

21st July, 2023

Subject: The Way to UM - New Student Orientation Programme (For Bachelor's Degree Students)

This letter is intended to those students who have accepted the admission offer from the University of Macau (UM) in the coming academic year of 2023/2024 and completed the admission procedures as indicated in the UM On-line Application System or the admission offer letter. If you do not accept the admission offer, please discard this notification.

Dear student,

Welcome to UM! The Way to UM - New Student Orientation Programme is designed to provide you with a dynamic and informative experience, helping you adapt to the university learning environment, and plan your university life. Through our programme, meeting with professors and professionals, you will set a foundation for a rewarding experience at UM.

Attached please find the programme schedule. We look forward to seeing you at the Orientation Programme.

9-10 August	Residential College Move-In				
11 August	First Step to UM				
	Flag-Raising Ceremony				
15 August	Convocation and First Lecture of University				
	Faculty Briefing				
15 August 16:00 -	Course Add/Drop				
28 August 10:00					

Important Activities

The Way to UM - New Student Orientation Programme (NSOP) webpage

This webpage provides new students with information about campus life, orientation activities, campus and sports facilities, and the University of Macau Students' Union (UMSU), etc.



Campus Map and Virtual Tour

https://www.um.edu.mo/visitors

Sincerely,

Student Affairs Office



The Way to UM - New Student Orientation Programme Schedule 2023/2024

The "New Student Orientation Programme" (NSOP) provides the foundation for students to adapt to and succeed in the University learning environment. To ensure that the benefits of the programme are maximized, students are encouraged to participate in orientation activities according to the following schedule.

Date	Activities	Time	Audience	Venue	Enquiry	Website/Enquiry	
0 August	Move-in to Residential College	All-day					
9 August	Residential College Reception	Evening					
	Move-in to Residential College	All-day	All new students	Details to	be announced by Residential	College	
10 August	Residential College Activities	Evening					
10 August	Crime Prevention Talk by Macau Judiciary Police: "Be a Smart UMer"	14:00-15:00	Mainland China Students	University Hall N2	thewaytoum@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4821	"NSOP" Webpage	
11 August	First Step to UM	09:30-11:00 (Admission time: 09:00-09:25)	All new students	Sports Pavilion Sports Complex N8	thewaytoum@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4821		
	Course Enrolment Briefing (to be conducted online)	All-day	All new students	Not Applicable	registry@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4007	UMMoodle	
	Registration and Campus Card Production	11:30-13:00 14:00-19:00	Mainland China Students	Multi-function Hall Guest House N1	admission@um.edu.mo/ registry@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4007	https://reg.um.edu.mo	
	Residential College Activities	Evening	All new students	Details to	Details to be announced by Residential College		
12-14 August	First Lecture & Orientation of Residential College	All-day	All new students	Details to be announced by Residential College			



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	Flag-Raising Ceremony	09:30-09:35	Each Residential College will arrange student representatives to attend the ceremony	Lotus Square (In front of N6 Administration Building)	sao.services@um.edu.mo +853 8822 8705	https://srs.sao.um.edu.mo
	Convocation & First Lecture of University	10:00-12:00 (Admission from 09:30 to 09:55)	All New Students	Sports Pavilion Sports Complex N8	thewaytoum@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4821	Live Broadcast at "NSOP"Webpage
		14:30-15:30	First Lecture (All new students from FAH)	E4-G078		
	Faculty Orientation	Faculty Orientation Faculty of Arts and Humanities (FAH) 15:30-17:00	Chinese Language and Literature	E4-1051		http://fah.um.edu.mo
	•		English Studies	E4-1052	fah.enquiry@um.edu.mo +853 8822 8357	
15 August			History	E4-3052		
13 August			Japanese Studies	E4-3054		
			Portuguese Studies	E4-1063		
		14:30-15:00	First Lecture (All new students from FBA)	University Hall N2	fba.suggestion@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4735 /4736 /4737	
			Business Administration	E4-1061	Tochiitl@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4736	
	Faculty Orientation Faculty of Business		Accounting	E4-G062	katherinechan@um.edu.mo +853 8822 8868	http://fbs.ups.edu.mo.
	Administration (FBA)	15:00-17:00	Business Intelligence and Data Analytics	E22-G010	lskuong@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4737	http://fba.um.edu.mo
			Finance	E22-G013	Tinasi@um.edu.mo +853 8822 9949]
			International Integrated Resort Management	E22-G015	josephcheang@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4731	



