

# Student Admission — Phase 3: Data Modeling & Relationships

## 1. Introduction

This phase covers designing the **data model** for Student Admission in Salesforce. It defines standard and custom objects, fields, record types, page layouts, and relationships to support admission workflows, student applications, course enrollments, and reporting.

## 2. Objectives

- Configure **standard & custom objects** for students, applications, courses, and enrollments.
- Add **fields** to capture admission-related information.
- Create **record types** for UG/PG applications.
- Customize **page layouts & compact layouts** for user-friendly data entry.
- Use **Schema Builder** to visualize objects and relationships.
- Understand and apply **Lookup vs Master-Detail vs Hierarchical relationships**.
- Implement a **junction object** for Student ↔ Course (Enrollment).
- Explore **External Objects** for integrating external admission data.

## 3. Configuration Steps

### Step 1 — Standard & Custom Objects

- **Standard Objects** used:
  - Contact → (can represent Students, but we created a custom object for clarity)
  - User → Admin, Officer, Student users
  - Reports & Dashboards → analytics
- **Custom Objects** created:
  - **Student\_\_c** → represents student details.
  - **Application\_\_c** → represents student applications for admission.
  - **Course\_\_c** → represents academic courses offered.
  - **Enrollment\_\_c** → junction object linking Student\_\_c and Course\_\_c.

Setup Home Object Manager

Object Manager  
158+ Items. Sorted by Label

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Account	Account	Standard Object
Activity	Activity	Standard Object
Address	Address	Standard Object
Agent Work	AgentWork	Standard Object
Alternative Payment Method	AlternativePaymentMethod	Standard Object
API Anomaly Event Store	ApiAnomalyEventStore	Standard Object
Application	Application__c	Custom Object 9/18/2025 ✓
Appointment Category	AppointmentCategory	Standard Object
Appointment Invitation	AppointmentInvitation	Standard Object
Appointment Invitee	AppointmentInvitee	Standard Object
Appointment Topic Time Slot	AppointmentTopicTimeSlot	Standard Object
Approval Submission	ApprovalSubmission	Standard Object

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211+ Items. Sorted by Label

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Email Message	EmailMessage	Standard Object
Engagement Channel Type	EngagementChannelType	Standard Object
Engagement Channel Work Type	EngagementChannelWorkType	Standard Object
Enrollment	Enrollment_c__c	Custom Object 9/18/2025 ✓
Entitlement	Entitlement	Standard Object
Entitlement Contact	EntitlementContact	Standard Object

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211+ Items. Sorted by Label

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Store	WebStore	Standard Object
Store Buyer Group	WebStoreBuyerGroup	Standard Object
Store Catalog	WebStoreCatalog	Standard Object
Student	Student_c__c	Custom Object 9/18/2025 ✓
Task	Task	Standard Object
Time Slot	TimeSlot	Standard Object
User	User	Standard Object

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Contract Line Item	ContractLineItem	Standard Object
Coupon	Coupon	Standard Object
Course	Course_c__c	Custom Object 9/18/2025 ✓
Credential Stuffing Event Store	CredentialStuffingEventStore	Standard Object

Fig.Objects

## Step 2 — Fields

### Student\_\_c Fields

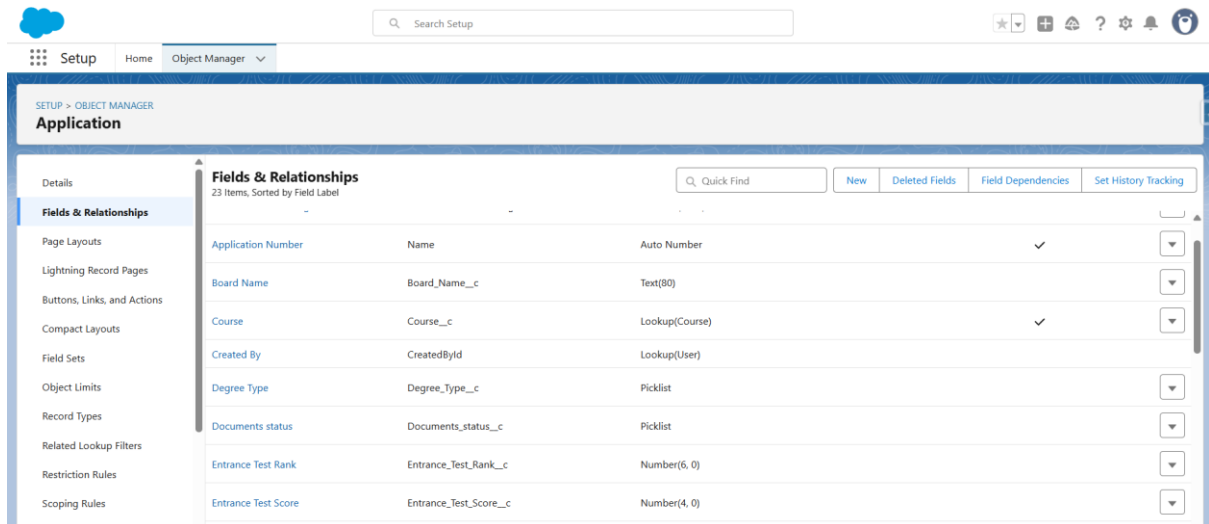
- Student\_ID\_\_c (Auto Number: STU-{0000})
- Full\_Name\_\_c (Text)
- Email\_\_c (Email)
- Phone\_\_c (Phone)
- DOB\_\_c (Date)
- Program\_\_c (Picklist: UG, PG, Diploma)

