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**UNIC SEPTEMBER
ORIENTATION PROGRAMME**



**4-22
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2023**

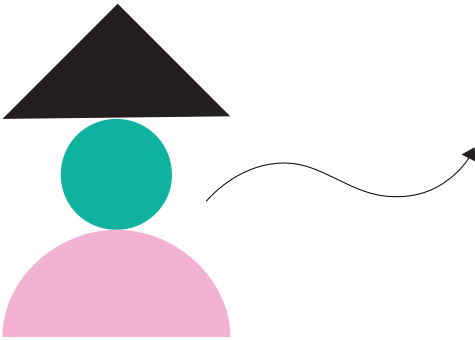
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INTENSIVE ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSES*

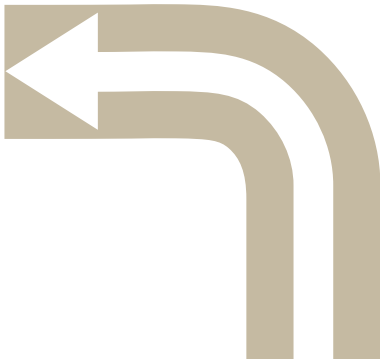
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* English language courses will be offered online. Make sure you have registered separately for the English language classes at unic.ac.cy/unic-sept-2023/



PROGRAMME	MONDAY-FRIDAY
09:00-11:00	English Classes
11:00-11:30	Break
11:30-13:30	English Classes



ORIENTATION ACTIVITIES PROGRAMME

19-22
SEPTEMBER



19/09
TUESDAY

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Venue: UNESCO Amphitheatre

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Break/Snacks and Refreshments

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Energizers (in Greek)

Venue: UNESCO Amphitheatre

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15:00-16:30

Study Skills (in Greek)

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We'll get to share tips and tricks for skillful studying through workshops and academic consulting (e.g. Essay Writing, Avoiding Plagiarism, etc.). It's in your hands to make your papers rock.

18:30-21:30

UNIC City Tour and Chilling On-Campus

Meeting point: Department of Student Affairs

(be there 15 minutes earlier as buses will depart on time)

RSVP by 18/09/23 (noon)

Get to know the campus and the area around it, and make new friends, as part of this exciting 20 building campus tour! Right after that, we will chill out together at The Block on campus. Snacks and first drink on us!



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Chill-out Afternoon

Venue: Loft Restaurant & Bar (SIX UNIC Residence: 12th Floor) / **RSVP by 19/09/23 (noon)**

Looking for a great opportunity to relax and meet new people? Join us for drinks, snacks, and music! First drink is on the house!



21/09

THURSDAY

09:00-10:00

Developing Academic Skills (in Greek)

Venue: UNESCO Amphitheatre

During the session, the Pedagogical Support Unit (PSU) Director will present key ideas of the various workshops that will be offered by PSU: Effective Presentations, Effective Team Work, Developing Skills for the 21st century, ICT Tools to support your Academic Work, Scientific Report, Research Papers, Referencing and Plagiarism.

10:00-11:00

Online Learning (in Greek)

Venue: UNESCO Amphitheatre

At UNIC, we use a number of online learning tools to enhance your learning experience. In this session, we will show you how to participate in video-conferencing sessions held by your lecturers in WebEx, and how to use Moodle to access your course material (course syllabus, presentations, notes etc.), interact with your classmates and lecturers, and submit assignments.

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Your Health and Well-Being - Registering with Your Personal Doctor - UNIC Medical Centre (in English)

Venue: UNESCO Amphitheatre

This presentation is aimed at helping students navigate through the healthcare system in Cyprus. A brief overview of the medical healthcare system in Cyprus (private/GESY) and our UNIC family's medical centre will be presented. A practical guide of how Cypriot but also European Students can register with GESY, our medical centre but also use GESY services will be outlined.

15:00-15:20

Inclusion and Embracing Diversity (in English)

Venue: UNESCO Amphitheatre

We'll delve into the University's initiatives as a pioneer institution in Cyprus dedicated to fostering awareness over matters of Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion. Thanks to the newly established Center for Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion (CEDI), UNIC dynamically participates in a range of relevant activities. These encompass extensive research, influential policy advocacy, motivating public gatherings, and various enriching extracurricular pursuits, all done in close collaboration with a team of distinguished experts, civil society partners, and public service stakeholders.

18:30-21:30

Sporty Afternoon

Meeting point: Open Amphitheatre

RSVP by 20/09/23 (noon)

How about some exercise? Choose the activity that suits your style and fitness and have fun with your new friends!

18:30-21:30 Activities powered by Red Bull (F1 playseat, Neymar jr's five, skate activity, 3ON3 Basketball, Basketball Shooting competition, Table Tennis tournament)

19:00-20:00 Zumba Session

20:00-21:00 Hatha Yoga Session



22/09
FRIDAY

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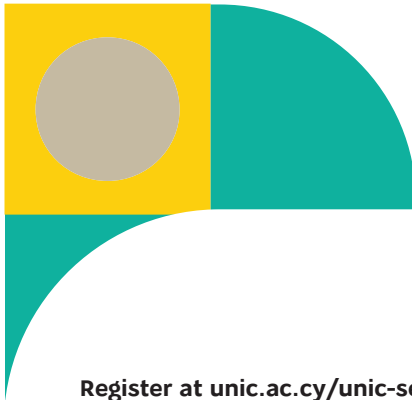
Heading to the Beach! – Day Trip

Meeting point: Department of Student Affairs (be there 15 minutes earlier as buses will depart on time).

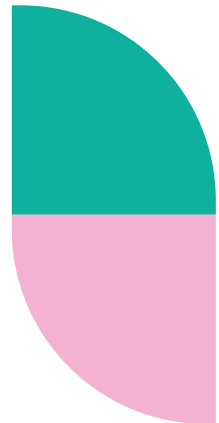
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Join us for an excursion to Voroklini Larnaca and enjoy yourselves with a series of amusing activities by the sea: Red Bull Neymar jr's five, beach volley, beach tennis, beach soccer, zumba, hatha yoga, just to name a few!

Tip of the day! Remember to bring your swimsuit, come dressed in comfortable clothes, and beach shoes. Bring a packed lunch or money in case you wish to buy something.



Register at unic.ac.cy/unic-sept-2023 and check your email for further details.





MORE INFORMATION:

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