Passcode: chemistry	Dr Shanshan Xu
	10:00-11:00	Physics Diagnostics Exercise (additional session for those unable to access the diagnostic exercise on Wednesday)	https://zoom.us/j/95541206008 Meeting ID: 955 4120 6008 Passcode: PhysicsY1	Dr Andrew Thomas
	11:00-12:00	Respect & Dignity at Manchester (EDIA)	Roscoe Building Theatre B	Dr João Fonseca

	13:00-16:00	Faculty Student Community Fair Optional session: Meet Societies, Student Reps, PASS, Student Union	Nancy Rothwell Building Foyer	Various
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***Mathematics Diagnostic Exercise 2025 1st Year Materials**

General procedure, please see the video within the MATH19731 Canvas area. (often linked from the same areas as this document). It may be that you are asked to log into the video portal.

[TEAMS meeting Link](#)

Or use:

Meeting ID: 363 261 430 373 7

Passcode: GA6jf6mg

This exercise is carried out through the MATH19731 Canvas area. Head for “Week 0 – Diagnostic Exercise” to see information and links to the quizzes.

Date : 2025 September 23 (Tuesday)

Time : 09:00 BST : Length 80 minutes

48 questions in 12 sections.

Before the exercise, you should carry out the practice exercise and also the exercise to enter your maths qualifications.



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You should also check that your browser is compatible. Go to the page [What are the browser and computer requirements for... - Instructure Community - 66](https://community.canvaslms.com/t5/Canvas-Basics-Guide/What-are-the-browser-and-computer1requirements-for-Instructure/ta-p/66) (for text of link use <https://community.canvaslms.com/t5/Canvas-Basics-Guide/What-are-the-browser-and-computer1requirements-for-Instructure/ta-p/66>). Link also available within the MATH19731 Canvas area.

Follow up Session. Friday 3rd October, 2 pm. The link for this meeting will be circulated later.

For any questions, please e-mail (from your university e-mail address)

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