

Classic for All NW Sixth Form Taster Day: Discover Ancient Worlds

The University of Manchester, Oxford Road, Manchester M13 9PL

26 June 2025

Programme

9:30 -10	Arrival & registration	Samuel Alexander Classics Foyer ¹
10-10:40	Plenary: Welcome & introduction, subject overviews: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Classics & Ancient History Archaeology Egyptology 	Samuel Alexander Main Arts Theatre
Breakout sessions 1 &2:		
10:45 – 11:30	GROUP 1: <i>Archaeology:</i> Object handling & making cordage (Laura Thompson)	Mansfield Cooper 4.03
	GROUP 2: <i>Classics/Literature:</i> Dido & Aeneas, Dr Tom Phillips	Sam Alex A102
11:35- 12:20	GROUP 2: <i>Archaeology:</i> Object handling & making cordage (Laura Thompson)	Mansfield Cooper 4.03
	GROUP 1: <i>Classics/Literature:</i> Dido & Aeneas, Dr Tom Phillips	Sam Alex A102
12:20 – 13:05	Lunch (not provided – students can eat packed lunches in Lime Café/SU or purchase lunch)	
Breakout sessions 3 & 4:		
13:05 – 13:50	GROUP 1: <i>Manchester Museum:</i> Self-guided visit with our student ambassadors	Museum
	GROUP 2: <i>Ancient History workshop:</i> Roman Women (Dr Duncan Keenan Jones)	Sam Alex A102
13:55 – 14:40	GROUP 1: <i>Manchester Museum:</i> Self-guided visit with our student ambassadors	Museum
	GROUP 2: <i>Ancient History workshop:</i> Roman Women (Dr Duncan Keenan Jones)	Sam Alex A102
14:45 - 15:30	Careers plenary: Hear from museum staff and alumni about their route into their career	Samuel Alexander Main Arts Theatre
15:30	Event finish	

¹ Samuel Alexander Building is nr 67 on the campus map: www.manchester.ac.uk/discover/maps/