



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations on your offer of a place in Athlone Institute of Technology. We are delighted you have chosen to study here and are looking forward to meeting you!

**BRING
ME WITH
YOU**

This booklet is part of your essential toolkit for your first day in AIT so make sure to **BRING IT WITH YOU**.

We have a programme of events planned for you as part of New Student Induction to help you get off to a flying start. It is essential that you attend all elements of **New Student Induction** to make sure you don't miss out on any vital information.

See you soon,
Sarah La Cumbre
Head of Student Resources

NEW STUDENT INDUCTION

As part of **New Student Induction**, you and your classmates will join designated groups and will get to know each other, learn how to find your way around, learn about the great facilities and opportunities you can avail of while you are here, be shown how to access computers and the Library and meet key staff members whose job it is to help you get the most out of your time at AIT.

FREE LIBRARY OVERVIEW

As part of your Orientation and Guided Tour, you will visit the Library and learn about resources available to you. You will also be given a **FREE** USB key so don't miss out!

'Ask Me'

Over the course of the programme there will be student helpers with brightly coloured T-shirts

saying **'Ask Me'**, so stop them or any staff member to ask for directions or help if you're stuck.

REGISTRATION

This is where you officially register as an AIT student.

Have your Bank Giro and your best smile ready for your **NEW COLLEGE I.D CARD**.



FREE AIT INTERNATIONAL ARENA

Visit the **NEW** state of the art gym and exercise studios in the **AIT International Arena** and enter into a draw for a fabulous prize. You are also offered a **FREE** first visit to the Gym or Studio Class.

Gym Membership for two semesters is available from as little as €99.

FASTSTART

Keep an eye out for optional **FASTSTART** workshops which will be advertised on digital screens across the campus, on Moodle and through facebook during the first term.

Workshops will be offered in computing skills, assistive technology, tutor sessions and information on fees, grants and more.

WELCOME TALK

At your Welcome Talk, you will meet your Head of Faculty and Department and learn about important supports and resources available to you to help you make the most out of your time at AIT. At the end of this session you will join smaller groups for your Orientation and Guided Tour.

FREE MEET THE S.U.

This is your chance to pick up your **FREE** goodie bag and enjoy **FREE** refreshments!

Meet your Students' Union representatives and Sports Officer to hear about all the supports and services on offer plus all events the S.U. runs each year such as the upcoming Freshers' week.

IT SESSION

During your IT session you will get a password and log on to the college on-line academic support tool, 'Moodle'. You will also complete a required Government survey to help secure college funding for essential student services.

ORIENTATION AND GUIDED TOURS

You will join classmates and one of your Lecturers who will you give essential course information and timetables and will be shown where key resources are located.

This is a great chance to get to know your way around and meet new people.

FRESHER'S WEEK

kicks off with

Clubs & Societies Day

Date: Monday 14th Sept

Time: 11:00 - 2:30pm

Venue: Multi Purpose Hall,
John McCormack Building
(adjacent to the S.U.)

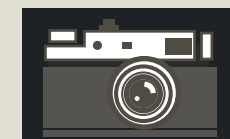
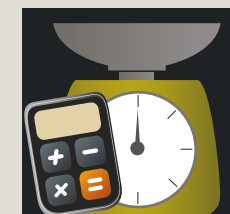
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