

S401 BACHELOR OF FORENSIC SCIENCE (HONOURS)
FACULTY OF SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND BUILT ENVIRONMENT
FORENSIC BIOLOGY SPECIALISATION SEQUENCE



FOR STUDENTS COMMENCING SEMESTER 1 2027

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When you first enrol via StudentConnect and go through the enrolment steps, you may be able to simply confirm any units that are pre-populated for you. You can also add any that you need to do, as part of your first year’s enrolment – by using the information on this map and in the Handbook.

You must also complete the following compulsory zero (0) credit point units: [DAI001 Academic Integrity and Respect At Deakin](#) (0 credit points)

YEAR 1 Year: 2027	Semester 1			
	Semester 2			

S401 COURSE RULES

- Must pass 8 credit points for course
- Must pass 1 units in {DAI001}
- Must pass 1 unit set(s) in {Forensic Biology (SP-S000078), Forensic Chemistry (SP-S000079)}

FOR USE ONLY WHEN UNDERTAKING A CONSULTATION WITH A STUDENT ADVISER:

Student ID: _____		Name: _____		
Deakin email: _____			Preferred contact no: _____	
Year commenced: _____	Period commenced: _____	eCOE (if applicable): _____	Campus: _____	Mode: _____
Student adviser: _____				Date: _____

Notes

GENERAL INFORMATION

This course map is a guide only. You must also ensure you meet the course rules and structure as set out in the official [University Handbook](#) of the year you commenced your course. This course map has been created to be used electronically.

Not all units are available in all study periods or mode of delivery.

- Full time study is typically three to four units (or credit points) each study period.

- Part time study is typically one to two units (or credit points) each study period – part time study will extend the duration of your studies.
- Trimester 3 is typically an optional study period - unless it's your first study period and/or a compulsory study period for your course.

Unit options can be found in the '[Advanced Unit Search](#)' in the most current year’s University Handbook.

If you have applied for or received credit for units as recognition of prior learning (RPL), it may alter the units you need to study.

Please seek advice from a Student Adviser in StudentCentral if you have any queries or need help understanding your course structure and unit options.

S401 BACHELOR OF FORENSIC SCIENCE (HONOURS) SPECIALISATION UNIT SETS

FORENSIC BIOLOGY (SP-S000078)
SLE420 Honours Biology Research 1a
SLE421 Honours Biology Research 1b
SLE422 Honours Biology Research 2
SLE423 Honours Biology Research 3
SLE451 Science Professionalism
SLE454 Advanced Topics in Forensic Science

- Completion Rule
- Must pass all unit(s) in {SLE420, SLE421, SLE422, SLE423, SLE451, SLE454}

FORENSIC CHEMISTRY (SP-S000079)
SLE430 Honours Chemistry Research 1a
SLE431 Honours Chemistry Research 1b
SLE432 Honours Chemistry Research 2
SLE433 Honours Chemistry Research 3
SLE453 Advanced Topics in Chemistry
SLE454 Advanced Topics in Forensic Science

- Completion Rule
- Must pass all unit(s) in {SLE430, SLE431, SLE432, SLE433, SLE453, SLE454}