September 2019 Welcome Week Programme

All sessions will be held in the Salle de Conférence, unless otherwise stated. To find the room, walk through the two sets of doors in front of you when you enter Reid Hall into the courtyard. Walk to the end of the second courtyard and the room is on your left, in a building called the Institute for Ideas and Imagination.

University of Kent Paris School of Arts and Culture, 4 rue de chevreuse, 75006 Paris
Door code: 813B (then V to validate) - Nearest metro stops: Vavin (Line 4), Raspail (Line 6)

You’re welcome to get in touch at paris@kent.ac.uk if you have any questions.

**Monday 16th September**

10:00 Welcome from Paris Academic Director
10:30 Tour of Reid Hall
11:00 Paris Pratique 1: Orientation
14:00 Key2Advance Careers workshop
15:00 Employability Points scheme
15:15 Finding a part-time job or internship in Paris

**Tuesday 17th September**

10:00 Setting up a bank account in France
10:45 How to see the latest French films in cinemas, with English subtitles
14:00 Welcome from Dean for Europe
14:30 Degree course structure
16:00 University of Kent Finance helpdesk
   Drop-in session, Room 3
19:00 Student-Staff Welcome drinks
**Wednesday 18th September**

10:00  Great Expectations  
10:30  Paris Pratique 2: Disorientation  
14:00  *Jeu de piste*  

*Meeting point outside la Fontaine Saint Michel, place Saint Michel. Nearest metro: Saint Michel (line 4). Take Exit/Sortie 3 to ‘Fontaine Saint Michel’.*

Bring your phone or camera to participate in this group treasure hunt across the left bank. The winning team receives a unique Paris experience!

**Thursday 19th September**

10:00  Visa helpdesk for non-EU students  
- 11:00  *Drop-in session, University of Kent office*  
11:00  Registration/credential checks (all students)  
- 14:00  *Drop-in session, University of Kent office*  
14:00  Welcome from your Academic School:  
- 15:00  School of English  
*Room 9*  
Dr Derek Ryan  
*Director of Graduate Studies*  
School of Arts  
*Room 3*  
Dr Frances Guerin  
*Director of Graduate Studies*  
School of European Culture and Languages  
*University of Kent office*  
Professor Ben Hutchinson  
*Academic Director*

**Friday 20th September**

10:00  French language placement tests  
- 12:00  *University of Kent office*  

If you wish to participate in our French language classes, you are required to complete a short 5 minute oral placement test in person. You will receive a sign-up link shortly. Please ensure you are punctual on the day to avoid delays.