

# Early Years Programs 2017

## MARINE EDUCATION

## DOLPHIN RESEARCH INSTITUTE



## Choose the Dolphin Research Institute for Marine Education

Discover and appreciate **OUR** own living marine treasures. Research indicates that around 90% of Victorians care about Queensland's coast above their own; do your students?

Experience unique footage, stories and artifacts. **OUR** programs are driven by over 20 years of award-winning research. **Let your students learn from our qualified MARINE EDUCATORS.**

**A choice for the future.** We are a not-for-profit organisation with all proceeds going straight back into Victorian marine research, conservation and education.

Helping your school community celebrate Victoria's coast

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Our programs are designed to be customised to YOUR needs. We can help you meet your learning intentions and we can provide you with a program specifically targeted for your group.

## ROCK POOL AND BEACH EXPLORERS

Excursion 90 or 60 mins - \$13 or \$11 per student



**Our Explorers program lets your students uncover Victoria's real marine treasures for themselves.**

Let our experienced marine educators help your students see past the crabs, into a world of colour, the weird, the wonderful and the unique.

Flat worms, seastars, urchins, elephant snails are just some of the regular finds.

Run at either Ricketts Point\* (Beaumaris) or Balnarring Beach, these programs will leave your students with a real thirst for marine discovery and a fascination for the living treasures in their marine backyard!

\*\$14.60 per student includes a Parks Victoria Marine Sanctuary fee

## DON'T PEE IN MY POOL

Incursion/Excursion 90 or 60 mins - \$13 or \$11 per student



**Take a closer look at our drains. Where does the water go?**

Students help with an experiment to find the answer. Our interactive magic drain comes to life and students see the rubbish travelling through the stormwater system.

Students will make the link between rubbish dropped around our schools, homes, and streets to the health of the marine environment.



## INDOOR ROCK POOL

Incursion 60 mins - \$11 per student



**A rock pool in the classroom!**

Your students will discover the treasures of a rock pool without leaving the classroom. Students can touch and feel real rocks, sea stars, sea urchins, sponges, cuttlebones and shells. They will smell the seaweed and compare the wide range of colours found in the marine environment.



Discuss your needs with our qualified educators and we will provide the best program that will help you achieve your learning intentions. All of our activities can be targeted and activities can be combined to create an engaging program for your students.

Education fees directly support our research and conservation work.

**Choose 2 programs for \$20 per student**