

“MINUS 1th WEEK”

From Monday 27th September

4.00 pm – MCR
6.00 pm
Committee members will be on hand in the MCR most days if you have any questions, or just want a chat!

Tuesday 28th September

9.00 pm MCR Bar night

Thursday 30th September

9.00 pm MCR Bar night

Friday 1st October

8.30 pm MCR Movie night

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Sunday 3rd October

11.30am MCR Free brunch and official welcome by the MCR Committee

12.30 pm Leave from MCR
onwards Tours of Oxford

2.30 pm Leave from MCR Walk through Port Meadow, ending in the Perch pub

8.30 pm MCR Free cocktails

Monday 4th October

9.00 am –
5.00 pm
You may be required to attend Departmental Induction Events during this time – you will be notified by your Department or Faculty if this is the case.

6.00 pm Hall First “First Hall” dinner of term (see pages 13-14 of the handbook)

9.00 pm MCR Pub quiz

Tuesday 5th October

9.00 am –
5.00 pm
You may be required to attend Departmental Induction Events during this time – you will be notified by your Department or Faculty if this is the case.

7.00 pm	Linbury Building	<i>Introductory session with the Provost and key members of the College. All freshers are expected to attend (dress code: informal)</i>
7.30 pm	Linbury Building	Free drinks and finger buffet following above session
9.00 pm onwards		MCR Party (in a local bar, venue to be advised)

Wednesday 6th October

11.00am	MCR	Tour of Worcester Gardens
1.00 pm - 2.00 pm	MCR	I.T. drop-in help session
2.30 pm	Sports pitch	Sports afternoon (weather permitting)
8.00pm	Meet in front of College	Tour of Oxford Pubs

OR

Time and location to be advised Cinema trip

Thursday 7th October

9.00 am – 12.00 noon	Exam Schools, High Street	University Freshers' Fair - * see end for further details (tickets available from the MCR President)
1.00 pm – 6.00 pm		You may be required to attend Departmental Induction Events during this time – you will be notified by your Department or Faculty if this is the case.
7.00 pm	Meet in front of College	Dinner out (at an external venue to be advised)

OR

8.00 pm - Meet at Lodge Trip to Oxford Ice Rink

Friday 8th October

10.00am – 12.00 pm	Hall	<i>All freshers who will be living in College accommodation must meet with the Domestic Bursar to sign a tenancy agreement, standing order form and pay the first month's rent</i>
4.00 pm – 6.00 pm	College Doctor's Surgery	<i>Registration with the College Doctor's Surgery at 27 Beaumont Street (see noticeboards near Lodge and outside Graduate Office for individual times). UK residents should take their NHS medical card with them. NB: The</i>

questionnaire you have been asked to complete (enclosed in your fresher's pack) is not your official NHS transfer or registration; it merely gives the doctor some information which can be used while awaiting the transfer of medical records.

8.00 pm College Bar JCR College Bop. The theme is **Pink and Black**, so dress yourselves in College colours in full Worcester spirit

OR

8.30 pm MCR Chill-out night – movies and snacks
onwards

OR

9.00 pm Club night (venue to be advised)

Saturday 9th October

10.30 am College Chapel Open rehearsal for those interested in joining the College Choir

2.00 pm – Linbury Building College Freshers' Fair
4.00 pm

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Sunday 10th October

11.30 am MCR Free brunch (this is a weekly event)

Afternoon Trip to Blenheim Palace

(Subject to sufficient interest, booking sheets will be in the MCR during 0th Week)

7.15 pm Hall First “Formal Hall” dinner of term (see pages 13-14 of the handbook)

Tuesday 12th October

9.00 pm MCR Bar night (this is a weekly event)

Friday 15th October

7.15 pm Hall “College Parent’s” Dinner (dress code: smart attire with gowns)

Saturday 16th October

1.00 pm Linbury Building Matriculation – assemble in the Linbury Building wearing sharp “subfusc” clothing with gown and cap. The Deputy Dean of Degrees (Dr S Scullion) will take you to the Matriculation Ceremony in the Sheldonian Theatre. The Freshers’ photograph will be taken in College before you depart.

NB: the following people do not matriculate:

- Anyone who has graduated from Cambridge University or Trinity College Dublin (you will have your previous degree incorporated instead of matriculating);*
- Visiting students from outside the EU; and*
- Anyone who has already matriculated at Oxford (eg. as an undergraduate)*

If in doubt please contact the Graduate Officer

“2nd WEEK”

Friday 22nd October

6.30 pm
onwards

Drinks with College Adviser (locations to be advised)

followed by

7.30 pm *Hall*

Graduate Freshers' Dinner (you will receive more information about this once you have arrived at Oxford)

* University Freshers' Fair - on the timetable you will see that (9.00 am – 12.00 pm on Thursday 8th October) is the Worcester session for the University Freshers' Fair. This is a large event where all the societies try to get your membership. You may sign up for as many of them as you like since you cannot part with any money at the Fair; but don't part with your money afterwards until you have had a chance to get involved as you are unlikely to be able to do as much as you first intend. There are many different societies ranging from the academic to the bizarre. Take a good look around as it's well worth it.