Date	Activities	Time	Audience	Venue	Contact	Website/Enquiry
		14:30-16:30		Student Activity Centre Theatre E31-G001	FED_Prog@um.edu.mo +853 8822 8776/4109	
			Chinese	E33-G017	JenniellaC@um.edu.mo	
	Faculty Orientation		English	E33-2034	+853 8822 8776	
	Faculty of Education (FED)	16:30-17:30	Integrated Science	E33-G018	alanchang@um.edu.mo	http://fed.um.edu.mo
	(1 = 2)	10.50-17.50	Mathematics	E33-G019	+853 8822 4109	
			Pre-Primary Education	E33-1029	maggieng@um.edu.mo	
			Primary Education	E33-1030	+853 8822 8775	
		15:00-15:30	All new students from FHS	E4-G068		http://fhs.um.edu.mo
	Faculty Orientation	aculty of Health Sciences	Bioinformatics	E4-3064	fha atudaat@um adu ma	
	Faculty of Health Sciences (FHS)		Biomedical Sciences	E4-3063	fhs.student@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4939/4966	
15 August		15.45 17.00	Pharmaceutical Sciences and Technology	E4-3062		
	Faculty Orientation Faculty of Law (FLL)	14:30 -17:00	All new students from FLL	E32-G020 & G027	fll.enquiry@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4779/ 9358	https://fll.um.edu.mo
		16:00-16:30	Dean's Welcome Speech (All new students from FSS)	E4-G078		
			Communication	E4-G078		
Faculty Orient Faculty of Social S (FSS)	Faculty Orientation		Economics	E4-G051	fss.enquiry@um.edu.mo	
		16:30-17:30	Government and Public Administration	E4-G068	+853 8822 8976	https://fss.um.edu.mo
			Psychology	E3-1043		
			Sociology	E4-G053		



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		15:00-15:30	First Lecture (All new students from FST)	University Hall N2			
			Applied Physics and Chemistry	E11-1012			
	Faculty Orientation		Computer Science	University Hall N2	fat an an im Ourse address		
15 August	Faculty of Science and Technology	45 20 46 20	Civil Engineering	E11-G015	fst.enquiry@um.edu.mo +853 8822 4963/ 4964	http://fst.um.edu.mo	
	(FST)	15:30-16:30	Electrical and Computer Engineering	E11-1006			
				Electromechanical Engineering	E11-1025		
			Mathematics	E11-1027	E11-1027		
	Residential College Activities	Evening	All new students	Details to be announced by Residential College			
16-17 August	Student Fair (Student Organizations Festival, Recruitment of Cultural & Arts U Teams Members, National Flag Team Members and Student Training Programmes, UM department exhibition booths)	12:00-20:00	All new students	G/F & 1/F Student Activity Centre E31	sao.leadership@um.edu.mo +853 8822 9915 sao.services@um.edu.mo +853 8822 9909	https://sds.sao.um.edu.mo https://srs.sao.um.edu.mo	
23 August	Macao Cultural Fest	17:00-19:30	All new students	Student Activity Centre Plaza E31	thewaytoum@um.edu.mo +853 8822 9422	"NSOP" Webpage	



Date	Activities	Time	Audience	Venue	Contact	Website/Enquiry
29 August	Medical Check*		Mainland China Students	Kiang Wu Hospital		
to 15 September	Visa Application*	To be announced	Mainland China and Overseas Students	Immigration Building of the Public Security Police Force	sao.services@um.edu.mo +853 8822 9902	https://srs.sao.um.edu.mo

*Please refer to the relevant e-bulletin & email notification sent by Student Resources Section in due course.

Remark: Photographs and videos taken during the programme will be used for promotion and record purpose.



Town Hall with Parents

Date	Activity	Time	Contact	Registration	Website/Enquiry
10 August	Audience: Parents or legal guardians Language: Mandarin with simultaneous interpretation to Cantonese and English	15:15-18:30	+853 8822 4821 thewaytoum@um.edu.mo	Seats are limited. Please register before 5 August.	"NSOP" Webpage

Sports Experience, Introduction to Fitness Facilities and Guided Tours

Date	Activity	Time	Responsible Unit	Venue	Application/Enquiry
	Volleyball Experience	15:00-17:00		Training Hall G/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	WeChat Official Account: UM_OSA_SPORTS 回訳記録画
9 August	Tchoukball Experience	17:00-19:00		Training Hall G/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	
	Football Experience	20:00-22:00	Office of Sports	Outdoor: Mini Artificial Turf Soccer Pitch (Near S9)	Registration:
9 & 16 August	Indoor Rowing Experience	14:00-15:30 15:30-17:00	Affairs	Recreation Area 1/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	
9 to 16 August	UM Sports Complex Guided Tour	10:00-10:45 11:00-11:45 14:00-14:45 15:00-15:45		Lobby G/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	Enquiry: osa.development@um.edu.mo



