



2026 Program Schedule

valid from 19 Jan 2026

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	TIME
5:00	THIS WORKING LIFE Lisa Leong	AUSTRALIA WIDE	AUSTRALIA WIDE	AUSTRALIA WIDE	AUSTRALIA WIDE	AUSTRALIA WIDE	HEART AND SOUL (BBC)	5:00
5:30	ABC NEWS DAILY + RADIO NATIONAL HOUR HIGHLIGHTS*					THE ECONOMY STUPID*	THE PHILOSOPHER'S ZONE David Rutledge	5:30
6:00	RADIO NATIONAL BREAKFAST includes 30 minutes of News and AM at 7:00am Sally Sara					COUNTRY BREAKFAST David Cloughton	IN THE STUDIO (BBC) + THE RELIGION & ETHICS REPORT*	6:00
9:00	LIFE MATTERS Tegan Taylor/ Beverley Wang					SATURDAY EXTRA Nick Bryant	SUNDAY EXTRA with Julian Morrow Includes: Background Briefing (9.05)	7:00
						REAR VISION*		8:30
						HEALTH REPORT Norman Swan & Preeya Alexander		9:00
10:00	RADIO NATIONAL'S ARTS HOUR Includes The Book Show <i>live hosts</i>	RADIO NATIONAL'S ARTS HOUR Includes Anthony Burke's By Design	RADIO NATIONAL'S ARTS HOUR Includes Every Bite	RADIO NATIONAL'S ARTS HOUR Includes The Screen Show	THE BOOKSHELF* Kate Evans & Cassie McCullagh	THE BOOKSHELF Kate Evans & Cassie McCullagh	RADIO NATIONAL'S ARTS HOUR* Includes Anthony Burke's By Design	10:00
11:00	GLOBAL ROAMING Hamish Macdonald & Geraldine Doogue	GLOBAL ROAMING	GLOBAL ROAMING	GLOBAL ROAMING	GLOBAL ROAMING	EVERY BITE + DOWNLOAD THIS SHOW	THE MINEFIELD Waleed Aly and Scott Stephens	11:00
11:30	BREAKFAST WRAP	BREAKFAST WRAP	BREAKFAST WRAP	BREAKFAST WRAP	BREAKFAST WRAP		REAR VISION	12:00
12:00	NOONE SAW IT COMING + REWIND	BIG IDEAS*	BIG IDEAS*	BIG IDEAS*	BIG IDEAS*			12:30
1:00	THE WORLD TODAY					THE SCIENCE SHOW	NOONE SAW IT COMING* Marc Fennell	1:00
1:30	THE SCIENCE SHOW*	WHAT THE DUCK?!* Ann Jones	SCIENCE FRICTION	ALL IN THE MIND Sana Qadar	WHAT'S THAT RASH? + LAB NOTES	RADIO NATIONAL'S ARTS HOUR* Includes The Screen Show	ALL IN THE MIND Sana Qadar	1:30
2:00	HISTORY SHOWCASE	BACKGROUND BRIEFING*	THE LAW REPORT* + THIS WORKING LIFE*	THE PARTY ROOM + IF YOU'RE LISTENING	SPEAKING OUT Larissa Behrendt	THE MUSIC SHOW Andrew Ford	THE MUSIC SHOW Andrew Ford	2:00
3:00	CONVERSATIONS Richard Fidler & Sarah Kanowski					COMEDY SHOWCASE	THE PHILOSOPHER'S ZONE David Rutledge	3:00
4:00	HEALTH REPORT* Norman Swan & Preeya Alexander	LATE NIGHT LIVE* David Marr					SCIENCE FRICTION*	3:30
5:00	PM					THANK GOD IT'S FRIDAY*	REWIND* + PACIFIC REVIEW*	4:00
5:30	ALL IN THE MIND* Qadar	Sana THE LAW REPORT Damian Carrick	THE RELIGION & ETHICS REPORT Andrew West	THE ECONOMY STUPID Peter Martin	DOWNLOAD THIS SHOW Rae Johnston	GOD FORBID* James Carleton	SOUL SEARCH Meredith Lake	5:00
6:00	RADIO NATIONAL HOUR with Fran Kelly					AWAYE! Rudi Bremer	JAZZTRACK LIVE Mal Stanley	6:00
7:00	LIFE MATTERS*				THANK GOD IT'S FRIDAY Charlie Pickering	RADIOLAB	THIS AMERICAN LIFE Ira Glass	7:00
8:00	BIG IDEAS Natasha Mitchell				EVERY BITE* & PHILOSOPHER'S ZONE*		THE ARTS HOUR* (BBC)	8:00
9:00	GLOBAL ROAMING* + WHAT THE DUCK?*	GLOBAL ROAMING* + THE SCIENCE SHOW*	GLOBAL ROAMING* WHAT'S THAT RASH + LAB NOTES*	GLOBAL ROAMING* + SCIENCE FRICTION*	GLOBAL ROAMING* + ALL IN THE MIND*	RADIO NATIONAL'S ARTS HOUR* Includes The Book Show	GOD FORBID* James Carleton	9:00
10:00	LATE NIGHT LIVE David Marr				THE NAKED SCIENTISTS Chris Smith	THE MUSIC SHOW* Andrew Ford	THE MUSIC SHOW* Andrew Ford	10:00
11:00	THE BOOKSHELF* Cassie McCullagh & Kate Evans	REAR VISION* + WORKING LIFE*	THIS SOUL SEARCH* Meredith Lake	AWAYE! Rudi Bremer	PASSENGER (CLASSIC)	SPEAKING OUT* Larissa Behrendt	BACKGROUND BRIEFING*	11:00
12:00	Best of local and international programs and selected repeats including Big Ideas*, Quirks & Quirks, What on Earth and Ideas from the CBC and This American Life* & Radiolab*							12:00

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