

# Department of Biochemistry & Molecular Biology

## PhD: Leave Policy



All PhD students are entitled to up to 4 weeks per year of recreational annual leave. Before you take leave, email the dates to Aradhana Doecki [aradhana@unimelb.edu.au](mailto:aradhana@unimelb.edu.au). She will forward the dates to your supervisor for approval.

Parental leave entitlements are up to 12 months per pregnancy, for maternity or primary carer and up to 8 weeks per pregnancy, for partner leave.

For official leave from the PhD program: students who commence or confirm on or after 1 January 2017 are entitled to up to 12 months' accumulated leave. Students who commence or confirm prior to 1 January 2017 are entitled to up to 24 months' accumulated leave.