

NELSON MANDELA
UNIVERSITY

Faculty of **Science**



FYS @MANDELA
2024

Your guide to **First Year Success**

FYS Orientation **Timetable**
Gqeberha and George

South Campus Science Orientation Faculty Timetable

BSc (General) BSc (Biochemistry, Chemistry and Microbiology)
BSc (Physical Science and mathematics)
BSc (Human Movement Science and Biochemistry)
BSc (Computer Science) BSc (Geosciences, Geography and Geology)
BSc (Biological Sciences) BSc (Environmental Sciences)
BSc Extended

Event	Thurs (01/02/24)	Where/Platform
Faculty Welcome	17:00	Online: https://science.mandela.ac.za/Orientation
Event	Sat (03/02/24)	Where/Platform
VC Welcoming Address	09:00	Indoor Sports Centre
Event	Mon (05/02/24)	Where/Platform
BSc Extended studies information video.		Online: https://youtu.be/whUvH9MLzdg
Slides with information on registration of the BSc streams		Online: https://science.mandela.ac.za/Step-by-Step-Online-Registration
International Office Orientation: (For international students) Orientation Registration Welcome address by SD: Mandela International Office Overview of orientation program and activities (Anele Mngadi) Finance briefing for International Students (Janine Bezuidenhout) Academic Admin briefing for Degree seeking International Students (Asanda Tele) Registration Overview for Study Abroad & Exchange students (Monalisa Allen) Student Governance Presentation SRC International Officer	08:30 – 08:50 09:00 – 09:20 09:30 – 09:50 10:00 – 10:20 10:30 – 11:20 11:30 – 11:50 12:00 – 12:20 12:30 - 13:30	127 002

Break (Lunch Packs provided)		
Event	Tues (06/02/24)	Where/Platform
BSc & Extended studies curriculum advice session and pre-registration	09:00-12:30	On campus: Auditorium Inkanyezi Building (127 0002) & Online: https://bit.ly/BScCurriculumAdviceSession
International Office Orientation: (For international students)		
Health Matters - Medical Aid briefing for International Students	09:00 – 09:50	35 0040
	10:00 – 10:20	
The Study Part of Study Abroad – Academic Orientation (Paul Tai- Hing)	10:30 - 10:50	
Nelson Mandela Bay Tourism Mr D Louw	11:00 – 11:20	
Break (bring own lunch)	11:30 – 13:30	
Campus Tour incl. library tour	14:00 – 16:00	
Pre-registration – Study Abroad (online)		
Pre-registration - Degree Seeking students (English Classroom, South Campus)		
Event	Wed (07/02/24)	Where/Platform
FYS THRIVE 1 and 2	09:00 – 16:00	BUDDY GROUP DIVISION VIA WHATSAPP GROUPS
Recorded session - BSc & Extended studies curriculum advice session		Online: https://science.mandela.ac.za/Orientation
Supplemental instruction (SI) video		Online: https://youtu.be/nSmAe7qdbLM
International Office Orientation: (For international students)		
Pre-registration - Degree Seeking students (English Classroom, South Campus)	09:00 – 16:00	Online
Study Abroad Registration		

Event	Thurs (08/02/24)	Where/Platform
Nature Reserve Tour (BSc and BSc Extended Studies)	09:00 – 10:30	On campus: Start from Inkanyezi Building (127 0001)
Recorded session - BSc & Extended studies curriculum advice session		Online: https://science.mandela.ac.za/Orientation
Supplemental instruction (SI) video		Online: https://youtu.be/nSmAe7qdbLM
Thrive Support Session: Arts & Culture - 15 min SCSF - 30 min Emthonjeni - 30 min GBV - 30 min UADS - 30 min Campus Health - 30 min Arts & Culture - 15min	08:00 – 11:00	Auditorium
Event	Fri (09/02/24)	Where/Platform
Laboratory tours (Building 13, Inkanyezi and Embizweni)	08:15 – 10:00	On campus: Start from Inkanyezi Building (127 0001)
All Science programmes in Gqeberha (BSc and Diplomas) An Introduction to Moodle for First years – Mr Njabulo Ntombela (e-technologist)	10:00 – 11:00	On Campus: Inkanyezi Building (127 0002) Online: https://science.mandela.ac.za/Orientation
Meet first year lecturers (BSc, BSc Extended studies)	11:00 – 12:30	On Campus: Inkanyezi Building (127 0002)
International Office Orientation: (For international students) Study Abroad Registration Pre-registration - Degree Seeking students (English Classroom, South Campus) Orientation Party (TBC)	09:00 – 16:00 18:00 – 21:00	Online Contact International Office

