

2025 Cohort Year 1 Launch Event:	4th & 5th October 2025 (online)
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Unit 1: Horticulture Now

Unit launch:	4th October 2025
Assessment 1 submission:	23rd October 2025 <i>Estimated marking return date: 13th November 2025</i>
Assessment 2 submission:	27th November 2025 <i>Estimated marking return date: 18th December 2025</i>
Assessment 3 submission:	22nd January 2026 <i>Estimated marking return date: 12th February 2026</i>

Unit 2: Locating & Using Research

Unit launch:	5th February 2026
Assessment 1 submission:	26th March 2026 <i>Estimated marking return date: 16th April 2025</i>
Assessment 2 submission:	14th May 2026 <i>Estimated marking return date: 4th June 2026</i>

Unit 3: Your Management Style

Unit launch:	21st May 2026
Assessment submission:	27th August 2026 <i>Estimated marking return date: 17th September 2026</i>

**2025 Cohort Year 2
Launch Event:**

**3rd & 4th October 2026
(online)**

Unit 4: Sustainable Horticulture

Unit launch: **3rd October 2026**

Assessment 1 submission: **19th November 2026**
Estimated marking return date: 10th December 2026

Assessment 2 submission: **21st January 2027**
Estimated marking return date: 11th February 2027

Unit 5: Horticulture and Society

Unit launch: **4th February 2027**

Assessment 1 submission: **18th March 2027**
Estimated marking return date: 8th April 2027

Assessment 2 submission: **13th May 2027**
Estimated marking return date: 3rd June 2027

Unit 6: Strategy in Action

Unit launch: **20th May 2027**

Assessment 1 submission: **29th July 2027**
Estimated marking return date: 19th August 2027

Assessment 2 submission: **9th August 2027**

Assessment 2 presentation
(completed face to face
electronically – timetable to be
confirmed closer to the time): **11th and 12th August 2027**
Estimated marking return date: 2nd September 2027

Unit 7: Professional Practice

Unit launch:	16th September 2027
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2024 Cohort Year 3 Launch Event (online):	25th September 2027
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Examination Day 1 (completed face to face electronically – timetable to be confirmed closer to the time):	24th November 2027 <i>Estimated marking return date: 15th December 2027</i>
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Examination Day 2 (completed face to face electronically – timetable to be confirmed closer to the time):	23rd February 2028 <i>Estimated marking return date: 15th March 2028</i>
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Unit 8: Dissertation

Unit launch:	16th September 2027
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2024 Cohort Year 3 Launch Event (online):	25th September 2027
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Dissertation proposal Part 1 submission:	14th October 2027
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Dissertation proposal Part 2 submission:	6th January 2028
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Dissertation progress submission:	11th April 2028
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Unit 8 catch-up event (online):	22nd April 2028
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Written dissertation submission:	6th July 2028
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Dissertation viva submission:	1st September 2028
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Dissertation vivas (completed face to face electronically – timetable to be confirmed closer to the time):	6th, 7th & 8th September 2028
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Please note: We will try to keep to these dates as much as we can, however changes may occur.