



SEMESTER 1, 2025 COURSE CALENDAR FOR GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

The DFAT Diplomatic Academy's selection of learning opportunities available for Australian Government officials external to DFAT.

You will need an account on **Lumi**, our Learning Management System, to see more details about the courses listed below. Create an account on [Lumi](#), using your **.gov.au** email address.

FEBRUARY

6-7 February	Understanding Indigenous Australia 2 days Face-to-face \$1,500
12-13 February	Understanding the Pacific 2 days Face-to-face \$1000
14 February	Diplomatic Tradecraft Essentials One day Face-to-face \$500
18 February	Cables Demystified (Cable Writing Skills) Half day Face-to-face \$250
24-26 February	Thai Immersion Course (Level 3-4) 3 days Face-to-face \$1,127

MARCH

3 –28 March	Understanding Australia's Foreign Policy (MOOC) 4 weeks Self-paced online \$640
3-5 March	Spanish Immersion Course (Level 3) 3 days Face-to-face \$1,127
5 March	Re-entry: Return to Australia Half day One hour \$260
17-19 March	Indonesian Immersion Course (Level 2-3) 3 days Face-to-face \$1,127
19 March	Diplomatic Tradecraft Essentials One day Face-to-face \$500
24-26 March	French Immersion Course (Level 2) 3 days Face-to-face \$1,127
31 March – 2 April	Vietnamese Immersion Course (Level 2-3) 3 days Face-to-face \$1,127

APRIL

7-9 April	Mandarin Immersion Course (Level 2) 3 days Face-to-face \$1,127
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16-17 April [Understanding Indigenous Australia](#) | 2 days | Face-to-face | \$1,500

MAY

5–30 May [Foundations of International Development \(MOOC\)](#) | 4 weeks | Self-paced online | \$640

7-9 April [Japanese Immersion Course \(Level 2-3\)](#) | 3 days | Face-to-face | \$1,127

7 May [Cables Demystified \(Cable Writing Skills\)](#) | Half day | Face-to-face | \$250

8-9 May [Understanding Indigenous Australia](#) | 2 days | Face-to-face | \$1,500

12-14 May [Portuguese Immersion Course \(Level 3-4\)](#) | 3 days | Face-to-face | \$1,127

19-21 May [Tetum Immersion Course \(Level 3-4\)](#) | 3 days | Face-to-face | \$1,127

22 May [Diplomatic Tradecraft Essentials](#) | One day | Face-to-face | \$500

26-28 May [French Immersion Course \(Level 3\)](#) | 3 days | Face-to-face | \$1,127

JUNE

10 June [Diplomatic Tradecraft Essentials](#) | One day | Face-to-face | \$500

11-12 June [Understanding Indigenous Australia](#) | 2 days | Face-to-face | \$1,500

16-18 June [Russian Immersion Course \(Level 2-3\)](#) | 3 days | Face-to-face | \$1,127

23-25 June [Arabic Immersion Course \(Level 2\)](#) | 3 days | Face-to-face | \$1,127

26 June [Cables Demystified \(Cable Writing Skills\)](#) | Half day | Face-to-face | \$250

30 June [Islamic Awareness](#) | One day | Face-to-face | \$500

31 June – 2 July [Spanish Immersion Course \(Level 2\)](#) | 3 days | Face-to-face | \$1,127

This information is current as at 13 January 2025.