

Suitable education levels					
Reef Education Programs and Resources	Primary (Prep to Year 6)	Secondary (Years 7 to 10)	Senior Secondary (Years 11 & 12)	Tertiary / VET	Lifelong Learners
Reef Guardian Schools	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Virtual Learning Experiences	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Teaching resources	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Reef Discovery Course		✓	✓	✓	✓
Edutourism		✓	✓	✓	✓
Eye on the Reef sightings	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Eye on the Reef Rapid Monitoring			✓	✓	✓
Be a Marine Biologist for a Day	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

The Reef Guardian School Program, founded in 2003, is an initiative of the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority. The aim of the Program is to form a global network of educational organisations founded on the five-pillars of **C.L.A.S=S:**

- CARE** and connect to foster a sense of shared reef responsibility.
- LEARN** about the reef with curriculum aligned educational resources and information.
- ACT** for environmental sustainability and appreciate that all actions collectively matter.
- SHARE** learnings with others to encourage wider positive influence.
- STEWARDS** build reef resilience for future generations.

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Learn about the Great Barrier Reef through our education programs and resources.





Reef Guardian School Program



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The Reef Guardian School Program enables the next generation of young leaders to become stewards of the Reef, by understanding the threats to its sustainable future, and their role in protecting it. Reef Guardians care and undertake positive actions within their school and local community that contribute to Reef protection and resilience. To learn more, share achievements on a global scale, access free Reef education resources, and to register your school, visit the Reef Guardian School Portal. For further information contact: reefguardians@gbrmpa.gov.au



Virtual Learning Experiences



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Wherever you are in the world, experience the wonders of the Great Barrier Reef with a Virtual Learning Experience. Our Reef Education team deliver interactive and engaging webinars and video conferencing to a variety of audiences to learn about the Reef. We also offer a series of free webinars throughout the year. For information on sessions and how to book, visit Virtual Learning Experiences or contact: education@gbrmpa.gov.au



Teaching resources



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Empower your students with curriculum-aligned resources for early learning to tertiary levels. Access free unit plans, videos, and activities designed to bring the Great Barrier Reef into your classroom. Dive into cross-curricular materials, including Sustainability and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Histories. Engage with Eco Challenges, STEM projects, and Citizen Science initiatives aligned with UN sustainability goals and World Heritage values. To explore the extensive range of resources visit: www.reefedu.edu.au



Reef Discovery Course



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The Reef Discovery course is a comprehensive online education package. Learn and improve knowledge and understanding about the Great Barrier Reef World Heritage Area, its cultural connections, biological diversity, management and protection, and how best to interpret this information to visitors. The course is free with varying levels of information to suit surface skimmers to deep divers. To access the Reef Discovery courses, email your details to: reefdiscoverycourse@gbrmpa.gov.au



Edutourism



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Immerse your students in a Great Barrier Reef study abroad program. We offer faculty-led, experiential learning opportunities which allow students to meet and interact with Marine Park experts responsible for managing one of the world's largest marine protected areas. Students develop an understanding of the Great Barrier Reef ecosystem and the animals and plants that call it home. To book your next national or international student study tour group, email your details to: education@gbrmpa.gov.au



Eye on the Reef: Sightings and Rapid Monitoring



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Our Eye on the Reef monitoring and assessment program enables anyone who visits the Great Barrier Reef to contribute to its long-term protection. By collecting valuable information about reef health, marine animals, and incidents you can help us understand the bigger picture and inform how we manage the Reef. For further information contact: eyeonthereef@gbrmpa.gov.au



Be a Marine Biologist for a Day



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Be a Marine Biologist for a Day is an education program designed to assist teachers, marine tourism operators and reef guides to facilitate high quality student excursions on the Great Barrier Reef. Delivered across three phases of learning, the program develops the future generation to participate in the Reef Authority's Eye on the Reef monitoring citizen science program which contributes to the long-term protection of the Great Barrier Reef. To access these resources, visit: www.reefed.edu.au

Location of learning



In the classroom



On the Reef



Online learning



Smartphone App

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