

H1257 Bachelor of Science Honours (BH-BIOL - Biological Sciences)

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Start Date: Semester 2 2026

Year 1 – 2026	Semester 1 Units		CP	Semester 2 Units		CP
				ECS602 Research Methods in Environmental and Conservation Sciences		3
				VLS560 - Honours Thesis in Biological Sciences		9
	Total			Total		12
Year 2 - 2027	Semester 1 Units		CP	Semester 2 Units		CP
				VLS560 - Honours Thesis in Biological Sciences		12
	Total		12	Total		

TOTAL CREDIT POINTS 24

Students have the option to undertake Honours on a full-time (12 CP) or part-time (6 CP) basis in each of two, three or four semesters, for a total of 24 CP. The credit points for *VLS560 - Honours Thesis in Biological Sciences* can be divided accordingly, i.e., 3 or 9 CP if *VLS560* is undertaken with ECS602, or 6 or 12 if *VLS560* is the sole unit undertaken in that semester.

Please note: This course plan is a sample only and must be read in conjunction with the full course structure, unit prerequisites and enrolment options as outlined in the [Handbook](#). Students should note that due to unit prerequisites, commencing study in Semester 2 may extend the duration of the course. This information is correct as at 13/05/2026.