

# Master of Science (Forensic Science)

## 2024 Study Planner

### Semester 1 Start:

First Level	Semester 1	<b>FORS8001</b> Forensic Criminalists GE	<b>FORS8003</b> Crime Scene Management GE	Minor	Minor
	Semester 2	<b>FORS8011</b> Introduction to Forensic Practice GE	<b>FORS8002</b> Evidence Evaluation GE	<b>STEM8001</b> Advanced Professional Skills	Minor
<b>Students must have achieved a <u>GPA of 5 or above</u> to be able to undertake the Coursework with research component stream. Students who do not receive the required GPA will instead take the Coursework stream.</b>					
Second Level Coursework Stream	Semester 1	<b>STEM9002</b> Research Methods for Science Masters	<b>STEM9100A</b> Masters Research Project (4.5/13.5)	<b>STEM9100B</b> Masters Research Project (4.5/13.5)	Minor
	Semester 2	<b>STEM9100C</b> Masters Research Project (4.5/13.5)	Coursework Option	Coursework Option	Option
<b>OR</b>					
Second Level Coursework and Research Stream	Semester 1	<b>STEM9002</b> Research Methods for Science Masters	<b>STEM9000A</b> Masters Research Thesis	<b>STEM9000B</b> Masters Research Thesis	<b>STEM9000C</b> Masters Research Thesis
	Semester 2	<b>STEM9000D</b> Masters Research Thesis	<b>STEM9000E</b> Masters Research Thesis	Minor	Minor

### Semester 2 Start:

First Level	Semester 2	<b>STEM8001</b> Advanced Professional Skills	<b>FORS8002</b> Evidence Evaluation GE <b>FORS8011</b> Introduction to Forensic Practice GE	<b>FORS8011</b> Introduction to Forensic Practice GE	Minor
	Semester 1	<b>FORS8001</b> Forensic Criminalists GE	<b>FORS8003</b> Crime Scene Management GE	Minor	Minor

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Second Level Coursework Stream	Semester 2	<b>STEM9002</b> Research Methods for Science Masters	<b>STEM9100A</b> Masters Research Project (4.5/13.5)	<b>STEM9100B</b> Masters Research Project (4.5/13.5)	Minor
	Semester 1	<b>STEM9100C</b> Masters Research Project (4.5/13.5)	Coursework Option	Coursework Option	Option

**OR**

Second Level Coursework and Research Stream	Semester 2	<b>STEM9002</b> Research Methods for Science Masters	<b>STEM9100A</b> Masters Research Project	<b>STEM9000B</b> Masters Research Thesis	<b>STEM9100C</b> Masters Research Project
	Semester 1	<b>STEM9000D</b> Masters Research Thesis	<b>STEM9000E</b> Masters Research Thesis	Minor	Minor

### Key:

Core Topics	Compulsory topic
Minor Topics	A choice from either <i>Forensic Chemistry</i> or <i>Forensic Biology</i> (please refer to course rule)
Option	A choice from a list of specified topics (please refer to course rule)

Please note:

- This document is provided as a guide only. Students are responsible for ensuring that they have completed their study according to the official [Course rule](#).
- Topic information for all topics, including pre-requisites can be found on the [Topic Page](#)
- General enrolment assistance is available via [Ask Flinders](#)
- For specific course advice e-mail: [courseadvice.SE@flinders.edu.au](mailto:courseadvice.SE@flinders.edu.au)