

Combined Honours, School X - Stage 1 Induction Week Schedule 2024

Hello,

Welcome to Combined Honours, Newcastle University, we're looking forward to welcoming you to the interdisciplinary School X, and the department in September. This timetable gives an overview of the Induction activities happening in Induction week (16th – 20th September) and into Semester 1, as well as some key dates to note over the next few weeks. For most days there are Combined Honours specific events which are largely compulsory, and we'd ask that you prioritise these welcome events over others in your desired subject choices. When there is a clash between induction events, always come to the CH events. If there isn't a clash, please do attend the subject-specific induction events in your respective subjects. Details about subject-specific induction events will be published in due course so keep checking our website!

You'll be accompanied to all compulsory events by your Peer Mentor, who is a Stage 2 or 3 student who has volunteered to support you through the first Semester at Newcastle University. Get in touch with them before you arrive (from receiving their letter onwards) and throughout Induction if you have questions or concerns, they are happy to help!

Looking forward to meeting you soon,
Sadek Kessous (Lecturer in Student Engagement)

Monday 16th September 2024

COMPULSORY COMBINED HONOURS INDUCTION EVENT

When?	Who?	What?	Where?	What to expect?
10:00 – 16:00	All new Stage 1 undergraduates	Welcome to Combined Honours (divided into 2 slots; a morning and an afternoon session)	Great North Museum: Hancock, Claremont Road	Meet the CH staff team and your Peer Mentor, learn more about your degree structure and what to expect from CH. There'll be activities with Lego and opportunities to meet other CH students

Tuesday 17th September 2024

COMPULSORY COMBINED HONOURS INDUCTION EVENT

When?	Who?	What?	Where?	What to expect?
09:00 - 09:30	All new Stage 1 undergraduates	Making Good Module Choices	G.01, Dame Margret Barbour Building (DMBB)	Information on programme guidelines and timetable information.
10:00- 14:00	All new Stage 1 undergraduates	Subject Advisor Talks	Teaching Rooms in DMBB: 2.08, 2.13, 2.15 and 2.16 – TBC timetable to confirm where advisors are	Meet your subject advisors! Learn more about what to expect in stage 1 in your chosen subjects. You can attend any you are interested in!
10:00 – 14:00	All new Stage 1 undergraduates	Choosing Your Stage 1 Modules (divided into 2 slots; a morning and an afternoon session)	1.21 PC, Dame Margret Barbour Building (DMBB)	The CH staff team and your Peer Mentor will help you navigate choosing your modules for the year. We'll cover guidelines, restrictions and things to consider as well as guide you through checking your timetable

Wednesday 18th September 2024**COMPULSORY COMBINED HONOURS INDUCTION EVENT**

When?	Who?	What?	Where?	What to expect?
10:00 – 11:30	All new Stage 1 undergraduates	TBC	The Agora, 9.02, 9 th Floor, Henry Daysh Building	TBC

Thursday 19th September 2024**OPTIONAL COMBINED HONOURS INDUCTION EVENT**

When?	Who?	What?	Where?	What to expect?
09:00 - 12:00	Stage 1 undergraduates who haven't completed their module choices	Choosing Your Stage 1 Modules: Mop Up event	BSTC.3.30.CHART.PC (3.30)	If you haven't been able to complete your module choices on Tuesday, come along today and finalise your choices. The CH staff team will be there to answer queries, let your Peer Mentor know if you want their support as well.

Friday 20th September 2024**OPTIONAL COMBINED HONOURS INDUCTION EVENT**

When?	Who?	What?	Where?	What to expect?
12:00 - 13:00	PARTNERS supported entry Stage 1 undergraduates	PARTNERS Pizza Party	The Agora, 9.02, 9 th Floor, Henry Daysh Building	A chance to catch up with people from the PARTNERS Summer School in July, with pizza!

Dates to keep in mind:

- **Details of your Peer Mentor:** by 2nd September – you'll be sent an email with a letter from your Peer Mentor with their contact details
- **Personal tutor allocation:** by 27th September – we can't allocate personal tutors until you've chosen your modules, so CH students find out the details of their personal tutors a little later than other students. Check your email for communication from them about first meeting
- **Module amendment deadline:** by 4th October – you're able to submit a Module Amendment form until the end of teaching week 2 each semester, so if you find you're not getting on with a module you can request to change this. If the module is compulsory then it can't be changed, if you want to change subjects get in touch with your DPD for Stage 1 (Franck Michel). You must check the timetable for clashes between lectures before submitting the request.