

UCL Academic Manual 2019-20

Chapter 11: Teaching and Learning

Teaching on Wednesday Afternoons

Guidance

1. All undergraduate teaching should finish at 12.55pm on Wednesday afternoons, and graduate teaching after this time should be avoided if at all possible.
2. We regard the UCL student experience as holistic, and we keep Wednesday afternoons free for students to enable them to participate in extra-curricular activities. The need for teaching to finish at 12.55pm is especially crucial for those students taking part in field sports, since the completion of matches and training in daylight hours is essential for the safety of the participants.
3. Any decision to hold classes on Wednesday afternoons must be discussed and agreed with all students involved. If it proves impossible to schedule the class(es) at another time, alternative arrangements should be put in place for students who wish to take part in extra-curricular activities on Wednesday afternoons so that their academic progress is not affected.

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