

Timetable and course structure

MURP YEAR 1 2026

timetable 2026 draft

Tri 1

GOVT521 RH105	Monday	9-13.00	23 Feb, 16 March, 13 April, 4 May, 25 May.
PLAN455 VS301	Tuesday Thursday	9.30-11.30 2.30-4.30	2 x 2 hrs
ENVI522 MY303	Tuesday and Thursday	12.00-2.00	
SARC461 VSLT1	Wednesday	11.30-16.30	4 hrs + 1 hr
SARC461 VSLT1	Thursday	9:30-10:20	
		Tri 2	
SARC491 VSTL1	Wednesday	13.40-16.50	3 hrs 10 mins
PLAN451 VS301	Tuesday and Thursday	9.30- 11.30	2 x 2 hrs
PLAN411 VS301	Tuesday and Thursday	12.30-16.00	2 x 4 hrs

SARC cotaught professional course Planning students core paper Taught externally

MURP YEAR 2 2026

MURP timetable T1		Tri 2
PLAN 412 VS301	Monday and Thursday 10.30-1.30	PLAN 590/PLAN 591
PLAN 590 VS301	Monday 2-3.30	
PLAN 591	Arranged with supervisor	

MURP COURSE PROGRAMME 2026 YEAR 1 COHORT					
2026	T1		T2		T3
	PAPER	PTS	PAPER	PTS	
	PLAN 455 Planning Practice / Te Mahi Kaupapa Here	15	SARC 491 Research Methodologies / Ngā Momo Tikanga Rangahau	15	
	GOVT 521 Economics and Policy	15	PLAN 451 Planning Theory, Culture and Critique / Ariā Whakamahere	15	
	SARC461 Professional Practice / Ngā Mahi Ngāio	15	PLAN 411 Urban Planning Design Studio / Whakamahere Tāone Taupuni Hoahoa	30	
	ENVI522 Environmental and Planning Law	15			
		60		60	
2027	T1		T2		
	PAPER	PTS	PAPER	PTS	
	PLAN 412 Regional Planning Design Studio / Whakamahere ā-Rohe Taupuni Hoaho	30		60	
	Elective	15			
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	PLAN 591 Planning Research Thesis / Tuhinga Rangahau Whakamahere				90
	PLAN 590 Planning Research Project / Hinonga Rangahau Whakamahere (start date can be flexible)				60

Programme Summary

PLAN 411	30	PLAN451	15	PLAN 455	15	PLAN 590	60
GOVT 521	15	ENVI522	15	PLAN 412	30	OR PLAN591	90
SARC 461	15	SARC 491	15	Electives	30	TOTAL	240

Summary papers and points For details on papers please see: [Requirements](#) | [Master of Urban and Regional Planning \[MURPlan\]](#) | [Victoria University of Wellington \(wgtn.ac.nz\)](#)