Your day at Natural Sciences

Wednesday 4 March 2020

Your registration venue is A03 Teaching and Learning Building (building 50, the University Park map)

10:45am  Arrival and registration
Please sign in on arrival and help yourself to refreshments.

11am  Welcome talk
This will be an introduction to natural sciences at the University of Nottingham. It will include an overview of the structure of the course, what you will study and what a typical week will look like. We’ll also cover information about how you will be taught and supported through your studies. You will hear from one of our current students about their third-year project.

11:45am  Mini tour of Portland Building
Student Ambassadors will walk you across to the Portland Building for a brief tour, pointing out some key teaching spaces along the way.

12.15pm  Buffet lunch
A buffet lunch will be served on E Floor in the Teaching and Learning Building. Current students will be available to answer questions throughout.

1pm  Mini tour of science city
Brief tour of the science area of campus including a visit to the chemistry teaching labs and George Green Library.

1.30pm  Popular science lecture
A mock lecture in one of the subjects available on natural sciences in Chemistry X2. The title for today’s talk is ‘Smarter than a Spider: From genetics and evolution to the production of synthetic biomaterials’ delivered by Dr Sara Goodacre.

2pm  Discover student life
Enjoy a doughnut and hot drink in George Green A3/4 while you find out more about student life and Nottingham city through a series of student-led presentations and videos.

2:45pm  The Nottingham experience
Head across to Pope C14 to discover more about opportunities outside of your studies that you can take advantage of such as study abroad and work placements. Find out more about how you are supported to develop your employability and what careers natural sciences students can go on to do. Finish up with a review of what is next and some information about accommodation and financial support.

3:25pm  Optional tours – accommodation and sports
Visitors are welcome to finish their day at this point but there are some optional tours if you want to visit accommodation or the David Ross Sports Village.