

Jump right in to college: sign up for

Marine/Estuarine/Freshwater Biology (MEFB) 410,
Marine Immersion

...and start your college career doing marine biology on a beautiful island this August!

- 8 days (August 14-21, 2017)
- 2 UNH credits
- Marine topics from biodiversity to zoology
- Hands-on research and discovery
- Live and learn at the Shoals Marine Laboratory
- College study and survival skills

This course is designed for incoming college freshmen – especially, but not exclusively, for Marine/Estuarine/Freshwater Biology, General Biology, Zoology, and related majors. In addition to marine sciences, you'll get an introduction to undergraduate life and research, and practice some of the skills - from writing to time management to talking with professors - that will help you make the most of your college experience.

The “campus” for Marine Immersion is the **Shoals Marine Laboratory (SML)**, a world-class marine laboratory operated jointly by UNH and Cornell, and dedicated to undergraduate research and education. SML is located on Appledore Island, 8 miles off the coast of New Hampshire; it has modern dormitory, dining, and research facilities. Both students and faculty will be in residence on the island during the course (round-trip transportation from Portsmouth, NH is included in the course fee).

The class is capped at 16, so contact the instructor soon if you're interested.

Total course costs for 2017: \$1537 for NH residents, \$1625 for non-residents – *including* all tuition, fees, registration, room, board, & transportation between Portsmouth, NH and SML.

How to sign up: Request permission from the instructor (jbolker@unh.edu); then, sign up for **MEFB 410** through UNH Summer Session (phone **603-862-2015** or **800-313-5327**; <http://www.unh.edu/summersession/registration.html>)

For more information or to be added to the permission list:

- Dr. Jessica Bolker (UNH Department of Biological Sciences faculty; primary instructor), jbolker@unh.edu; 603-862-0071.
- Marine Immersion web page:
<http://marine.unh.edu/program/marine-immersion-shoals-marine-laboratory>
- General information about SML: <http://www.shoalsmarinelaboratory.org>
- Marine, Estuarine and Freshwater Biology major: <http://www.mefb.unh.edu>