North Campus Science Orientation Faculty Timetable

Dip Analytical Chemistry
Dip Polymer Technology
Dip Agricultural Management
Dip Game Ranch Management
Dip Chemical Process Technology

Event	Sat (03/02/24)	Where/Platform
VC Welcoming Address	09:00	Indoor Sports Centre
Agriculture and Game Orientation	10:30 – 10:55	Recorded online: Agriculture and Game Orientation
Agriculture and Game Orientation (RECORDED SESSION) Dr Qwabe, Ms Janene	11:00 – 11:25	Recorded online: Registration of Diploma Streams
Slides with information on registration of the Diploma streams	12:45 – 13:15	Recorded online: Telegram link
Agriculture Telegram broadcast group Dr Qwabe & Ms Janene		Recorded online: MS Teams link to be provided
Agriculture & Game Diplomas Plagiarism workshop (Ms Cingo)		Recorded online: Online: MS Teams link to be provided
Agriculture & Game Diplomas Showing students how to use Moodle and MS Teams (Ms Cingo)	14:30 – 14:55	Online: Information on the registration of the Diploma Streams
Slides with information on registration of the Diploma streams	11:30 – 12:30	On Campus: Meet at Building 127 South Campus
Agriculture & Game Diplomas showing students different libraries and other related resources	9:00 – 10:30	Hybrid: On Campus: Meet at Building 127 South Campus
Agriculture & Game Diplomas Introduction to academic writing (Ms Cingo)	10:30 – 10:55	Recorded online: Agriculture and Game Orientation
Event	Mon (05/02/24)	Where/Platform
Chemistry Diplomas - Laboratory equipment and protective wear requirements presented by Mr S Bosman/Mrs Mtwana	9:00 – 10:30	On campus: North Campus (Lab 0110)
Agriculture & Game Diplomas	9:00 – 12:30	On Campus: Start from Inkanyezi Building (South Campus)

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Event	Tues (06/02/24)	Where/Platform
Meet your lecturers. (Chemistry Diplomas) Chemistry Diplomas - Curriculum information for Diploma in Analytical Chemistry, Polymer Technology and Chemical Process Technology presented by Ms A Noah/Mr F Gerber/Dr S Gouws	9:00-12:30	On campus: North Campus, N1 Online: (MS Teams)
Chemistry Diplomas - First year booklet for Diploma students containing information re curriculum, academic and professional staff information.		Information booklet for first year diploma students
Agriculture & Game Diplomas Lecture Hall tour	9:00-12:30	On Campus: Start from Inkanyezi Building (127 0002)

Slides with information on registration of the Diploma streams		Online: https://science.mandela.ac.za/Step-by-Step-Online-Registration
International Office Orientation: (For international students) Health Matters - Medical Aid briefing for International Students The Study Part of Study Abroad – Academic Orientation (Paul Tai-Hing) Nelson Mandela Bay Tourism Mr D Louw Break (bring own lunch) Campus Tour incl. library tour Pre-registration – Study Abroad (online) Pre-registration - Degree Seeking students (English Classroom, South Campus)	09:00 – 09:50 10:00 – 10:20 10:30 - 10:50 11:00 – 11:20 11:30 – 13:30 14:00 – 16:00	35 0040
Event	Wed (07/02/24)	Where/Platform
FYS THRIVE 1 & 2	10:30 – 16:00	BUDDY GROUP DIVISION VIA WHATSAPP
Chemistry Diplomas - Laboratory equipment and protective wear requirements presented by Mr S Bosman/Mrs Mtwla	9:00 – 10:30	On campus: North Campus (Lab A110)
Recorded session - Chemistry Diplomas: Curriculum information for Diploma in Analytical Chemistry, Polymer Technology and Chemical Process Technology presented by Ms A Noah/Mr F Gerber/Dr S Gouws		Online: https://science.mandela.ac.za/Orientation
Chemistry Diplomas - First year booklet for Diploma students containing information re curriculum, academic and professional staff information.		Information booklet for first year diploma students
International Office Orientation: (For international students) Pre-registration - Degree Seeking students (English Classroom, South Campus)	09:00 – 16:00	Online

