

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING, THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT AND IT

ORIENTATION PROGRAMMES

NORTH CAMPUS

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

BEngTech in Civil Engineering
BEngTech in Electrical Engineering
BEngTech in Industrial Engineering
BEngTech in Mechanical Engineering
BEngTech in Marine Engineering
HCert Mechatronics Engineering

Note: These courses follow the same orientation programme but meet in different venues as indicated below.

Thur 31 Jan	Where	What
08:00 – 09:00 09:00 – 15:00	Civil: 204 0116 (C116) Electrical: 276 0003 Industrial: 261 0249 (M249) Mechanical: 204 0009 (C9) Small group venues to be announced <u>Note:</u> 276 0003 is the New Engineering Auditorium	Centralised meeting for How2@Mandela Thrive Buddy Programme How2@Mandela Buddy Programme DAY 1 By the end of today, you will know: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• what it takes to be a successful student• how to deal with university challenges• where to find your venues- campus tour• how to use the library• the university terminology• how to read the timetable• the resources available to help you
Sat 2 Feb	Where	What
09:00 – 10:00 10:00 – 12:00	Goldfields Auditorium North Campus	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Welcoming Ceremony• Faculty Meet & Greet

Mon 4 Feb	Where	What
08:30 – 13:30	Venues to be announced at How2@Mandela Day 1	How2@Mandela Buddy Programme DAY 2
14:00 – 15:00	207 0001 (N1)	Rock 'n Roll and Bulges and Social Consciousness and Sustainable Futures
Wed 6 Feb	Where	What
09:00 – 13:00	Civil: 204 0116 (C116) Electrical: 276 0003 Industrial: New Engineering Building – Sweat labs 276 0025 Mechanical: 204 0009 (C9)	How2@Mandela: Connect with your Lecturers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address by the Faculty Administrator • Lecturers will introduce you to your modules and cover topics related to your academic programme • Student-staff fun event
Sat 9 Feb	Where	What
08:00 – late	Collect tickets at the SRC office. Tour is based on a first come, first served	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • City bus tour • First-year picnic
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Follow lecture timetable		Lectures begin
Mon 11 Feb – Fri 15 Feb	Where	What
Follow lecture timetable		Orientation Academic Sessions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to get the most out of lectures • Note-taking • Lecture and E-mail etiquette • Referencing and Plagiarism
Wed 20 Feb	Where	What
12:00 – 14:00	Quad outside Cafeteria	Byways to Highways
Fri 22 Feb	Where	What
Venue and time to be announced		First-year concert
Sat 23 Feb	Where	What
09:00 – late	MANDELA Sports Stadium South Campus	Campus Life Festival <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Residences formations • Sports programme • First-year social

BEng Mechatronics

North Campus and South Campus

Your studies and hence, your orientation, straddles two campuses, namely, North and South. The following events will be at North: Welcoming Ceremony and Faculty Meet and Greet on Saturday 2 February, as well as Registration and Mechatronics Departmental Meeting. **NB: The rest of your orientation programme will take place with the BSc students at South Campus.**

Fri 1 Feb	Where	What
08:00 – 09:00	123 0007 South Campus	Centralised meeting for How2@Mandela Thrive Buddy Programme
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09:00 – 10:00	Goldfields Auditorium	• Welcoming Ceremony
10:00 – 12:00	North Campus	• Faculty Meet & Greet
Mon 4 Feb	Where	What
08:30 – 12:00	123 0026 South Campus	Maths: What I need to know
14:00 – 15:00	Auditorium, South Campus	Rock 'n Roll and Bulges and Social Consciousness and Sustainable Futures
Tues 5 Feb	Where	What
08:30 – 13:30	Venues to be announced at How2@Mandela Day 1	How2@Mandela Buddy Programme DAY 2
14:00 – 15:00	123 0007 South Campus	Programming fundamentals (WRA101), Computing Fundamentals for Science students (WRSC101) or Computing fundamentals (WRFC101 or WRFV101)
Wed 6 Feb	Where	What
08:30 – 12:00	123 0026 South Campus	Maths: What I need to know
Thurs 7 Feb	Where	What
09:00 – 12:00	35 0040 South Campus	How2@Mandela: Connect with your Lecturers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address by the Faculty Administrator • Lecturers will introduce you to your modules and cover topics related to your academic programme
12:30 – 14:30	Venue to be announced	Student-staff fun event

Fri 8 Feb	Where	What
09:00 – 13:00	Computer Labs, 2nd Floor of Embizweni Building	Programming: What you need to know Only for BSc and BCom students who did not do programming at school
14:00 – 15:00	261 0237(M237) NB: North Campus	Meet your Head of Department and lecturers (Mechatronics) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lecturers will introduce you to your modules and cover topics related to your academic programme
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Thur 21 & Fri 22 Feb	Where	What
12:00 – 14:00	Kraal, South Campus	Byways to Highways
Fri 22 Feb	Where	What
Venue and time to be announced		First-year concert
Sat 23 Feb	Where	What
09:00 – late	Mandela Stadium South Campus	Campus Life Festival <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Residences formations Sport Programme First-year Social

SCHOOL OF THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT

Dip Building (DB)
 BSc Construction Economics: Quantity Surveying with Financial &
 Business Management (QS)
 BSc Construction Studies (CS)
 Bachelor of Human Settlement Development (HS)

Note: The entire school follows the same orientation programme but meets in different venues as indicated below. Note the abbreviations.

Thur 31 Jan	Where	What
08:00 – 09:00	DB: 261 0136 (M136) CS: 261 0157 (M157) QS: 261 0132 (M132) HS: 261 0122 (M122)	Centralised meeting for How2@Mandela Thrive Buddy Programme
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SCHOOL OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY

Dip Information Technology (Software Development)
Dip Information Technology (Communication Networks)
Dip Information Technology (Support Services)
HCert IT (User Support Services)

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