



Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry & Health Sciences
Melbourne Dental School



BOH Year 1 Orientation

MONDAY 24 FEBRUARY 2025

VENUE: Forum Theatre, Level 1, Arts West ([Map](#))

REGISTRATION		
8:45AM	9:15AM	Registration in the foyer area of Level 1, Arts West
WELCOME and INTRODUCTION		
9:15AM	9:50AM	9:15am Mr Patrick Mercer Lecturer, First Nations Health (5 mins) 9:20am A/Prof Rita Hardiman Head of School (10 mins) 9:30am A/Prof Samantha Byrne Director of Teaching & Learning (10 mins) 9:40am A/Prof Roisin McGrath Director of the Bachelor of Oral Health (10 mins)
MEET YOUR SUBJECT COORDINATORS		
9:50AM	10:25AM	9:50am Ms Stephanie Chang and Ms Yvonne Zhang Oral Health Practice 1 Coordinators & Instruments Info (15 mins) 10:05am Ms Sarah Laing Subject Coordinator, ORAL10001 Society and Health 1 (10 mins) 10:15am Dr Meenakshi Iyer (Ms Julie Owen will be presenting on behalf of Dr Iyer) Subject Coordinator, ORAL10003 Oral Health Sciences 1 (10 mins)
BREAK		
10:25AM	10:45AM	Please bring your own morning tea and water bottle. Meet and greet Subject Coordinators. (20 mins break)
SCHOOL INFORMATION		
10:45AM	11:45AM	10:45am Ms Tina Soundias , Academic Programs Coordinator Academic Programs Information (10 mins) 10:55am Dr Mahtab Eivazitork , Academic Programs Officer, Scheduling TimeEdit viewer demo (15 mins) 11:10am Mr Ronald de Goeij , Senior Equitable Learning Advisor Student Equity and Disability Support Information (10 mins) 11:20am Mr Blake Knapping , MDHS Experiential Learning Support Officer Pre-Compliance Information (10 mins)

		11:30am Mr Matthew Williams , Program Officer, Mentoring and Engagement Student Life (10 mins) 11:40am Mr Dale Baum , Laboratory Manager & OHS Advisor Occupational Health & Safety (15 mins)
STUDENT ASSOCIATION		
11:55AM	12:05PM	11:55am Melbourne Dental Student Society Representative Melbourne Dental Student Society (10 mins)
LUNCH		
12:15PM	1:30PM	Please join us for a pizza lunch in the foyer area, outside Forum Theatre. Representatives from the Melbourne Dental Student Society (MDSS) and Medical Indemnity Protection Society (MIPS) will be in attendance.
SCHOOL TOUR		
1:30PM	3:00PM	MDS Teaching Staff will be your guides to key locations for MDS students. Please wear comfortable shoes and bring your own water bottle. Tour will commence at 1:30pm, please meet back in the Forum Theatre and remain seated until your tour group number is called out (see below for details).

TOUR GROUPS: START AT 1.30PM
Group 1: Ms Stephanie Chang
Group 2: Ms Yvonne Zhang
Group 3: Ms Sarah Laing
Group 4: Dr Meena Iyer