

# Registration & Orientation Programme for International Students

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> - Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2022

We look forward to welcoming you to Bangor and have put in place an orientation programme which will enable you to get to know the University, meet staff, and other students. Majority of events will be face-to-face, and this programme complements the University central programme, which will be available in August. This will explain how to fully enrol at the University, as well as giving details of events organised by your School.

It is very important that you check your Bangor email address when this is set up, as all information regarding arrivals, welcome and registration, as well as information from your academic School during your time at the University will be sent to that email. For more information and advice on all aspects of living in Bangor and the support provided by the University, see: <http://www.bangor.ac.uk/international/support/>

Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> September		
Time	Event	Location
Various times	Airport Pick-Up from Manchester Airport. For more information and to book a place, see: <a href="http://www.bangor.ac.uk/international/support/airportpickup">www.bangor.ac.uk/international/support/airportpickup</a>	Manchester Airport
All Day	Bar Uno Cafe open for refreshments and luggage storage  International Education Centre open for information	Bar Uno, Ffriddoedd Village  Rathbone Hall, College Road
2-7pm	<b>Registration event for international students:</b> Online Enrolment/ID Checking/Fee payment Complete your registration and collect student ID Cards.  * This event is repeated through the week *	Ffriddoedd Village
3pm	Walking Tour of Bangor (2 hours)	Meet outside Bar Uno (Ffriddoedd Village) OR Outside the St Mary's Village Halls Office
From 7pm	New Arrivals Social - come and meet other newly-arrived students in a relaxed environment after the long trip!	Bar Uno Cafe, Ffriddoedd Village & Barlows, St Mary's Village

Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> September		
Time	Event	Location
All Day	International Education Centre open for information	Rathbone Hall
9.30am	Welcome Breakfast Reception – an opportunity to meet other students & collect information from staff.	Powis Hall, Main Arts Building (next door to PJ Hall)
10.30am – 12.00pm	<p>Welcome Morning – Find out about Living and Studying in Bangor! This is an information session for all international/overseas students.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome from Head of International Student Support: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Opening a bank account</li> <li>○ English Language Support</li> <li>○ Police Registration</li> <li>○ Finding a place to live</li> <li>○ Registering with doctor</li> <li>○ Visas and immigration</li> <li>○ Working during studies</li> <li>○ General Safety &amp; Welfare</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Meet the International Student Ambassadors.</li> <li>• Information stalls available from different Bangor University Departments</li> </ul>	PJ Hall, Main Arts Building, College Road
1pm – 5pm	<p><b>Registration Event for International Students:</b> Online Enrolment/ID Checking/Fee Payment</p> <p>Complete your Registration and collect Student ID cards (This Session is NOT for Exchange &amp; Study Abroad Students)</p>	Ffriddoedd Village
2pm	<p>Walking tour of Bangor (approx.1hr).</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Walking tour to Menai Bridge, Isle of Anglesey (approx.2hr30min, weather dependent).</p>	Meet outside Rathbone Reception, College Road
2pm – 4pm	Exchange students and 'Study Abroad Programme' students only - Welcome and information meeting: <b>Compulsory Session</b>	TBC
4pm	Library & IT Services Tours – Sign up in advance at the Library Services stall during the Welcome Morning Session.	Meet outside Main Arts Building Reception
7pm	Bingo Night! Win prizes - Free entry.	Bar Uno, Ffriddoedd Village

Friday 16th September		
Time	Activity	Location
All Day	International Education Centre open for information	Rathbone Hall
10am	Online Welcome Information Session for International Students Important information about Visas, registering with the GP, registering with the Police and opening a bank account	ZOOM*
10 am – 5pm	<b>Registration event for international students:</b> Online Enrolment/ID Checking/Fee payment Complete your registration and collect student ID Cards.  * This event is repeated on Saturday and Sunday *	Ffriddoedd Village
11.30am	Bus tour of the local area (2 hours max.) Tickets = £5  ** Buy tickets at the International Student Support Office, Rathbone **	Meet outside Main Arts Building Reception, College Road
3pm	<i>"Croeso i Gymru!"</i> – A presentation on the history of Bangor, the culture of Wales and local places of interest.	TBC
5.30pm - 6.30pm	<i>Meet and Mingle</i> with the Campus Life Team – Meet new friends staying in Halls and walk together to TWMPATH!	Bar Uno, Ffriddoedd Village & Barlows, St. Mary's
7pm	TWMPATH-Traditional Welsh dancing with live music. Free event.	PJ Hall, Main Arts Building

Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> September		
Time	Activity	Location
ALL DAY	Various events welcoming new students: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Students' Union and Campus Life fun activities</li> <li>- Bar Uno Cafe open for food and drink</li> </ul>	Ffriddoedd Village & St Mary's Village
10am	<b>Online Q&amp;A with the International Student Support Team</b> Whether you are already in Bangor or still abroad, come and ask Alan and Marcel any questions you may have. Here to listen, here to help!	ZOOM*
10am - 5pm	<b>Registration event for ALL students:</b> Online Enrolment/ID Checking/Fee payment Complete your registration and collect your student ID Cards.	Ffriddoedd Village

Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> September		
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ALL DAY	Various events welcoming new students: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Students' Union and Campus Life fun activities</li> <li>- Bar Uno Cafe open for food and drink</li> </ul>	Ffriddoedd Village & St Mary's Village
10am	<b>Online Q&amp;A with the International Student Support Team</b> Whether you are already in Bangor or still abroad, come and ask Alan and Marcel any questions you may have. Here to listen, here to help!	ZOOM*
10am - 5pm	<b>Registration event for ALL students:</b> Online Enrolment/ID Checking/Fee payment Complete your registration and collect your student ID Cards.	Ffriddoedd Village

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> – Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September****International Events during [Main University Welcome Week](#)**

<b>Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
11am	Walking Tour of Bangor with your International Student Ambassadors  * This event is repeated through the week *	Meet outside Rathbone Reception, College Road
11am	Online Q&A - Students with families and +21 Students	ZOOM*
2pm	Employability Workshop – Visa restrictions, where to look for jobs, creating a good cv / personal statement.	ZOOM*
3pm	General Information Welcome Session – aimed at students that could not attend early Orientation	Lecture Room 4, Main Arts Building

<b>Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
10am	<b>Online Q&amp;A with the International Student Support Team</b> Whether you are already in Bangor or still abroad, come and ask Alan and Marcel any questions you may have. Here to listen, here to help!	ZOOM*
10am-5pm	Serendipity 2022 – Student's Union Welcome Fair! Join and meet all the clubs and societies	Canolfan Brailsford, Ffriddoedd Village
11am	Walking Tour of Bangor with your International Student Ambassadors  * This event is repeated through the week *	Meet outside Rathbone Reception, College Road
2pm	Navigating MyBangor Website – timetables, module information, attendance, requesting letters.	TBC
7pm	International QUIZ Night Free event, come and win some prizes!	Powis Hall, Main Arts

<b>Wednesday 21<sup>th</sup> September</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
10am	<b>Online Q&amp;A with the International Student Support Team</b> Whether you are already in Bangor or still abroad, come and ask Alan and Marcel any questions you may have. Here to listen, here to help!	ZOOM*
10am-5pm	Serendipity 2022 – Student’s Union Welcome Fair! Join and meet all the clubs and societies	Canolfan Brailsford, Ffriddoedd Village
11.30am	Bus tour of the local area (2 hours max.) Tickets = £5  ** Buy tickets at the International Student Support Office, Rathbone **	Meet outside Main Arts Building Reception, College Road
2pm	Library & IT Services Tours – Sign up in advance at the Library Services stall during the Welcome Morning Session.	Meet outside Main Arts Building Reception
3pm	Workshop – Studying in a multi-cultural environment	Lecture Room 4 Main Arts Building
7pm	International Film Night Free event, film to be confirmed	Main Arts Lecture Theatre

<b>Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
10am	<b>Online Q&amp;A with the International Student Support Team</b> Whether you are already in Bangor or still abroad, come and ask Alan and Marcel any questions you may have. Here to listen, here to help!	ZOOM*
11am	Walking Tour of Bangor with your International Student Ambassadors  * This event is repeated through the week *	Meet outside Rathbone Reception, College Road
3pm	Welsh class for total beginners! Learn the basics to meet and greet people in Wales	Lecture Room 4 Main Arts Building
7pm	International Social Night - Join us and get to know our Student Ambassadors for a night full of games and KARAOKE!	Bar Uno, Ffriddoedd Village

Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> September		
Time	Activity	Location
10am	<b>Online Q&amp;A with the International Student Support Team</b> Whether you are already in Bangor or still abroad, come and ask Alan and Marcel any questions you may have. Here to listen, here to help!	ZOOM*
11am	Walking Tour of Bangor with your International Student Ambassadors	Meet outside Rathbone Reception, College Road
12pm	Navigating MyBangor Website – timetables, module information, attendance, requesting letters.	TBC
2pm	TOP TIPS For Successful Studies - Workshop by the Study Skills Centre for new International Students -	Lecture Room 4, Main Arts Building

Saturday 24 <sup>th</sup> September		
Time	Activity	Location
10am – 6pm	Bus Tour of Snowdonia National Park Tickets = £10, available from International Student Support Office	Meet outside Main Arts Building at 9.45am

### How to contact the International Student Support Team...

Email: [internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk](mailto:internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk) Web: [www.bangor.ac.uk/international/support](http://www.bangor.ac.uk/international/support)

Telephone: 01248 382882 Facebook: [www.facebook.com/BangorUniversityInternational](https://www.facebook.com/BangorUniversityInternational)

### \*Online Zoom sessions

All Zoom sessions can be accessed by logging on the meeting details below:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83196868721?pwd=ZUhwdnFQUWxUbmNCMHlzVm01Y09TUT09>

Meeting ID: 831 9686 8721

Passcode: bangor2022

