

Teaching in Semester 1 2020

Programme – FdA Sports Massage and Remedial Therapy

Level of Study – 4

Teaching pattern in 2020-21 academic year:

Module number	Module Name	Module Credits	Compulsory/Optional Module	Lectures	Practicals	Seminars and small group teaching	Other teaching e.g. tutorials
1438	Academic Skills	20	Compulsory	2hr/wk online	2hr/wk face to face		
1730	Anatomy I	20	Compulsory			2hr/wk face to face (2 semester module)	
1725	General Massage	20	Compulsory		3hr/wk face to face		
N/A	Individual tutorial	N/a	Compulsory			Min1 per semester – face to face option for online	
N/A	Graduate advantage	N/A	Compulsory			1hr/wk face to face or online	

Please note that hours per week are an average across term time tuition, and may vary across the weeks.



Where there is a choice of online or face to face teaching, students will be given a deadline to make the decision on whether to study online or face to face during online enrolment. After that deadline, swapping between online and face to face teaching may not be possible, though we will try to accommodate changes where we can.

Are there any changes to the content of the course, compared with what was agreed previously?

There have been no changes made to course content.

Are there any changes to the assessment methods we are using?

Assessment will take restrictions at that time into account and may be subject to delay but have not been changed.

Are there any changes to previously advertised field trips, placements, enrichment activities or other external activities?

Students are encouraged to take part in our events team, however, all events are cancelled until at least Jan 2020 when hopefully we can reinstate these. We also take students to a trade show which may be postponed due to covid-19 restrictions.

When might what is set out above change?

We intend to use the teaching methods set out above for the whole of Semester 1 of the 2020-21 academic year.

If there are more severe restrictions on movement or gatherings as a result of changed government guidance (e.g. in the event of another wave of Coronavirus), teaching that is planned to be on campus may have to be moved online. In that instance your lectures, seminars and small group teaching would be online and we would postpone your practical sessions until campus teaching became possible again.

At the moment we intend that semester 2 teaching will be on campus and face-to-face for all students on this course, although we will continue to make use of our extensive online resources to supplement on-campus teaching. However, if restrictions on movement or group size continue, we would need to continue to offer your course in a blended way, in a similar pattern to that described above. We will let you know as soon as possible if we think that is likely to happen, but decisions may need to be taken at short notice where we are obliged to act on changes to national or local advice.