Archaeology

Induction week

Monday 18 September - Friday 22 September 2023
Welcome to the School of History, Classics & Archaeology!

INDUCTION AND OUR COMMUNITY

It is a pleasure to welcome you to our community of staff and students in HCA. This week, you will learn about your new programme, meet your personal tutor, and take part in lots of social and enrichment activities to help you settle in to the school. Please attend all the relevant sessions. We hope you enjoy the induction week activities that we have on offer!

CANVAS

In addition to the programme below, there are useful materials available on the HCA Community on Canvas, our virtual learning environment that you will use throughout your studies here. Please take the time to look through this important information and get used to the Canvas interface.

GETTING READY FOR TEACHING NEXT WEEK

The sessions this week will help get you ready for next week, but also make sure you look up your timetable on timetables.ncl.ac.uk or on the Newcastle University app.

GET IN TOUCH IF YOU NEED ANYTHING

If you have any queries at all do not hesitate to contact the School Office at Room 1.01, Armstrong Building. You can also call on 0191 208 7844 or email historical@ncl.ac.uk.

We hope you have a great start to your Newcastle experience!

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Monday 18 September

09.00-10.00
Stage 1 welcome talk
Armstrong Building, room 1.06
General welcome and information session led by Head of Subject and Degree Programme Directors.

10.00-1.00
Personal tutor meeting
Time and location on Canvas
1-hour session to introduce you to your personal tutor and get you started in your university life.

2.00-4.00
Study abroad and placements briefing
Armstrong Building, room 2.16
Optional session on opportunities to study abroad and undertake placements during your degree. Open to Stage 1 and Stage 2 students.
Get to Know Campus Day
Tuesday 19 September

9.00-1.00
GET TO GRIPS WITH ARCHAEOLOGY ON CAMPUS

Armstrong Building, room 1.06 + Wolfson Lab

Get to know your classmates and the archaeological resources on campus. This day will give you a chance to explore the museum, labs and library and investigate some of the department’s collections.

IMPORTANT DETAILS
Please meet at 9am in Armstrong Building, 1.06 where you will be greeting by the Head of Archaeology.
Wednesday
20 September

10.00-12.00
Stage 1 module fair
Herschel Building, Learning Lab 1

Want to take modules in other subjects? In Stage 1, you have the option to take 20 credits outside of the school of History, Classics and Archaeology. This fair will provide more information about the modules available within the Faculty and an opportunity to speak to members of staff who teach them.

10.00-11.00
Joint honours welcomes
Armstrong building, room 2.98

5.00-7.00
Welcome reception
King’s Hall, Armstrong Building

10.00-10.30:
VV14: Ancient History & Archaeology

10.30-11.00
VV41: History and Archaeology
For all new Stage 1 students in History, Classics & Archaeology

WEDNESDAY 20 SEPTEMBER 2023
5 - 7 PM | KING'S HALL
GROUND FLOOR, ARMSTRONG BUILDING
Wine, soft drinks, and nibbles
Thursday 21 September

11.00-1.00
Stage 1 study skills
Old Library Building, room 2.21

7.00-9.00
Archaeology evening Society staff-student event
Armstrong Building, student common room (2nd floor)
Friday 22 September

Have a free day - enjoy the city, campus, and your new community, and we'll see you on Monday 25th September for the start of teaching!