Study Abroad Registration		
Event	Thurs (08/02/24)	Where/Platform
Nature Reserve Tour (All Science Diplomas)	09:00 – 10:30	On Campus: Start from Inkanyezi Building (127 0001)
Agriculture and Game Ranch Departmental Welcome 1. HoD welcome & Introduction to staff 2. Modules 3. Course philosophy 4. Course structure 5. Timetables 6. Class attendance 7. Study guides	11:00 – 12:30	On Campus: Inkanyezi Building (127 0018)
Chemistry Diplomas - Laboratory equipment and protective wear requirements presented by Mr S Bosman		Face to face and online (MS Teams link)
Recorded session - Chemistry Diplomas: Curriculum information for Diploma in Analytical Chemistry, Polymer Technology and Chemical Process Technology presented by Ms A Noah/Mr F Gerber/Dr S Gouws		Online: https://science.mandela.ac.za/Orientation
Chemistry Diplomas - First year booklet for Diploma students containing information re curriculum, academic and professional staff information.		Information booklet for first year diploma students
Event	Fri (09/02/24)	Where/Platform
Chemistry Diplomas - Laboratory equipment and protective wear requirements presented by Mr S Bosman/Mrs Mtwla	08:30 – 10:00	On campus: North Campus (Lab 0110)
(Agriculture & Game Diplomas) Wellness, coaching, sports, and recreation	08:30 – 10:00	On Campus: South Campus (Inkanyezi Building 127 0002)
Chemistry, Agriculture and Game Diplomas (Moodle Training) An Introduction to Moodle for First years – Mr Njabulo Ntombela (e-technologist)	10:30 – 11:30	On Campus: Inkanyezi Building Auditorium (127 0002)

Slides with information on registration of the Diploma streams		Online: https://science.mandela.ac.za/Step-by-Step-Online-Registration
Recorded session - Chemistry Diplomas: Curriculum information for Diploma in Analytical Chemistry, Polymer Technology and Chemical Process Technology presented by Ms A Noah/Mr F Gerber/Dr S Gouws		Online: https://science.mandela.ac.za/Orientation
International Office Orientation: (For international students) Study Abroad Registration Pre-registration - Degree Seeking students (English Classroom, South Campus) Orientation Party (TBC)	09:00 – 16:00 18:00 – 21:00	Online Contact International Office
Thrive Support Session: Arts & Culture - 15 min SCSF - 30 min Emthonjeni - 30 min Success Coaching - 15min GBV - 30 min UADS - 30 min Campus Health - 30 min	08:00 – 11:00	Auditorium
Teaching cycle 1 starts		
Chemistry Diplomas - HOD welcome introduction to programme coordinators, academic and professional staff, and In-service trainee students.	09:00 – 09:25	On Campus: Analytical Chem: 207 0001 (N1) Polymer Tech: 207 0001 (N1) Chem Process Tech: 207 0001 (N1) and In-service trainee students
Chemistry Diplomas Laboratory tour Workstation allocation and laboratory requirements.	09:30-12:00	On Campus: LAB A110 LAB A220 LAB A110
Event	Tues (13/02/24)	Where/Platform
All Science programmes in Gqeberha (BSc and Diplomas) An Introduction to Moodle for First years – Mr Njabulo Ntombela (e-technologist)	10:00 – 11:00	On Campus: Inkanyezi Building (Building 127)
Chemistry Diplomas Laboratory tour Workstation allocation and laboratory requirements	11:30 – 14:00	On Campus: LAB A110 LAB A220 LAB A110

