

SCHOOL OF MEDICINE
SCOTGEM - ORIENTATION WEEK PROGRAMME – SEPTEMBER 2025

**THIS IS A PROVISIONAL TMETABLE WHICH WILL BE UPDATED THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER
 – PLEASE CHECK ON A REGULAR BASIS**

Date	Time	Activity	Venue	Group
Sat 6 th	All Day	Halls open / ID cards issued		
Sun 7 th	13:00-15:00	Parents/Families Tours of the Medical School The School is open for tours by current students prior to the University Parents Reception	Medicine Foyer	whole class
Mon 8 th	09:00-09:30	Welcome to the School by the Dean of Medicine, Director of Teaching, Course Directors, Module Leads	Booth Lecture Theatre	whole class
	09.30-10.30	So Now You are a Medical Student Medical Support Team	Booth Lecture Theatre	whole class
	11.30-12.30	Principal's Welcome & Opening Ceremony Welcomes from the Principal, the Vice-Principal Education (Proctor), the Dean, an academic member from the Faculty, the Sabbatical Officers	Younger Hall	whole University
	14:00-15:00	Welcome to ScotGEM Dr Fiona Graham	Booth Lecture Theatre	whole class
	15:00-16:00	Lecture: Year 1 ScotGEM	Booth Lecture Theatre	whole class
	16:00-16:45	Q&A with current students	Booth Lecture Theatre	whole class
	17:00	Joint catered reception for all MBChB programmes	Medical School Building cafe	whole class
Tue 9 th	09:00-10:00	Introduction to GCM Day and CLIC	Maths Lecture Theatre B, School of Mathematics	whole class
	10:00-12:00	CLIC- CLIC Lead & GCMs	Clinical Skills, Medical School	whole class
	12:00-13:00	Lecture: Solas and ScotGEM LT Gary Barclay	Booth Lecture Theatre	whole class
	13:30-15:00	Skin Surveillance	Room 223, Medical School	Individual timings
	AfternoonUniversity Freshers' and Sports Fayres			
Wed 10 th	09:00-10:00	Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Dr John Winpenny	Maths Lecture Theatre B, School of Mathematics	whole class
	10:00-11:00	Introduction to Anatomy Dr Enis Cezayirli	Maths Lecture Theatre B, School of Mathematics	whole class
	11:00-13:00	Anatomy	Dissection Room, Medical School	whole class
	14:00-16:00	Professionalism & Portfolio Dr Siobhan Lynch	Booth Lecture Theatre	whole class

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	16:00-17:00	The use of Medicines Joanna Hornal	Booth Lecture Theatre	whole class
Thu 11 th	09.00-11.00	GCM Introduction Tutorials (Groups and Rooms will be on Solas)	Tutorial Rooms 1 – 12, Medical School	Individual Groups
	11:00-13:00	Skin Surveillance	Room 223, Medical School	Individual timings
	11.30-15.00	Medical Fresher's Fayre <i>Various events will be scheduled throughout this day showcasing the various University medical societies you may wish to join as well as the external, professional societies that offer student members a wide variety of support and resources via membership.</i>	Seminar Room 1 and Multi Purpose Lab, Medical School	whole class
Fri 12 th	9:00-17:00	Occupational Health appointments will take place in Dundee along with an open day in the ScotGEM Office in Ninewells Hospital and student-led tours	Dundee	Whole class

Groups: Student's Groups and all updated timetable information will be posted on Solas (Curriculum Management Programme) - <https://solas.st-andrews.ac.uk/login>

Matriculation: University Matriculation (St Andrews and Dundee) is additional to this programme and will be online - details will be emailed to you directly.

Checklist of non-timetabled tasks to complete before or during Orientation week:

1. Complete online PVG and return to medpvg@st-andrews.ac.uk
2. Complete and return Skin Surveillance Questionnaire and declaration