English Language and Literature, Stage 1, Welcome Week (Q300)

You may hear this week being called induction week or welcome week. In the **School of English Literature, Language and Linguistics** (SELLL), we prefer Welcome Week, as we are welcoming you to our city, Campus, and community.

The week has been planned to give you:

- Opportunities to form **connections** with your peers, teachers, and professional service colleagues in the school.
- An understanding of our inclusive culture both within the school and the wider University.
- A network of support that will help guide you through the initial weeks and those beyond.
- A sense of independence and autonomy, for your education but also the lifestyle you want to explore during your journey with us.

Date	Time	Event	Venue	Details
Monday 16 th Sept	09:30 – 10:15	Welcome to SELLL!	King's Hall, Armstrong Building	You will meet the Head of School, Prof. Jo Robinson, and receive some important documents and information for the coming days. Did you know: this room is where we hold our graduation ceremonies every Summer and Winter!
Monday 16 th Sept	10:15 – 12:00	Meet your Personal Tutor	G.10, Percy Building	Teaching colleagues will help you find your Personal Tutor and you will then spend some time with your Personal Tutor group. From here, you will be taken to the Robinson Library, so you know where it is for the future. Did you know: The Robinson Library is affectionately called 'Robbo'!
Monday 16 th Sept	11:30 - 13:00	Get involved with your societies and Student-Staff Committee (SSC)	Foyer, Percy Building	Whilst you are on Campus, why not drop into our poster event in the Percy Building foyer. Representatives from SELLL societies, the SSC, and NEST will be there to tell you more about them and answer any questions. Did you know: All teachers and Professional Service colleagues who belong to SELLL are based in the Percy Building!

Monday 16 th Sept	13:00 - 14:00	Meet your Peer Mentor	King's Hall, Armstrong Building	A Peer Mentor is a student in SELLL, who is in either stage 2 or stage 3 of their programme. In this session, you will meet with your Peer Mentor group and get to know each other better.
Tuesday 17 th Sept	10:00 – 12:00	Book swap	Student Common room, 1 st floor, Percy Building	Pop up and see if you can pick up any texts that you might need for your first year that have been donated by Stage 2 and 3 SELLL students.
Tuesday 17 th Sept	All day	Reading and Research	Online	There are some online resources that we would like you to find and read up on during this week. You can find a full list on your <u>UG Community Canvas page.</u> Why not use one of the computers on campus? You can find study spaces here.
Wednesday 18 th Sept	14:00 – 16:00	Stage 1 quiz	Room 3.38, Armstrong Building	Come and join our Peer Mentors and DPDs for our Stage 1 quiz.
Thursday 19 th Sept	13:00 - 14:00	Staff drop ins	Academic offices, Percy Building	This is an opportunity to drop in on Module Leaders, Personal Tutors, DPDs, Senior Tutors or anyone else you want to chat to! Check the UG Handbook to find out who is in the DPD and Senior Tutor roles and the noticeboards at the bottom of each staircase to find office numbers. If you get lost, pop up to Reception on the 3rd floor and ask!
Friday 20 th Sept	All day	Free time	Campus	Use this time to explore the rest of campus, the Students' Union, and the sport facilities.

Can't find a room that you're looking for? Got questions about your timetable? Pop up to the School Office on the **3rd floor of the Percy Building.** We're open from **9:30 – 16:00** Monday to Friday. You can also email <u>ELLL@newcastle.ac.uk</u>.

