

Postgraduate Freshers’ Week Timetable 2025 – The Queen’s College MCR



October	Wednesday 1st	Thursday 2nd	Friday 3rd	Saturday 4th	Sunday 5th	Monday 6th	Tuesday 7th	Wednesday 8th	Thursday 9th	Friday 10th	Saturday 11th	Sunday 12th
Morning	Arrivals (from 7 th September) You should pick up your Bod Card and Register with the College Office (located in staircase 2 in Front Quad) prior to induction on the 1 st .	Breakfast (Hall) 8:15-8:45	Breakfast (Hall) 8:15-8:45	No Breakfast	Breakfast (Hall) 8:15-8:45	Breakfast (Hall) 8:15-8:45	Breakfast (Hall) 8:15-8:45	Breakfast (Hall) 8:15-8:45	Breakfast (Hall) 8:15-8:45	Breakfast (Hall) 8:15-8:45	No Breakfast	Breakfast (Hall) 8:40-9:00
				Prosecco & Patisserie in the MCR <i>An opportunity to meet current students over pastries and bubbly in the MCR (meet @ MCR) 11:45-13:00</i> ☕🍺					Oxford SU Freshers' Fair (Examination Schools) 10:00-11:00			Brunch in the MCR (MCR) 10:00-11:00
		Lunch 12:30-13:30 <i>Sign on required by 11am via meals.queens.ox.ac.uk</i>	Lunch 12:30-13:30 <i>Sign on required by 11am via meals.queens.ox.ac.uk</i>	No Lunch	No Lunch	Lunch 12:30-13:15	Lunch 12:30-13:15	Lunch 12:30-13:15	Lunch 12:30-13:15	Lunch 12:30-13:15	Lunch 12:30-13:15	No Lunch
Afternoon	Welcome Tea, Coffee & Cakes + MCR Exec Intro (Meet at Front of College) 14:00-15:00	Hot chocolate and walking tour of Oxford Libraries (meet @ Lodge) 15:00-16:00			Sunday Roast [†] (meet @ MCR) 13:00-17:30 <i>A trip to a local pub for a traditional British Sunday Roast.</i> ☕🍺			Drop In with the Food Services Manager / Kitchen (Hall) 14:00-15:00 <i>This is an opportunity to discuss special dietary requirements with the Kitchen team</i>	Sports taster day and BBQ with the JCR (Fortress) (meet @ lodge) 13:00-17:30		QCBC Taster Day & BBQ (Queen's Boathouse) 13:30-18:00	Evensong: Freshers' Welcome Service (Chapel) 18:15 <i>All welcome regardless of faith or belief (it's a great opportunity to hear the College's choir sing!). Followed by prosecco in the Old Lodgings.</i> ☕🍺
	Induction (Shulman Auditorium) 15:00-18:40 <i>See separate timetable</i>							Queen's Freshers' Fair (Hall) 15:30-16:30	Meet the Disability Co-ordinator / Welfare & Student Support Officer (Magrath Room) 14:00-16:20 <i>To discuss exam adjustments or any other support for disabilities, including long term health conditions, book a slot online.</i>			
Dinner	Pre-Dinner Drinks (Upper Library) 18:45-1915 Provost's Dinner (Hall) 19:15-22:00 ☕🍺	Meet the Committee Pizza Night (MCR) 19:30-21:30 <i>An opportunity to meet the committee in the MCR over some free pizza, and some wine from the wine cupboard</i> ☕🍺	College Family Dinner (MCR & Hall) 18:30-21:00 <i>No sign-on required (more info to follow)</i> ☕🍺	No Dinner (undergraduate freshers' dinners)					Hall 18:00 <i>No sign on required</i>	Hall 18:00 <i>No sign on required</i>	Formal Hall 19:15 <i>Sign on required by 11am Friday via meals.queens.ox.ac.uk</i>	Hall 19:30 <i>Sign on required by 11am Friday via meals.queens.ox.ac.uk</i>
Evening	OXO Bar 22:00 <i>OXO Bar is located near Gloucester Green. The MCR will put money behind the bar!</i> ☕🍺	☕🍺	Drinks in the Beer Cellar (Beer Cellar) 21:00 ☕🍺			College Families Games Night (MCR) 19:30 – 21:30	Oxford Pub Treasure Hunt/Pub Crawl (Meet @ Beer Cellar) 20:00 <i>On this treasure hunt you will be visiting pubs, but none of the challenges involve drinking</i> ☕🍺	Around the World in Cocktails (MCR) 20:00-22:00 <i>An informal night of cocktail making in the MCR</i> ☕🍺	Freshers' Concert (Chapel) 19:30-21:00 <i>An hour-long music showcase by Queen's students followed by a drinks reception</i> ☕🍺	BOP (MCR) 21:30 - 00:00 ☕🍺	MCR Meeting (MCR) 20:00 - 20:30 <i>Free pizza!</i>	
							Glam Club Night [†] 22:30 ☕🍺					

If you can't attend a mandatory induction activity because of religious observance, please let us know so that we may excuse you from attendance.

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Red: Mandatory event (you have automatically been signed up for these events and need to let us know if you cannot attend)

Grey: MCR-run events (attend as many or as few events as you like)
† If marked with a cross, you must request a ticket via the MCR's signup form

  Event at which both non-alcoholic and alcoholic beverages will be available (all other events will be alcohol-free)