

WELCOME TO UQ

O-Week | Connect Week | Success Week
17 Feb - 6 March | orientation.uq.edu.au



#UQLIFE



Welcome to your UQ life!

We know orientation is an important step to starting university, so we have prepared an action packed program just for you! Over the next few weeks, we will be offering you a variety of events, activities and entertainment to help introduce you to university life.

Having a balanced **#uqlife** is important. Our orientation program will link you with new clubs, societies, programs, workshops and services; connect you with new friends, resources and networks; and give you a taste of the many social events and experiences to come. To plan your orientation and discover all compulsory sessions and social events, please visit the orientation website: orientation.uq.edu.au

We look forward to an amazing semester with you!

Faculty Orientation | UQ Centre & Various Locations | Monday to Friday O-Week



We are excited to show you what life at UQ is all about! Attend your faculty orientation during O-Week and find out more about your school and program. New Undergraduate and Postgraduate students will have opportunities to get connected with mentors and support systems; attend expos, get advice from current students and staff and enjoy free food, drink and entertainment. To find out more about your school and faculty sessions visit orientation.uq.edu.au

Welcome Hub | Great Court | Monday to Friday 10am–4pm, O-Week & Success Week | 10am–6pm, Connect Week



Open daily, the Welcome Hub will be a great place to hang out for all new and returning students. The Hub will host a variety of ongoing entertainment, offer hang out spaces, prizes and giveaways. UQ Union will also be hosting their very own social space where you can get more information on the My UQU Rewards program, Student Advocacy and Support (SAS) and Clubs and Societies.

International Arrival Lounge, Kingham Room (Next to the REDROOM) Monday to Friday | 2pm – 8pm | O-Week & Connect Week



Open daily, the International Arrival Lounge will be a dedicated hangout space for all new international students. Drop in between 2-8pm for information, support, special visitors and events. The process of moving to a new country can be scary, so feel free to stop by, ask questions and meet your fellow students from around the world.

COMPULSORY SESSIONS (INTERNATIONAL)

The following sessions are compulsory for all international students. Please book your sessions during O-Week:

Getting Started
Safety in Australia

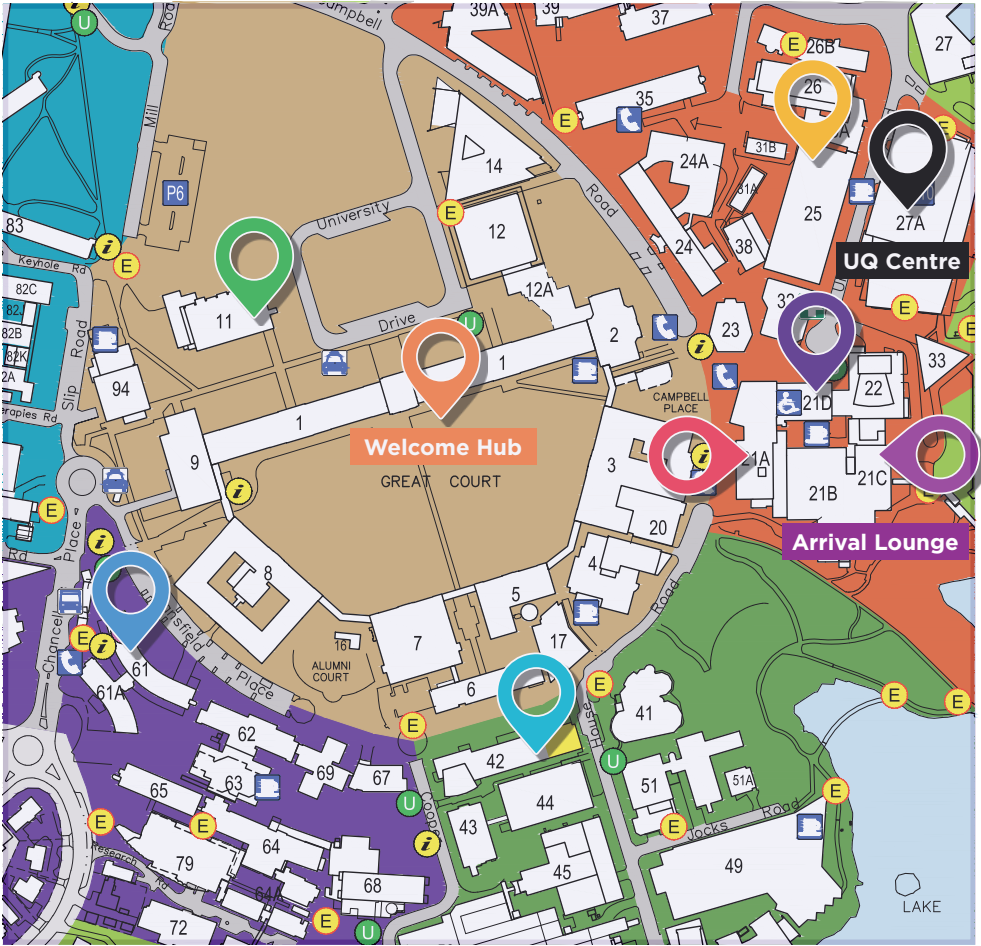
REGISTER: bit.ly/UQ_orientation_international










