MBChB (ScotGEM) students checklist

This checklist is intended for use alongside web pages and other resources. You may find it helpful to print a copy and tick off things as you do them.

University new entrants web page

	look at the University's new entrants and orientation web pages
	organise accommodation
	ensure you have received your University email account
	ensure the University knows about any special needs you may have, for example because of a disability
	pay fees (Note: if you are a Home funded student, your fees are paid directly by the Scottish Government)
	from August – complete matriculation online
School of Medicine & Launchpad web page	
Things to do: -	
	read the Protecting Vulnerable Groups letter, then email 3 forms of ID to: medpvg@st-andrews.ac.uk The deadline to complete the PVG process is the beginning of Orientation week.
	complete and return the Occupational Health Questionnaire – deadline end of July
	read, sign and return the Standards of Fitness for Entry to and studying Medicine (HEOPS statement) the link is included in your email from md2000@st-andrews.ac.uk – deadline 18th August 2025
Things to read / look at: -	
	advice on textbooks
	advice on computers / printers
	ScotGEM Student Contract (but don't sign it yet!)
	St Andrews Medic Fresher's Facebook page
	Look at the School's Orientation week timetable
Things to bring: -	
	Passport – original and a copy
	Birth certificate – original and a copy
	Driving Licence (if you have one)— original and a copy
	National Identity Card (if you have one) – original and a copy
	Immunisation history
	Clothing for clinical sessions – see Clinical Skills Dress Code