

Welcome Week Timetable 2026

Monday 14 – Friday 18 September 2026

Department	Veterinary Nursing
Programme title	BSc (Hons) Veterinary Nursing
Level	Level 4 Year 1
Programme Manager	Suzy Harniman

Time	Activity	Location
Sunday 13 September 2026		
	Visit the Welcome Hub (for students who are moving into onsite accommodation today) - Welcome/help desk - Registry team (checking enrolment status) - Collection points: ID card/car parking pass - Finance help desk - Admissions help desk - Achievement and Success Centre (ASC) help desk - Wellbeing team help desk - Students' Union/Student Experience team stall - Student Advisor desk (for general student enquiries)	University Learning Hub
Monday 14 September 2026		
10am	Meet outside the Students' Union Building	Outside the Students' Union Building
10.15-10.30am	Visit the Welcome Hub (for students who didn't visit the Welcome Hub at the Weekend) - Welcome/help desk - Registry team (checking enrolment status) - Collection points: ID card/car parking pass - Finance help desk - Admissions help desk - Achievement and Success Centre (ASC) help desk - Wellbeing team help desk - Students' Union/Student Experience team stall - Student Advisor desk (for general student enquiries)	University Learning Hub
10.15am	Campus tour and VNTSC inductions (for students who visited the Welcome Hub at the weekend) - Group 1 – VNTSC induction 10.30am - Group 2 – VNTSC induction 10.50am	Key campus areas
11.30am	Veterinary Nursing Department Welcome Meeting	ULH001
12pm	Lunch break	
1-2.30pm	Programme Meeting 1	ULH001
2.30-3.50pm	Campus tour and VNTSC inductions (for students who visited the Welcome Hub this morning) - Group 3 – VNTSC induction 2.50pm - Group 4 – VNTSC induction 3.10pm	Key campus areas

	- Group 5 – VNTSC induction 1.30pm										
Tuesday 15 September 2026											
10.30am-12pm	Programme Meeting 2	ULH001									
12-2pm	Social event Gumbies pizza van serving free piazza	Outside the Students' Union Building									
3-5pm	Individual tutorials	You will be allocated a time slot and location									
Wednesday 16 September 2026											
10am-11am	Parallel sessions part 1 (2x 20-minute sessions) The groups will be allocated during programme meeting 2 <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th><th>Group 1</th><th>Group 2</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>10am</td><td>Session A</td><td>Session B</td></tr> <tr> <td>10.20am</td><td>Session B</td><td>Session A</td></tr> </tbody> </table> Session A - Meet your Academic Personal Tutors – meet your year 1 tutors and Session B - Joining the veterinary nursing community – an exploration of what it means to join the veterinary nursing profession.		Group 1	Group 2	10am	Session A	Session B	10.20am	Session B	Session A	ULH101A/101B
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11am	Active By Stander Session with The Hollie Gazzard Trust	MDC01									
11am-2pm	Students' Union Fresher's Fayre										
3-5pm	Individual tutorials	You will be allocated a time slot and location									
Thursday 17 September 2026											
9am-5pm	Individual tutorials	You will be allocated a time slot and location									
11am-2pm	Wellfest	Equine Arena									
Friday 18 September 2026											
11am-1pm	Parallel sessions part 2 (2x 50-minute sessions) You will be in the same groups as for parallel sessions part 1. <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th><th>Group 1</th><th>Group 2</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>10am</td><td>Session A</td><td>Session B</td></tr> <tr> <td>10.20am</td><td>Session B</td><td>Session A</td></tr> </tbody> </table> Session A - Ready for lectures – essential information to prepare you for teaching week 1 will be shared		Group 1	Group 2	10am	Session A	Session B	10.20am	Session B	Session A	ULH101A/101B
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	along with the co-creation of a cohort code of conduct. Session B - Veterinary practice-based learning – discussion around the expectations and support for the process of finding a veterinary practice for the year 2 clinical learning.	
1-2pm	Refresh tours (optional)	Key campus areas
2-5pm	Individual tutorials	You will be allocated a time slot and location