



Queens' College Freshers' Week Programme 2023

Freshers' Week is designed to help new students settle into College and academic life. Our programme consists of talks and meetings with Fellows, Staff, and students that will introduce you to important information about living and studying here. Further social events are also currently being planned by the JCR and MCR and you will receive further details from them in due course.

Please note that this programme includes for 1st year Undergraduates (UG Freshers) and 1st year Postgraduates (PG Freshers), and you are expected to attend as indicated below.

Thursday 14th September 2023

18.00	Signing of College matriculation book	Part-time PG Freshers (excluding PhD and MSt in IR)	Old Kitchens
17.45-19.15	Individual matriculation photograph	As above (incl LT23 and ET23 starters)	Old Court
19.15-19.30	Group matriculation photograph	As above (incl LT23 and ET23 starters)	Old Court
19.30	Drinks Reception and matriculation book signing	As above	Old Kitchens
20.00	Part-time matriculation dinner	As above	Old Hall

Monday 18th September 2023

19.30	Drinks Reception and matriculation book signing	MSt in International Relations	OSCR
20.00	Part-time matriculation dinner	MSt in International Relations	OSCR

Tuesday 26th September 2023

08.00-18.00	Undergraduate Freshers arrive (you will be sent a booking form to book your arrival slot)	UG Freshers	Porters' Lodge (main site)
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Wednesday 27th September 2023

08.00-12.00	Undergraduate Freshers arrive (you will be sent a booking form to book your arrival slot)	UG Freshers	Porters' Lodge (main site)
14.00-14.45	Introductory treasure hunt activity	UG Freshers	Meet on Erasmus Lawn
15.00-16.00	T&L session: DoS Q&A	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick Hall (STEM) Old Hall (Arts/Humanities)
17.45	Dinner with Subject Contacts	UG Freshers	Cripps



Thursday 28th September 2023

09.00-13.00	New Student Registration: passport, visa and ID document scanning	UG Freshers	Angevin Room
09.00	Undergraduate gown collection	UG Freshers	JCR Welcome Desk (The Round)
13.30-14.30	Community expectations (with Senior Tutor, Health & Wellbeing Team)	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick Hall
13.30-16.30	New Student Registration: passport, visa and ID document scanning	PG Freshers	Angevin Room
14.30 -	JCR Activities	UG Freshers	See JCR

Friday 29th September 2023

09.30 -10.15	Introduction to Consent (led by Diverse)	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick
10.15 -11.00	Diversity and Inclusion (led by Doing Diversity Differently)	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick
11.00 – 11.30	Drug safety and awareness (led by Neurosight)	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick
11.45 – 13.30	JCR-led consent workshops	UG Freshers	Various rooms
11.45 - 13.00	Postgraduate introduction followed by lunch	PG Freshers	Fitzpatrick (lunch in Lyon Court/Bar)
13.00-	Meetings with Directors of Studies (DoS) and/or subject contacts	UG Freshers	Exact timings are as confirmed by your DoS
13.30-15.30	PG Matriculation photographs (individuals)	PG Freshers, incl MSt in IR, part-time PhD and LT23/ ET23 starters)	Erasmus Lawn
15.45	PG Matriculation photograph (group)	PG Freshers, incl MSt in IR, part-time PhD and LT23/ ET23 starters)	Walnut Tree Court
16.15	Meet the President	PG Freshers, incl MSt in IR, part-time PhD and LT23/ ET23 starters)	President's Lodge

Saturday 30th September 2023

	Tutor sessions	UG Freshers	Details to follow
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Sunday 1st October 2023

	Tutor sessions	UG Freshers	Details to follow
12.00	Informal Eucharist in Chapel, followed by lunch	All welcome	Chapel
14.00-16.00	JCR College Societies Fair	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick Hall
14.30-15.45	PG induction (with PG Tutors)	PG Freshers	Cripps
15.45-17.00	PG Treasure Hunt followed by tea	PG Freshers	Old Hall
Any time between 15.00-17.00	Faith Centre Open Afternoon with Tea on the Terrace - The Faith Centre is a space set aside for Queens' members of all faiths to use for prayer, meditation and discussion. Come and enjoy the view from our exclusive roof garden and eat cake!	All welcome	FF8



Any time between 18.00-20.00	Faith Centre Open Evening with free pizza - A chance to meet representatives from the different faith groups in College, to hear about how to get involved, and to share hospitality as we look forward to the new academic year.	All welcome	FF8
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Monday 2nd October 2023

	Meetings with Directors of Studies	UG Freshers	Time and place as advised by your DOS
11.00-11.15 14.00-14.15 Mon-Thurs	College Library inductions	PG Freshers	War Memorial Library (details to follow)

Tuesday 3rd October 2023

09.00-09.05	Head Porter	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick
09.05 - 09.20	Deans of College	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick
09.20 - 09.25	Tutorial	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick
09.25 - 09.30	Chaplain	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick
09.30 - 09.35	IT	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick
09.35 - 09.40	Admissions	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick
09.40 – 09.45	Accessibility and Disability Resource Centre	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick
11.00-11.15 14.00-14.15 Mon-Thurs	College Library inductions	PG Freshers	War Memorial Library (details to follow)
14.00-16.00	UG Individual photographs	UG Freshers	Erasmus Lawn
16.15	UG Matriculation photograph	UG Freshers	Walnut Tree Court
16.45	Meet the President	UG Freshers	President's Lodge
18.00	Freshers' service	UG Freshers	Chapel
18.45-	UG Matriculation Reception	UG Freshers	Fitzpatrick
	UG Matriculation Dinner & book signing	UG Freshers	Cripps

Wednesday 4th October

	Departmental inductions		
11.00-11.15 14.00-14.15 Mon-Thurs	College Library inductions	PG Freshers	War Memorial Library (details to follow)

Thursday 5th October

11.00-11.15 14.00-14.15 Mon-Thurs	College Library inductions	PG Freshers	War Memorial Library (details to follow)
16.00-18.30	Subject specific inductions to using the College Library and online resources	UG Freshers	Details to follow



Friday 6th October

16.00-18.30	Subject specific inductions to using the College Library and online resources	UG Freshers	Details to follow
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Wednesday 18th October

18.45-	Reception	Research/Masters PG Freshers (incl part-time PhDs)	Fitzpatrick/Lyon Court
	PG Matriculation Dinner & book signing	Research/Masters PG Freshers (incl part-time PhDs)	Cripps (Details to follow)