



Explore, Engage & Empower: Coastcare Schools Kit

FREE Professional Learning
Year 5-8 teachers & educators



Event description

Ecolinc, Coastcare Victoria and the Museum of Australian Democracy have joined forces to deliver an exciting professional learning opportunity that focuses on familiarising and upskilling educators in the use of the free online [Coastcare Schools Kit](#) and how to empower students to become coastal environmental change makers. This opportunity acknowledges the support of Coastcare Victoria and the Victorian Government.

What to expect

A unique and hands-on PD session delivered by Ecolinc and Museum of Australian Democracy Learning Coordinators. You will:

- Understand how the Coastcare Schools Kit fits into current Department of Education priorities,
- Learn how to implement the Kit's resources in the classroom (the Kits covers content from sustainability fisheries, litter recycling, citizen science and so much more!),
- Be engaged in hands-on activities provided in the Kit,
- Learn how to empower your students to volunteer and become active coastal stewards,
- Collaborate with other teachers.

The professional learning sessions will be 2 hours long (from 4-6 pm) and available throughout 2024 in locations along the Victoria coast and online (see below).

30 April 2024

Online [Eventbrite Ticket](#)

13 May 2024

South West (Warrnambool - Brother Fox, Deakin University) [Eventbrite Ticket](#)

11 June 2024

Port Phillip Bay (Melbourne - Port Phillip EcoCentre) [Eventbrite Ticket](#)

29 August 2024

Online [Eventbrite Ticket](#)

9 September 2024

South Gippsland (Phillip Island - Penguin Parade) [Eventbrite Ticket](#)

28 October 2024

East Gippsland (Bairnsdale - Victorian Academy of Teaching & Leadership) [Eventbrite Ticket](#)

This event is specifically designed for school teachers, community educators, and government and corporate sustainability educators across Victoria.



"I found the Coastcare PD event well organised and structured, welcoming, informative and the content highly relevant ..."

Charlotte Williamson – Education Manager, Werribee River Association