George Campus Science Orientation Faculty Timetable

Faculty programmes:

Dip Agricultural Management
Dip Forestry
Dip Nature Conservation
Dip Wood Technology
HC Veldfire Management

Event	Fri (02/02/2024)	Where/Platform
George Campus Senior Director's Welcome	17:00	Online: <i>Faculty to provide link</i>
Event	Sat (03/02/24)	Where/Platform
VC Welcoming Address	09:00	Online: <i>Faculty to provide link</i>
Event	Mon (05/02/24)	Where/Platform
FYS THRIVE 1	08:00 – 16:00	BUDDY GROUP DIVISION
Slides with information on registration of the Diploma streams		Online: <i>Faculty to provide link</i>
Know Your Town Tour	08:00	Garden Route
Event	Tues (06/02/24)	Where/Platform
Welcome to the SNRS&M (JL)	09:00 – 10:00	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
Get to Know Your Library	10h00 – 10h30	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
Campus Protection: Safety and Security on campus	10h30 – 11h00	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
Universal Accessibility and Disability Services (UADS)	11h00 – 11h30	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
Campus Health	11h30 – 12h00	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
Emthonjeni Student Wellness	12h00 – 12h30	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
Student Success Coaching & Academic Support	12h30 – 13h00	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
Lunch	13h00 – 13h55	Where/Platform
Madibaz Sport	14h00 – 14h30	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
Transformation Office	14h30 – 15h00	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
*Living with the Primates	15h00 – 15h30	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
Event	Wed (07/02/24)	Where/Platform
FYS THRIVE 2	08:30 – 10:00	BUDDY GROUP DIVISION

Dept./ Prog. Welcome (HOD's, PM's) • Introduction staff • Modules • Course philosophy • Course structure • Timetables • Class attendance • Study guides	10:00-11:00	302 0003: Agriculture 302 0007: Nature Conservation Lecture Theatre: Forestry 349 0001: Wood Technology
Ice breaker: Introductions	12:00-13:00	Lecture theatre
BREAK	13:00-14:00	BREAK
Academic Admin (EL & NdP)	14:00-15:00	Lecture theatre
Needs Analysis	15:00 – 16:00	Lecture theatre
Event	Thurs (08/02/24)	Where/Platform
Hike in Campus surroundings	09:00 – 12:00	
Lunch	12:30-13:30	Picnic at the Recreational Centre
Student Societies: Agric Society, NMU Forestry Assoc., Green Campus Forum	13:30-15:00	Lecture Theatre
Event	Fri (09/02/24)	Where/Platform
Introduction to: - Online learning platforms - File management - Assessment procedure - Moodle (HvZ)/TP/RM)	09:00-11:00	Online: <i>Faculty to provide link</i>
Technology @Mandela: ICT Support	11h30 – 12h15	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
Academic Writing Literacies	12h15 – 12h45	Mopani: Lecture Theatre
BREAK	12h45 – 13h55	BREAK
Work-Integrated Learning- Programme specific (HoD's, PM's)	14:00-16:00	On Campus: 302 0003: Agriculture 302 0007: Nature Conservation Lecture Theatre: Forestry 349 0001: Wood Technology

Online Registration Information Sessions

Consultation sessions are scheduled for programmes where you may require assistance with selecting your modules. Programmes with no module selection or clearly defined module selection details are not listed above. We encourage you to follow this link: <https://www.mandela.ac.za/study-at-mandela/registration/2024-registration> to register online for these programmes.

For **registration queries relating to the faculty**, kindly contact the relevant Faculty Administrative Consultant below or use the following link: <https://www.mandela.ac.za/www-new/media/Store/documents/Registration/2023-Staff-contact-detail-per-qualifications.pdf>

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