

# Fairfield College Course Calendar 2026

**Course: L3 Biology BIO300**

**YEAR: 2026**

Term 1	Week 1 26 Jan-30 Jan	Week 2 2 - 6 Feb	Week 3 9-13 Feb	Week 4 16-20 Feb	Week 5 23 Feb-27 Feb	Week 6 2 - 6 Mar	Week 7 9-13 Mar	Week 8 16-20 Mar	Week 9 23-27 Mar	Week 10 30 Mar -2 Apr
	Enrolments and orientation	Science Skills Revision	<b>3.2 Responses to Socio-Scientific Issues INTERNAL AS91602 (3 Credits, UE W)</b>			<b>3.3 Orientation Responses EXTERNAL AS91603 (5 Credits, UE R/W)</b>				
Assessment						Submit AS. 3.2				Derived grade exam

Term 2	Week 1 20 Apr-24 Apr	Week 2 27 Apr – 1 May	Week 3 4 - 8 May	Week 4 11 - 15 May	Week 5 18 - 22 May	Week 6 25 - 29 May	Week 7 1 -5 Jun	Week 8 8 -12 Jun	Week 9 15 - 19 Jun	Week 10 22 - 26 Jun	Week 11 29 Jun - 3 Jul
	<b>3.7 Human manipulations of genetic transfer INTERNAL AS91607 (3 credits, UE R)</b>				AS 4.3	<b>3.5 Mutations, variation and speciation. Patterns of evolution. Evidence for evolution EXTERNAL AS91605 (4 Credits, UE R/W)</b>					
Assessment				Submit AS 3.7	LEARN WEEK						Derived grade exam

Term 3	Week 1 20 -24 Jul	Week 2 27 Jul - 31 Jul	Week 3 3 - 7 Aug	Week 4 10 - 14 Aug	Week 5 17 - 21 Aug	Week 6 24 - 28 Aug	Week 7 31 Aug -4 Sep	Week 8 7 - 11 Sep	Week 9 14 - 18 Sep	Week 10 21 - 24 Sep
	<b>3.6 Human Evolution EXTERNAL AS91606 (4 Credits, UE R/W)</b>					<b>3.1 Practical Investigation INTERNAL AS91601 (4 Credits)</b>				
Assessment					Derived grade exam			LEARN WEEK		Submit AS3.1

Term 4	Week 1 12 -16 Oct	Week 2 19 - 23 Oct	Week 3 26 -30 Oct	Week 4 2 - 6 Nov	Week 5 9 - 13 Nov	Week 6 16 - 20 Nov	Week 7 23 - 27 Nov	Week 8 30 Nov – 4 Dec	Week 9 7 - 11 Dec	Week 10 14 - 18 Dec
	<b>Revision</b>				<b>NZQA Examinations</b>					
	<b>3.4 Maintaining a Stable Internal Environment INTERNAL AS91604 (3 Credits)</b>									
Assessment			Submit AS 3.4							

This course IS eligible for Course Endorsement.

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