Sports Experience, Introduction to Fitness Facilities and Guided Tours

Date	Activity	Time	Responsible Unit	Venue	Application/Enquiry
10 August	Dodgebee Experience	16:00-18:00		Training Hall	
14 August	Dougebee Experience	10:00-12:00		G/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	
11, 13 & 15 August	Rock Climbing Experience	20:00-22:00		Sport Climbing Wall and Bouldering Wall 1/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	WeChat Official Account:
11 & 15 August	Badminton Experience	13:00-15:00 15:00-17:00 17:00-19:00 19:00-21:00		Badminton Hall, 4/F/ Training Hall, G/F UM Sports Complex, N8	UM_OSA_SPORTS
	Dragon Boat Machine Experience	10:00-12:00		Recreation Area 1/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	
12 August	Archery Experience	10:00-11:00 11:00-12:00 12:00-13:00	Office of Sports Affairs	Outdoor: Archery Range (Near S9)	Registration:
12 August	Kinkell Europienes	15:00-17:00		Training Hall	1422/005
13 August	Kinball Experience	10:00-12:00		G/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	
	Squash Experience	14:30-16:00 16:00-17:30		Squash Court, Court #1,2,3 4/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	Enquiry: osa.development@um.edu.mo
14 August	American Football Experience	16:00-18:00		Outdoor: Mini Artificial Turf Soccer Pitch (Near S9)	
	Korfball Experience	17:00-19:00		Training Hall G/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	
14 & 16 August	Fitness Room User Introductory Course	11:00-11:45		Fitness Room 3/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	
15 & 16 August	Basketball Experience	14:00-16:30 16:30-19:00		Training Hall G/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	



Free Use of Sports Facilities

Date	Activity	Time	Unit	Venue	Remarks
9 to 16 August	Open Use of Recreation Facilities (Basketball Machines, Foosball Table, Ice Hockey Table, Darts, American Pool and Snooker Table)	07:00-23:00	Office of Sports Affairs	Common Area 1/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	First-come-first-served Minimum players for free use: 2 (Except For Recreation Facilities)
	Badminton	07:00-23:00		Badminton Hall 4/F, UM Sports Complex, N8/ Training Hall G/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	
	Table Tennis	07:00-23:00		Table Tennis Room 3/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	
5 10 10 / 10 8051	Squash	07:00-23:00		Squash Court 4/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	
	Tennis	08:00-22:00		Outdoor: Tennis Court Court #1 (near W11)	
	Swimming	07:30-13:30; 15:00-18:00		Swimming Pool G/F, UM Sports Complex, N8	Mon: 15:00-18:00 Tue-Fri: 07:30-13:30; 15:00-18:00 Sat-Sun: 10:30-13:30; 15:00-18:00

Notes:

1. Use of sports venues for free is available on a first-come-first-served basis.

2. Users must present valid UM identification cards to register for use of any un-booked venues, 15 minutes before each hour.

3. Free use of un-booked venue is limited to one hour at a time or up to 2 hours in one day.

4. Users must use the venues as intended.

5. Users must leave their UM campus cards at the Service Counter of Office of Sports Affairs when using any of the venues.



Pick-up Service

Student Affairs Office offers free pick-up service from Border Gate and Hengqin Port-Macau Frontier Post Zone to the University of Macau on 10 August. The

shuttle buses (45 seats) go every 15 to 30 minutes, from 09:00 to 18:00.

Remark:

The pick-up service is provided to new students only. Family members or companions will need to take either public bus or taxi to the campus.

Shuttle Bus Schedule



Public Transportation to UM

From Macau	71, 71S, 73 or 73S
From Taipa	72 or N6*
From Border Gate (Gongbei)	Take 3A or 51A and transfer to 73 or 73S at Av.1° De Maio
From Hengqin Port	Take 102X and transfer to 71, 72, 73 or 73s at Rotunda Marginal/Zonas Ecologicas
From Outer Harbour Ferry TerminalTake 32 or 28A and transfer to 71, 73 at Praça Ferreira Amaral	
From Macau International Airport /Taipa Ferry Terminal	Take 51A and transfer to 72 at Av. Cidade Cotai Oeste/ Cotai Expo
From Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macau Bridge	Take 101X and transfer to 73 at La Marina

*Overnight Bus Route

Bus Route Information:

http://www.dsat.gov.mo/bus/site/subpage.aspx?a_id=1449197900# (please refer to the website of Transport Bureau for the latest bus arrangement)



Arrangement of The Way To UM - New Student Orientation Programme during Tropical Cyclone and Rainstorm

When Tropical Cyclone Signal No. 1 or 3/ Yellow or Red Rainstorm Warning is hoisted	All activities will be held as scheduled
When Tropical Cyclone Signal No. 8 (or above)/ Black Rainstorm Warning Signal is hoisted	Participants should refer to the website announcement from related departments for the latest arrangement

Student Affairs Office

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