

D6015 Master of Applied Behaviour Analysis

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Course map for students commencing study in 2027

Campus	Mode	Intakes	
Clayton	On-campus & Online	Semester 1	Semester 2

[D6015 Handbook entry](#): refer to the Handbook for 2027 course and unit information (previous versions of course and unit information can be accessed by using the 'year switcher' button).

Course requirements

- Depending on credit granted for prior learning, students complete 96, 72 or 48 credit points (cp).

Units required	96 cp structure	72 cp structure	48 cp structure
Part A: Foundation studies (24 cp)			
EDF5610 Interacting with research in education contexts	✓		
EDF5611 Investigating education issues in global contexts	✓		
Part B: Core studies (48 cp)			
EDF5679 Behaviour assessment and positive behaviour support	✓	✓	✓
EDF5683 Philosophical foundations of behaviour analysis	✓	✓	✓
EDF5684 Concepts and principles of learning	✓	✓	✓
EDF5685 Professional ethics for behaviour analysts	✓	✓	✓
EDF5686 Measurement, data analysis and experimental design	✓	✓	✓
EDF5687 Evidence-based instructional design	✓	✓	✓
EDF5688 Performance management and supervision	✓	✓	✓
EDF5794 Experimental analysis of learning and behaviour	✓	✓	✓
Part C: Applied studies (24 cp)			
EDF5801 Research approaches in applied behaviour analysis	✓	✓	
EDF5802 Research thesis in applied behaviour analysis	✓	✓	

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Course progression - Semester 1 commencement

Full-time progression: 96 cp structure

Year	Sem	Units			
1	1	EDF5610 Interacting with research in education contexts (12 cp)		EDF5611 Investigating education issues in global contexts (12 cp)	
	2	EDF5684 Concepts and principles of learning (6 cp)	EDF5686 Measurement, data analysis and experimental design (6 cp)	EDF5688 Performance management and supervision (6 cp)	EDF5794 Experimental analysis of learning and behaviour (6 cp)
2	1	EDF5801 Research approaches in applied behaviour analysis (12 cp)		EDF5685 Professional ethics for behaviour analysts (6 cp)	EDF5683 Philosophical foundations of behaviour analysis (6 cp)
	2	EDF5679 Behaviour assessment and positive behaviour support (6 cp)	EDF5687 Evidence-based instructional design (6 cp)	EDF5802 Research thesis in applied behaviour analysis (12 cp)	

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Full-time progression: 72 cp structure

Year	Sem	Units			
1	1	EDF5684 Concepts and principles of learning (6 cp)	EDF5686 Measurement, data analysis and experimental design (6 cp)	EDF5685 Professional ethics for behaviour analysts (6 cp)	EDF5683 Philosophical foundations of behaviour analysis (6 cp)
	2	EDF5801 Research approaches in applied behaviour analysis (12 cp)		EDF5688 Performance management and supervision (6 cp)	EDF5794 Experimental analysis of learning and behaviour (6 cp)
2	1	EDF5679 Behaviour assessment and positive behaviour support (6 cp)	EDF5687 Evidence-based instructional design (6 cp)	EDF5802 Research thesis in applied behaviour analysis (12 cp)	

Full-time progression: 48 cp structure

Year	Sem	Units			
1	1	EDF5684 Concepts and principles of learning (6 cp)	EDF5686 Measurement, data analysis and experimental design (6 cp)	EDF5685 Professional ethics for behaviour analysts (6 cp)	EDF5683 Philosophical foundations of behaviour analysis (6 cp)
	2	EDF5679 Behaviour assessment and positive behaviour support (6 cp)	EDF5687 Evidence-based instructional design (6 cp)	EDF5688 Performance management and supervision (6 cp)	EDF5794 Experimental analysis of learning and behaviour (6 cp)

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Part-time progression: 96 cp structure

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1	1	EDF5610 Interacting with research in education contexts (12 cp)	
	2	EDF5611 Investigating education issues in global contexts (12 cp)	
2	1	EDF5684 Concepts and principles of learning (6 cp)	EDF5686 Measurement, data analysis and experimental design (6 cp)
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Course progression - Semester 2 commencement

Full-time progression: 96 cp structure

Year	Sem	Units			
1	2	EDF5610 Interacting with research in education contexts (12 cp)		EDF5611 Investigating education issues in global contexts (12 cp)	
2	1	EDF5684 Concepts and principles of learning (6 cp)	EDF5686 Measurement, data analysis and experimental design (6 cp)	EDF5685 Professional ethics for behaviour analysts (6 cp)	EDF5683 Philosophical foundations of behaviour analysis (6 cp)
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