ACADEMIC & PERSONAL SKILLS WORKSHOPS

Get ahead with academic and personal skills workshops during orientation including:

Time Management, Academic Culture, Assignment Writing, Referencing, Reading Strategies & Critical Thinking

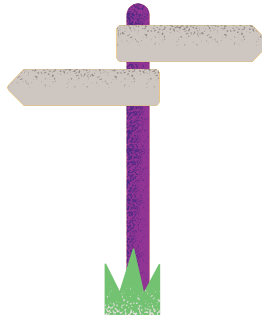
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-  Welcome Hub (Great Court)
-  International Arrival Lounge (Kingham Room)
-  Prentice Centre (Building 42)
-  Student Centre (Building 61 – JD Story)
-  UQ Art Museum (Building 11)
-  UQ Sport Fitness Centre (Building 25)
-  Student Services (Building 21D)
-  UQ Union (Building 21A)
-  UQ Centre (Building 27A)

Lost?

Download the UQnav app to help find your way around campus! Available through the App Store.



O-WEEK

17-21 Feb



Faculty Orientation (New Students)

NOTE: Orientation sessions are run over a series of days in multiple locations. Visit orientation.uq.edu.au for all sessions

MONDAY 17 FEBRUARY

Humanities & Social Sciences (HASS) Faculty Orientation (compulsory) New PG & UG Students

Welcome to HASS! You'll be welcomed by current students and staff throughout the day with program and major information sessions, a massive BBQ lunch with free food, drinks, and live music, and a jam-packed expo and networking events. Create long lasting friendships with people studying your degree and get the best start to your HASS Life.

TUESDAY 18 FEBRUARY

Health & Behavioural Sciences (HABS) Faculty Orientation (compulsory) New UG Students

Join us for a day filled with games, free food and fun to help you make friends and connections with peers. Laugh, meet key services, get advice from current students and rub shoulders with health organisations and future employers.

WEDNESDAY 19 FEBRUARY

Business, Economics & Law (BEL) Faculty Orientation (compulsory) New PG & UG Students

Start the day with a warm welcome from your BEL Buddy, receive your program introductions, then meet us for BELfest! BELfest is a festival designed for all new BEL students to help you meet like-minded people, find relevant societies and services, and enjoy live entertainment, food, games and giveaways!

THURSDAY 20 FEBRUARY

Engineering, Architecture & Information Technology (EAIT) Faculty Orientation (compulsory) New PG & UG Students

Join your EAIT Faculty community to help get you started in your degree. Explore schools and facilities, meet student societies and make new friends! Our events run across the week so check out the Orientation website for all session times and days. We look forward to seeing you there!

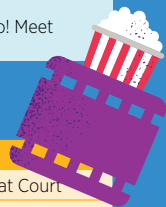
FRIDAY 21 FEBRUARY

Science Orientation St Lucia (Compulsory) New PG & UG Students

Join us for induction sessions, getting started sessions and a free BBQ lunch, then head to the Science Expo! Meet lecturers, get tech assistance and find out about services, career and research opportunities.

Social Events & Activities

(R) - Registration required to attend event



DAILY (MONDAY 17 - FRIDAY 21 FEBRUARY)

10am-4pm	Welcome Hub (closed Friday 21 Feb)	Great Court
2-8pm	International Arrival Lounge (new international students only)	Kingham Room

WEDNESDAY 19 FEBRUARY

2-4pm	Speed Friending with UQ Union (R)	Great Court
1-5pm	UQU Clubs and Societies Day Boost your social life, connect with clubs and societies, free food and giveaways	Great Court
4-7pm	Movies and Pizzas with UQ Union (R)	Schonell Theatre

THURSDAY 20 FEBRUARY

12-1pm	Living Book Series: Life as an international student	Great Court
2-4pm	Speed Friending with UQ Union (R)	Great Court

FRIDAY 21 FEBRUARY

6-11pm	UQU Great Court Toga Party (R)	Great Court
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Tours

