



School Education Programs



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Sapphire Coast Marine Discovery Centre

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Dive into a marine adventure on your next excursion

Discover the magic of the marine environment through engaging, curriculum based, hands-on activities that will have students excited to learn.

Bookings are essential

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Visit the Sapphire Coast Marine Discovery Centre

Experience our...

- Aquariums with local species
- Touch tank - get up close and personal with a sea star and anemone
- Theatre showing locally produced marine videos
- Games and activities for all ages
- Microscopes, and hands on displays on the biology and geology of the Sapphire Coast
- Guided tours with a marine biologist



How Much?

- **\$5 per person** for a Marine Discovery Centre visit and guided tour of the centre (1.5 hours)
- Minimum 10, maximum 30 participants
- **Teachers and parents free!**

Immerse yourself in our education programs on the Sapphire Coast

Rocky Shore Ramble

Discover the creatures that inhabit our rocky shore

- Target year level: 1–8
- Cost: **\$8 per student** (1.5hrs, min. 10 max 30)

Rocky Shore Research

Take an in-depth look into the life on a rock platform and what factors influence the biodiversity there.

- Target year level: 7–12
- Cost: **\$10 per student** (2hrs, min. 10 max 30)

Sapphire Snorkel Safari

Dive in and experience a guided snorkel, discovering the beauty of the life on our coast.

- Target year level: 6–12
- Cost: **\$20 per student** (2hrs, min. 4 max 15)

Fishing for Answers

A look into the local fishing industry and a tour of the fish processing plant.

- Target year level: K–12
- Cost: **\$8 per student** (2hrs, min. 10 max 30)

Inside a Fish

A real dissection investigating the internal and external anatomy of fish.

- Target year level: 5–12
- Cost: **\$10 per student** (2hrs, min. 10 max 30)

Worming Around

Investigate the hidden world of the *Galeolaria* and the creatures it lives with.

- Target year level: 7–12
- Cost: **\$8 per student** (1.5hrs, min. 10 max 30)

How it Formed

Take a trip to a local beach and discover how it formed, the processes that shape it and see some of the life that inhabits our sandy shores.

- Target year level: K–12
- Cost: **\$8 per student** (1hr, min. 10 max 30)

Discover Dune Diversity

Students will have the chance to explore and investigate a sand dune system and look at the biotic and abiotic factors that affect it.

- Target year level: 5–12
- Cost: **\$10 per student** (2hr, min. 10 max 30)

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Discover in your own classroom with our school outreach programs

Crazy Critters

Discover the amazing marine environment with live marine animals, fun facts, games and interactive science activities in the comfort of your own classroom.

- Target year level: K - 6
- Cost: \$150 per session (1hr, group size - min. 10 max 30)

Whale Wise

Investigates the beauty and biology behind our oceans gentle giants. Discover how to identify whales, the true size of them and feel real whale bones in your own school.

- Target year level: K - 8
- Cost: \$150 per session (1hr, group size - min. 10 max 30)

Inside a Fish

A real dissection in your classroom investigating the internal and external anatomy of fish. Fish are included.

- Target year level: 5–12
- Cost: \$250 per session (1.5hrs, min. 10 max 30)

Marine Debris—What's the harm?

Discover what marine debris is and use scientific methods to understand the impacts that debris can have on our marine environment.

- Target year level: K- 8
- Cost: \$150 per session (1.5hrs, min. 10 max 30)

Murder in the Depths

Become a marine detective and use hands-on scientific tests to solve the case in your own school.

- Target year level: 5–12
- Cost: \$200 per session (1hr, min. 10 max 30)



The Sapphire Coast Marine Discovery Centre is a not-for-profit organisation committed to being a centre of excellence in temperate marine education, research and discovery.

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