

MBA PROGRAM SCHEDULE FOR MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (MBA)
18-MONTH MBA PROGRAM INTAKE 2026-1A (January 2026 start; first residency in March 2026); Y2526W-CA1B

January 5, 2026 to July 19, 2027
 Date Schedule was last updated: November 6th, 2025

(Program schedules, including start and end dates, are subject to change)								
Non-credit Required Activities								
Activity	Credit	Description		Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	End Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Delivery Mode	# weeks	Req'd or Elective
GDB		Getting Down to Business	P/F	Mon, 01/05/2026	Sun, 01/11/2026	Online	1	R
ITAI		Introduction to Academic Integrity	COMP	Mon, 01/05/2026	Sun, 01/11/2026	Online	1	R
Pre-Residency (online)								
Activity	Credit	Description	Grade Scale	Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	End Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Delivery Mode	# weeks	Req'd or Elective
BUSA 502	3	Constructing & Communicating Effective Arguments	4.33	Mon, 01/12/2026	Sun, 03/01/2026	Online	7	R
BUSA 580	3	Career Design for Business Leaders	4.33	Mon, 01/12/2026	Sun, 03/01/2026	Online	7	R
Residency One								
Course	Credit	Course Title	Grade Scale	Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	End Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Delivery Mode	# weeks	Req'd or Elective
BUSA 507	3	Foundations of Strategic Leadership	4.33	Mon, 03/02/2026	Fri, 03/13/2026	On Campus	2	R
				Sat, 03/14/2026	Sun, 04/05/2026	Online	3	
BUSA 514	3	Organizational Behaviour	4.33	Mon, 03/02/2026	Fri, 03/13/2026	On Campus	2	R
				Sat, 03/14/2026	Sun, 04/05/2026	Online	3	
Distance Learning One (DL 1)								
BUSA 506	3	Strategy	4.33	Mon, 04/13/2026	Sun, 06/14/2026	Online	9	R
BUSA 608	3	Change Management	4.33	Mon, 04/13/2026	Sun, 06/14/2026	Online	9	R
Distance Learning Two (DL 2)								
BUSA 513	3	Delivering Customer Value	4.33	Mon, 06/22/2026	Sun, 08/23/2026	Online	9	R
BUSA 522	3	Creating Customer Value	4.33	Mon, 06/22/2026	Sun, 08/23/2026	Online	9	R
Distance Learning Three (DL 3)								
BUSA 523	3	Corporate Finance	4.33	Mon, 08/31/2026	Sun, 11/01/2026	Online	9	R
Distance Learning Four (DL 4)								
BUSA 508	3	Accounting for Strategic Business Decisions	4.33	Mon, 11/16/2026	Sun, 01/24/2027	Online	10	R
BUSA 632	3	Understanding Economic Decision Making	4.33	Mon, 11/16/2026	Sun, 01/24/2027	Online	10	R
Distance Learning Five (DL 5)								
Choose one MBA Specialization (2 courses) or Choose an RRU Graduate Certificate								
International Business Trade and Investment - Asia								
EXMN 665	3	Asia Pacific Business Environment	4.33	Mon, 02/08/2027	Sun, 04/11/2027	Online	9	R
EXMN 669	3	Asia Pacific Management and Strategy	4.33	Mon, 02/08/2027	Fri, 03/05/2027	Online	4	R
				Sat, 03/06/2027	Wed, 03/17/2027	On Location	12 days	
				Thu, 03/18/2027	Sun, 04/11/2027	Online	3	
Leadership								
EXMN 655	3	Leading a Global Workforce	4.33	Mon, 02/08/2027	Sun, 04/11/2027	Online	9	R
EXMN 658	3	Leading with Emotional Intelligence	4.33	Mon, 02/08/2027	Sun, 04/11/2027	Online	9	R
Management Consulting								
EXMN 661	3	Management Consulting - Best Practices	4.33	Mon, 02/08/2027	Sun, 04/11/2027	Online	9	R
EXMN 668	3	Management Consulting - Essentials	4.33	Mon, 02/08/2027	Sun, 04/11/2027	Online	9	R
Choose one Completion Option								
1. Course Based - Select BUSA611, BUSA612 or any available RRU Masters level courses (upon approval)								
BUSA 611	3	Indigenous Business Perspectives	4.33	Mon, 04/19/2027	Sun, 06/20/2027	Online	9	E
BUSA 612	3	Sustainability for Business Leaders	4.33	Mon, 04/19/2027	Sun, 06/20/2027	Online	9	E
2. Organizational Management Project								
BUSA 696A	3	Organizational Management Project (A)	4.33	Mon, 06/22/2026	Sun, 10/25/2026	Online	18	E
BUSA 696B	3	Organizational Management Project (B)	4.33	Mon, 11/16/2026	Sun, 06/20/2027	Online	31	E
3. RRU Master Level Courses - Course-Based Completion (choose two 500/600 level courses) - * Course approval required								
Residency Two								
BUSA 650	6	Advanced Strategic Integrative Practice	4.33	Mon, 06/28/2027	Fri, 07/09/2027	Online	1.6	R
				Sat, 07/10/2027	Mon, 07/19/2027	On Campus	1.3	
Total Credits 51			Convocation: November 2027					

Definition Key:

Delivery Mode (way in which the course is delivered to the student):

Blended indicates that some components of the course are online and some are on campus or on location.

On-Campus, also known as Face to Face, indicates that this portion of the course is taught on site at Royal Roads University.

Online, also known as Distance Learning, indicates that this portion of the course is taken over the Internet.

On Location indicates that this portion of the course is taught off campus at another location and applies to internship courses.

Independent Study indicates that this is a self-directed course (excluding graduate level research papers, major projects, theses and dissertations).

Independent Research indicates that this is a graduate level research paper, major project, thesis or dissertation.

Residency vs Distance Row Headers:

Residency indicates courses or a period of time during which students are on site receiving instruction in person at Royal Roads University or at a partner institution. When followed by One, Two, Three or Four, indicates whether it is the first, second, third or fourth residency period.

Pre-Res, or Pre-Residency, indicates courses that are being offered prior to the student attending Residency.

Distance indicates courses or a period of time during which students take their courses online (aka Distance Learning). When followed by One, Two, Three or Four, indicates whether it is the first, second, third or fourth Distance Learning period.