



## Teacher Program Overview & Schedule

### In Depth with Dolphins – All Years (F-12)

**Program Duration:** 1 Hour

**Location:** Dolphin Beach

**Minimum Participants:** 10 Students

**Maximum Participants:** N/A

#### Program Overview:

This interactive program provides a broad overview of dolphin biology and ecology for students of all ages. Students will discover the variety of marine habitats where dolphins live, what roles they occupy in their habitats and how they are equipped to survive in their environment. Specific adaptations covered will address how dolphins move, hunt, protect themselves, rest, breathe and maintain body temperature. When available, a Marine Mammal Trainer will deliver a short talk about training and caring for Sea World's dolphins. Students will consider how some human activities are threatening the survival of dolphins and will discuss actions that can be taken individually and globally to help with conservation of these animals.

This program has been developed to cater for mixed year level groups, providing a general overview on marine conservation and information on marine species.

#### Additional Information:

*This program is not specially curriculum aligned and is suitable for mixed year levels or groups visiting from various subject areas.*

### Program Schedule

#### Time

#### 10.30am Arrival

It is recommending that the group arrive before 10:30am. Entry into the park is through Admissions gate number 6.

#### 11.15am Affinity Dolphin Presentation

The school group will head to the Dolphin Beach by 11:15am for the 11:30am *Affinity Dolphin Presentation*.

#### 11.50am Education Program

The school group is to remain behind in the stadium on completion of the *Affinity Dolphin Presentation* where a Marine Education Officer will meet the group and deliver the program.

#### 12:40pm Program Conclusion

At the conclusion of this session, students will be free to enjoy the park for the rest of the day, at the discretion of school staff.

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