

Master of Marine Biology

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The information in the study planner is current at the time of creation may be subject to future change.

Attention International Student visa holders: To remain compliant with your enrolments requirements as a Student visa holder you are required to enrol in at least one On-Campus, Multi-Modal or WIL subject offering in each compulsory study period and you cannot enrol in more than one third (33%) of your total course load through online or distance learning. To complete your course within your CoE duration students must maintain sufficient subject enrolment.

If there are only Online subject offerings for you to select in a compulsory study period, contact enrolments@jcu.edu.au urgently for enrolment advice.

Please refer to the Master of Marine Biology Handbook for subject guidance information when selecting your Stream and List 1 subject

	TRIMESTER 1	TRIMESTER 2	TRIMESTER 3
2026	MB5350:03 Evidence and Controversy in Marine Science	MB5000:03 Advances in Marine Biology	Select 3 credit points of subjects from your STREAM , List 1 or any Level 5 Science subject*
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*Please note, students must select a total of 3 credit points from the list (Advanced Quantitative Skills), 9 credit points of any Level 5 Science Subjects and 9 credit points of subjects from one of the listed streams.

Professional Major

	TRIMESTER 1	TRIMESTER 2	TRIMESTER 3
2027	MB5371:03 Techniques in Marine Science 2 <i>PREREQ: MB5000 and MB5350</i>	MB5370:03 Techniques in Marine Science 1 <i>PREREQ: MB5000 and MB5350</i>	SC5010:09 Postgraduate Internship <i>PREREQ: 33 credit points of Level 5 subjects</i>
	Select 3 credit points of level 5 MB, AQ, SC, or EV subjects	Select 3 credit points of any Level 5 Science subjects	
	Select 3 credit points of List 1 (Advanced Quantitative Skills)*		

Research Major

Ongoing enrolment in this major will require completion of 24 credit points with a minimum GPA of 5.5 and confirmation of a research supervisor and project.

	TRIMESTER 1	TRIMESTER 2	TRIMESTER 3
2027	SC5055:03 Research Methods and Communication Skills	MB5903:06 Marine Biology Thesis 2 <i>PREREQ: MB5902</i>	MB5904:06 Marine Biology Thesis 3 <i>PREREQ: MB5903</i>
	MB5902:06 Marine Biology Thesis 1 <i>PREREQ: MB5000 and MB5350</i> <i>Prior Approval</i>		
			Select 3 credit points of any Level 5 Science subjects

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