

MSc Animal Assisted Counselling and Psychotherapy - Full Time (2 Years) timetable

2026-27 timetable

10 and 11 September 2026: Postgraduate induction

Key:

Highlighted= ONSITE Sessions

Integrating Humans, Animals and the Environment into Counselling (IHAEC)

The Research Process (RP)

Animal Training, Behaviour, and Assessment (ATBA)

Companion and Working Animal Regulations (CWAR)

Semester one 2026					
Teaching week (TW)	Thursday	Friday		Saturday	Asynchronous
TW -1 7 September	Programme Induction (all day On campus)	Integrating Humans, Animals and the Environment into Counselling (IHAEC) (all day On campus)			
Semester 1, Week 1 21 September			The Research Process (RP) 1 hour Online		RP (1hour)
Semester 1, Week 2 28 September		IHAEC (2hrs Online)	RP (1hour Online)		RP (1hour)
Semester 1, Week 3 5 October		IHAEC (all day On campus)	RP (1hour Online)	IHAEC (all day On campus)	RP (1hour)
Semester 1, Week 4 12 October		Group Tutorial (1hr online)	RP (1hour Online)		RP (1hour)
Semester 1, Week 5 19 October			RP (1hour Online)		RP (1hour)
Semester 1, Week 6 26 October		IHAEC (2hrs Online)	RP (1hour Online)		RP (1hour)
Semester 1, Week 7 2 November		IHAEC (all day On campus)	RP (1hour Online)	IHAEC (all day On campus)	RP (1hour)
Semester 1, Week 8 9 November		Group Tutorial (1hr online)	RP (1hour Online)		RP (1hour)

Semester 1, Week 9 16 November		IHAEC (2hrs Online)	RP (1hour Online)		RP (1hour)
Semester 1, Week 10 23 November		IHAEC (2hrs Online)	RP (1hour Online)		RP (1hour)
Semester 1, Week 11 30 November		IHAEC (all day On campus)	RP (1hour Online)	IHAEC (all day On campus)	RP (1hour)
Semester 1, Week 12 7 December		Animal Training, Behaviour, and Assessment (ATBA) (2hrs Online Launch)	Group Tutorial (1hr online)	RP (1hour Online)	RP (1hour)
14 December	Assessment period 1				
21 December	Holiday				
28 December					
4 January					
11 January	Assessment period 1				
18 January					

Semester two 2027

Teaching week (TW)	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Asynchronous
Semester 2, Week 1 26 January		ATBA (all day On campus)	Companion and Working Animal Regulations (CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour	ATBA (all day On campus) (CWAR) 1 hour
Semester 2, Week 2 1 February		ATBA (2hrs Online)	(CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour	(CWAR) 1 hour
Semester 2, Week 3 8 February		Group Tutorial (1hr online)	(CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour	(CWAR) 1 hour
Semester 2, Week 4 15 February		ATBA (2hrs Online)	(CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour	(CWAR) 1 hour
Semester 2, Week 5 22 February		Group Tutorial (1hr online)	(CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour	(CWAR) 1 hour
Semester 2, Week 6 1 March		ATBA (2hrs Online)	(CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour	(CWAR) 1 hour

Semester 2, Week 7 8 March		ATBA (all day On campus)	(CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour	ATBA (all day On campus)	(CWAR) 1 hour
Semester 2, Week 8 15 March		Group Tutorial (1hr online)	(CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour		(CWAR) 1 hour
23 March	Holiday				
29 March					
5 April					
Semester 2, Week 9 12 April		ATBA (2hrs Online)	(CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour		(CWAR) 1 hour
Semester 2, Week 10 19 April		ATBA (all day On campus)	(CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour	ATBA (all day On campus)	(CWAR) 1 hour
Semester 2, Week 11 26 April		ATBA (2hrs Online)	(CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour		(CWAR) 1 hour
Semester 2, Week 12 3 May		Group Tutorial (1hr online)	(CWAR) ONLINE 1 hour		(CWAR) 1 hour
10 May	Assessment period 2				
17 May	Assessment period 2				
24 May	Assessment period 2				
Semester 3, Week 1 31 May					
Semester 3, Week 2 7 June					
Semester 3, Week 3 14 June					
Semester 3, Week 4 21 June					
Semester 3, Week 5 28 June					
Semester 3, Week 6 5 July					
Semester 3, Week 7 12 July					
Semester 3, Week 8 19 July					
Semester 3, Week 9 26 July					
Semester 3, Week 10					

2 August	
9 August	Holiday
16 August	Holiday
23 August	Holiday
30 August	Assessment period 4
6 September	Assessment period 4
13 September	