

Years 11-12 - Science in Practice - Sustainable Fishing

Full day program at NBEEC



Marine Park

What can I do in each zone?

Entry and use guide	General use zone	Habitat protection zone	Conservation park zone	Marine national park zone
Boating	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Line fishing	Yes	Yes	Yes ^a	No ^b
Crabbing	Yes	Yes	Yes ^c	No ^b
Trolling	Yes	Yes	Yes	No ^b
Bait gathering	Yes	Yes	Yes	No ^b
	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

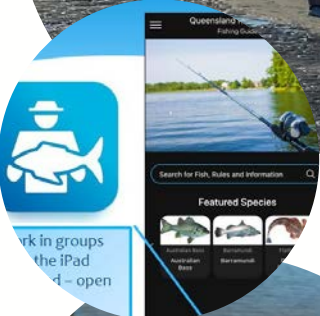


Students will be introduced to the rules and regulations of fishing within the different zones of Moreton Bay Marine Park.

Practical activities engage students, producing excitement and curiosity. Investigations develop a deeper understanding of the nature of science. What better way to do this than to head outdoors to the mouth of Kedron Brook on a running tide to partake in some fishing. Students will be briefed by Nudgee Beach EEC Centre staff on using appropriate safety equipment. **Safe working procedures are essential when participating in scientific activities and taking precautions will reduce the potential of incidents and injuries.**



Students will be given instructions on how to bait up barbless hooks and given a demonstration on how to cast a fishing rod. Fish caught will be accurately measured and details recorded before being released back into the water.



During a live mud crab demonstration back at the Centre, students will learn the regulations to sustainably fish for mud crabs and explore the human impacts on mud crab populations, assisting students to **understand that the management of environments relies on understanding their individual components, inherent interrelationships, and the impact of the human species on them.**



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