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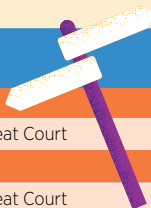
10am & 2pm	Campus tours	Departs Great Court
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WEDNESDAY 19 & FRIDAY 21 FEBRUARY

1-6pm	Best of Brisbane tour (R)	Departs Great Court
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THURSDAY 20 FEBRUARY

12-12.30pm	UQ Sport venue tour	UQ Sport Fitness Centre, (25)
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Free Food



MONDAY 17 FEBRUARY

10-11am	Free pancakes	Great Court
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THURSDAY 20 FEBRUARY


10-11am	Free pancakes	Great Court
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CONNECT WEEK


24-28 Feb

Social Events & Activities

(R) - Registration required to attend event



DAILY (MONDAY 24 FEBRUARY - SUNDAY 1 MARCH)		
All Day	Free Come & Try with UQ Sport (R)	Various UQ Sport venues
DAILY (MONDAY 24 - FRIDAY 28 FEBRUARY)		
10am - 6pm	Welcome Hub	Great Court
2pm - 8pm	International Arrival Lounge (new international students only)	Kingham Room
MONDAY 24 FEBRUARY		
7.45-8.15am	Free Outdoor Yoga with UQ Sport	Playing Field 5, UQ Synthetic Fields Precinct
7.30-9am	Meet and greet your Student Executive & free pancakes	Grassy Knoll/Campbell Place
10-11am	Volunteering morning tea: How to become a UQ volunteer	Great Court
11-12pm	Let's chat about...life in first semester	Great Court
1-2pm	Understanding respect & consent discussion circle (R)	Great Court
TUESDAY 25 FEBRUARY		
11am-2pm	Official Welcome to UQ & BBQ (all students) Head down to the Great Court for your official welcome to UQ, performances, free BBQ, Australian wildlife show & more	Great Court
1.30-2.30pm	Get Set Mentoring program launch (meet at Welcome BBQ)	Great Court
4-7pm	Movies and Pizzas with UQ Union (R)	Schonell Theatre
5-6.30pm	HASS Battle of the Schools Debate (R)	Great Court
WEDNESDAY 26 FEBRUARY		
10am - 2pm	Market Day Freebies, sign ups, games and entertainment	Great Court & University Drive
THURSDAY 27 FEBRUARY		
9-11am	Coffee and Careers with Student Employability	Great Court
3-9pm	Get Your Geek On	Holt & Heath Rooms, UQU Complex
2-4pm	Speed Friending with UQ Union (R)	Great Court
4-7pm	Movies and Pizzas with UQ Union (R)	Schonell Theatre
FRIDAY 28 FEBRUARY		
10am-2pm	SAS Land with UQ Union Union support, fairy floss and Therapy Llamas	Great Court
1-3pm	Speed Friending with UQ Union (R)	Great Court
5-9pm	Summer Sunset Chill Food trucks, live music, chill out space and movie under the stars	Great Court
6-9pm	UQ Art Museum's 'Union' Opening Celebration (R)	UQ Art Museum



Tours



DAILY (MONDAY 24 - FRIDAY 28 FEBRUARY)		
10am, 12pm & 2pm	Campus tours	Departs Great Court
TUESDAY 25 FEBRUARY		
10-11am	Coffee Crawl (R)	Departs Great Court
WEDNESDAY 26 & FRIDAY 28 FEBRUARY		
1-6pm	Best of Brisbane tour (R)	Departs Great Court



SUCCESS WEEK

2-6 March

Social Events & Activities

(R) - Registration required to attend event

DAILY (MONDAY 2 MARCH - SUNDAY 8 MARCH)		
All Day	Free Come & Try with UQ Sport (R)	Various UQ Sport venues
DAILY MONDAY 2 MARCH - 6 MARCH		
10am-4pm	Welcome Hub	Great Court
MONDAY 2 MARCH		
7.45-8.15am	Free Outdoor Yoga with UQ Sport	Playing Field 5, UQ Synthetic Fields Precinct
11am-2pm	Pursuing Excellence Colouring Hub	Great Court
4-6pm	UQ Mates launch (R)	Great Court
TUESDAY 3 MARCH		
9-11am	Coffee and Careers with Student Employability	Great Court
10am-2pm	UQ Ally Network & Queer Collective chill out zone	Great Court
10am-4pm	Let's 'chalk' about Mental Health (art activation)	Great Court
WEDNESDAY 4 MARCH		
10-11am	Partnerships and Pancakes	Great Court
11am-12pm	Exchange and Eclairs	Great Court
12-2pm	Pick Up and Play: Free social Badminton with UQ Sport	Great Court
12-2pm	Ventures Open House	Global Change Institute (GCI) Ventures Space (20)
6.30-7.15pm	Glow in the Dark Zumba with UQ Sport	UQ Sport Fitness Centre (25)
6-8.30pm	Postgraduate Mixer (St Lucia & Herston) (R) Networking event for new postgraduate students	Great Court
THURSDAY 5 MARCH		
12-1pm	Mana of the Pacific Living Book Series: Tales of the Pacific	Great Court
12-5pm	Mana of the Pacific A cultural celebration of all Pacific Islander peoples. Workshops, arts and crafts, movie screening and stories	Great Court
5.30-8pm	Mana of the Pacific (dinner & show) (R) Join us for a traditional celebration feast (Hangi) & live show	Great Court

