

First Year Seminar Programme 2025



20 YEARS
— 2005-2025 —

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Faculty of Humanities **Mainstream**

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Your Name

Your Student Number

Your ID Number

Dear First Year Student

The University of Johannesburg welcomes you!

The First Year Seminar (FYS) is compulsory for all students and it is designed to orientate students into the new university environment.

Please attend the programme on the Campus at which you will be studying. We encourage you to take advantage of this opportunity and all the resources the university has to offer to ensure that your transition into higher learning is effortless.

We wish you have an informative and enjoyable First Year Seminar and much success in your undergraduate studies.



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Lectures commence on Monday 10 February 2025.

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FYS Programme 2025

AUCKLAND PARK KINGSWAY CAMPUS (APK)

Mainstream Students

NOTE: BA Extended Degree students, please refer to extended specific programme.

Day 1: Monday 3 February 2025

TIME	ACTIVITY	PRESENTER	VENUE
10:00 – 11:30	Learning with Technology	CAT Personnel	C Ring 303 [46 students: Surnames A-E] C Ring 307 [60 students: Surnames F-J] E Les 201 [60 students: Surnames K-N] E Les 202 [62 students: Surnames O-R] E Les 203 [82 students: Surnames S-V] E Ring 207 [35 students: Surnames W-Z]
11:30 – 13:00	Learning with Technology [students not going on campus tour]	CAT Personnel	C Ring 303 [40 students: Surnames A-E] E Les 203 [82 students: Surnames F-L] E Les 207 [35 students: Surnames M-O]
12:00 – 13:00	Campus tour [Meeting point: In front of the Sanlam Auditorium, at the stairs]	Humanities Personnel	Stairs outside the Sanlam Auditorium
13:00 – 14:30	Learning with Technology	CAT Personnel	C Ring 303 [40 students: Surnames P-R] E Les 203 [82 students: Surnames S-W] E Les 207 [35 students: Surnames X-Z]
14:30 – 16:00	Learning with Technology (Students not going on campus tour)	CAT Personnel	C Ring 303 [40 students: Surnames A-G] E Les 203 [82 students: Surnames H-P] E Les 207 [35 students: Surnames Q-Z]

AUCKLAND PARK KINGSWAY CAMPUS (APK)

Day 2: Tuesday 4 February 2025

TIME	ACTIVITY	PRESENTER	VENUE
08:00 – 08:15	Arriving and settling in		APK Sanlam Auditorium
08:15 – 08:30	Dean's Welcome	Prof Kammila Naidoo	
08:30 – 08:50	Vice Dean Teaching and Learning: The Value of a Humanities Degree	Prof Corné Meintjes	
08:50 – 09:20	Introduction of Departments		
09:20 – 09:40	Motivational Address	Dr Sanele Gamede	
09:40 – 10:00	UJenius and Orange Carpet Video	UJenius Team	
10:00 – 10:20	Introduction to PsyCaD	TBC	
10:20 – 10:45	Introducing the Faculty Office	Aphiwe Somabhele	
10:45 – 11:00	BREAK		
11:00 – 11:30	The value of first year information pack & distribution	FYE Office & FYS Marshals	APK Sanlam Auditorium
11:30 – 12:00	Student Finances	UJ Student Finance Team	
12:00 – 12:30	Student Affairs	UJ Student Affairs Team	
12:30 – 13:00	Library Presentation	Theresa Vukeya	APK Sanlam Auditorium
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH BREAK		
14:00 – 16:00	Parallels sessions (foyer and library walkabouts): students can visit the tables in the Sanlam Auditorium Foyer when they are not attending their library session in the afternoon		
14:00 – 16:00	Faculty Branches: Exploring the Humanities Modules	Departments	APK Sanlam Auditorium Foyer
Library walkabouts – as per groupings below			
14:00 – 14:30	B Social Work [Group 1: Surnames A-J, meet at the Library entrance with Theresa Vuyeka]	Faculty Librarian	APK Library
14:30 – 15:00	B Social Work [Group 2: Surnames K-Z, meet at the Library entrance with Kedibone Moagi]		
15:00 – 15:30	BA PET [meet at the Library entrance with Theresa Vuyeka]		
15:30 – 16:00	BA Language Practice [meet at the Library entrance with Kedibone Moagi]		
16:00 – 16:30	BA [Group 1: Surnames A-M, meet at the Library entrance with Theresa Vuyeka]		
16:30 – 17:00	BA [Group 2: Surnames O-Z, meet at the Library entrance with Kedibone Moagi]		

AUCKLAND PARK BUNTING ROAD CAMPUS (APB)

Day 3: Wednesday 5 February 2025

Diploma in Public Relations

TIME	ACTIVITY	PRESENTER	VENUE
08:30 – 10:00	Learning with Technology Extended Diploma Public Relations students	CAT Personnel	G Red 4 [54 Students: Surnames A-K]
	Mainstream Campus Tour		
08:00 – 08:30	Library Walkabout Mainstream Diploma in Public Relations [Group 1: Surnames A-E, meet at the Bunting Library entrance with Madumella Mofokeng]	APB Library Staff	APB Library
08:30 – 09:00	Library Walkabout Mainstream Diploma in Public Relations [Group 2: Surnames F-K, meet at the Bunting Library entrance with Michael Sifile]		
09:00 – 09:30	Library Walkabout Mainstream Diploma in Public Relations [Group 3: Surnames L-P, meet at the Bunting Library entrance with Madumella Mofokeng]		
09:30 – 10:00	Library Walkabout Mainstream Diploma in Public Relations [Group 4: Surnames Q-T, meet at the Bunting Library entrance with Michael Sifile]		
10:00 – 11:30	Learning with Technology Mainstream Diploma in Public Relations	CAT Personnel	B Red 41 B Red 46 G Red 3A G Red 4 [Students to fill up venues]
	Extended Diploma Campus Tour		
12:00 – 12:30	Library Walkabout Extended Diploma in Public Relations [Group 5: Surnames U-W, meet at the Bunting library entrance with Madumella Mofokeng]	APB Library Staff	APB Library
12:30 – 13:00	Library Walkabout Extended Diploma in Public Relations [Group 4: Surnames X-Z, meet at the Bunting Library entrance with Michael Sifile]		