Tours

MONDAY 2 MARCH		
10-11am	Coffee Crawl (R)	Departs Great Court
11am-12pm	Campus tour	Departs Great Court
WEDNESDAY 4 MARCH		
11am-12pm	Campus tour	Departs Great Court
1-6pm	Best of Brisbane tour (R)	Departs Great Court
FRIDAY 6 MARCH		
1-6pm	Best of Brisbane tour (R)	Departs Great Court

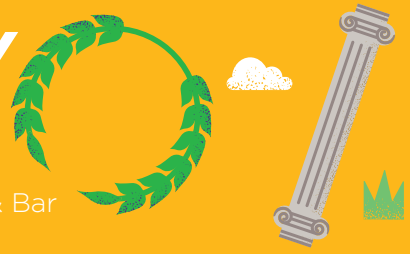
For all Orientation events including compulsory sessions, faculty events and more, visit the UQ orientation website: orientation.uq.edu.au

UQU TOGA PARTY

Friday, 21 Feb, 6-11pm

Great Court

Brisbane's biggest Toga Party! Food trucks, DJ & Bar

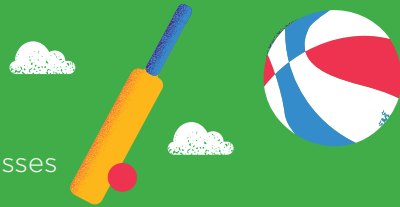


FREE COME & TRY

Monday 24 Feb - Sunday 8 March, All day

UQ Sport Venues

Free access to selected UQ Sport activities and classes

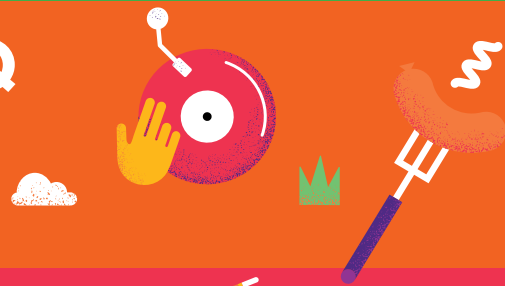


WELCOME BBQ

Tuesday 25 Feb, 11am-2pm

Great Court

Official Welcome to UQ + Free BBQ



MARKET DAY

Wednesday 26 Feb, 10am-2pm

Great Court

Clubs, societies, services, programs, freebies, entertainment & more



GET YOUR GEEK ON

Thursday 27 Feb, 3-9pm

Holt & Heath Rooms

UQ v QUT e-sports competition, panels, entertainment & more



MANA OF THE PACIFIC

Thursday 5 March, 12-8pm

Great Court

A cultural celebration of all Pacific Islander peoples.

Workshops, arts and crafts, movie screening and stories



Orientation checklist

New to UQ? Follow our quick Orientation guide below to get the best out of your experience.

- ❑ Attend your [Faculty Orientation](#) & compulsory sessions during O-Week (information, fun, freebies)
- ❑ Visit the [Welcome Hub](#) for your daily program of events
- ❑ Drop by the [International Arrival Lounge](#) to meet your fellow students from around the world
- ❑ Plan your orientation via the orientation planner [orientation.uq.edu.au](#)
- ❑ Take a [campus tour](#)
- ❑ Activate your [student email account](#)
- ❑ Get your [Student ID](#) from Prentice Centre
- ❑ Attend academic and personal skill [workshops](#) to get a head start
- ❑ Join the [Get Set Program](#) to help you connect!
- ❑ Download the [UQnav](#) app to help get around campus
- ❑ Sign up to a [club or society](#)
- ❑ Head to the [Official Welcome BBQ](#) in the Great Court
- ❑ Experience the legendary [UQ Union Toga Party](#)

What's next after orientation?

To find out what is happening around campus after Orientation, visit the UQLife website for the latest events, programs and updates.

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