The screenshot shows the Salesforce Setup interface for the 'Student' object. The 'Fields & Relationships' tab is selected, displaying a list of 11 fields. The fields are sorted by Field Label. The table below represents the data shown in the screenshot:

Field Label	Field Name	Field Type	Required
Date of Birth	Date_of_Birth__c	Date	
Email	Email__c	Email	
Last Modified By	LastModifiedById	Lookup(User)	
Name	Name__c	Text(50)	
Owner	OwnerId	Lookup(User,Group)	✓
Phone no	Phone_no__c	Phone	
Program	Program__c	Picklist	
student	Name	Text(80)	✓
Student ID	Student_ID__c	Auto Number	

### Application\_\_c Fields

- Application\_Number\_\_c (Auto Number: APP-{0000})
- Student\_\_c (Lookup → Student\_\_c)
- Course\_\_c (Lookup → Course\_\_c)
- Status\_\_c (Picklist: Draft, Submitted, Under Review, Accepted, Rejected)
- Submission\_Date\_\_c (Date)
- Intake\_\_c (Picklist: Jan 2026, Jul 2026, etc.)
- Documents\_Status\_\_c (Picklist: Pending, Uploaded)
- Fee\_Payment\_Status\_\_c (Picklist: Not Paid, Partial, Paid)



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### Application

Details

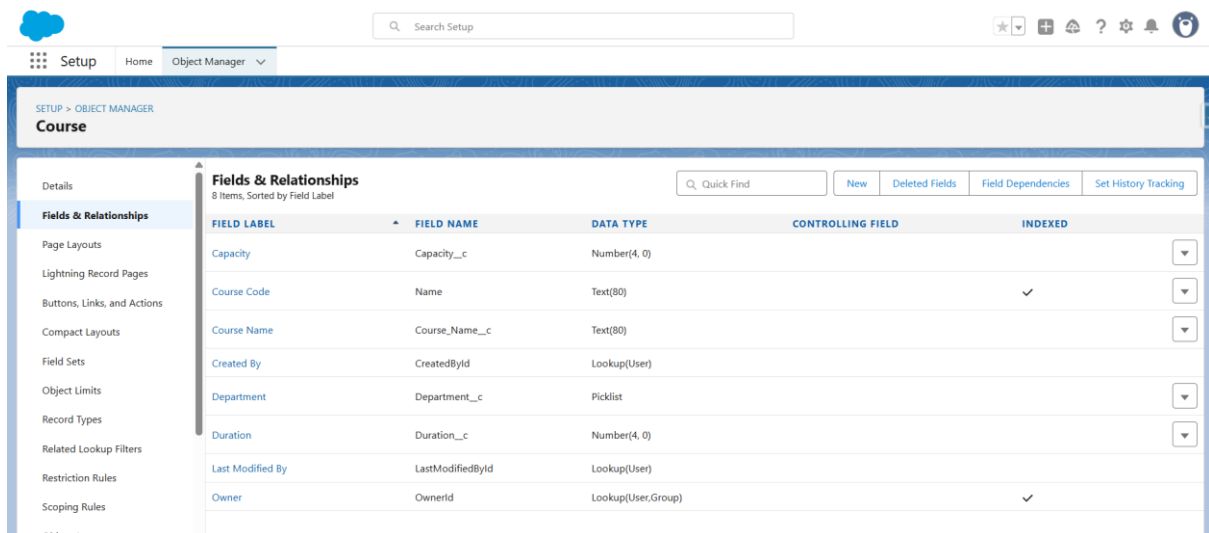
**Fields & Relationships**  
23 Items, Sorted by Field Label

Q Quick Find New Deleted Fields Field Dependencies Set History Tracking

Field Label	Field Name	Data Type	Controlling Field	Indexed
Application Number	Name	Auto Number		✓
Board Name	Board_Name__c	Text(80)		
Course	Course__c	Lookup(Course)		✓
Created By	CreatedById	Lookup(User)		
Degree Type	Degree_Type__c	Picklist		
Documents status	Documents_status__c	Picklist		
Entrance Test Rank	Entrance_Test_Rank__c	Number(6, 0)		
Entrance Test Score	Entrance_Test_Score__c	Number(4, 0)		

## Course\_\_c Fields

- Course\_Code\_\_c (Text)
- Course\_Name\_\_c (Text)
- Duration\_\_c (Number, Months)
- Seats\_\_c (Number)
- Department\_\_c (Picklist: CS, Business, Arts, etc.)



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### Course

Details

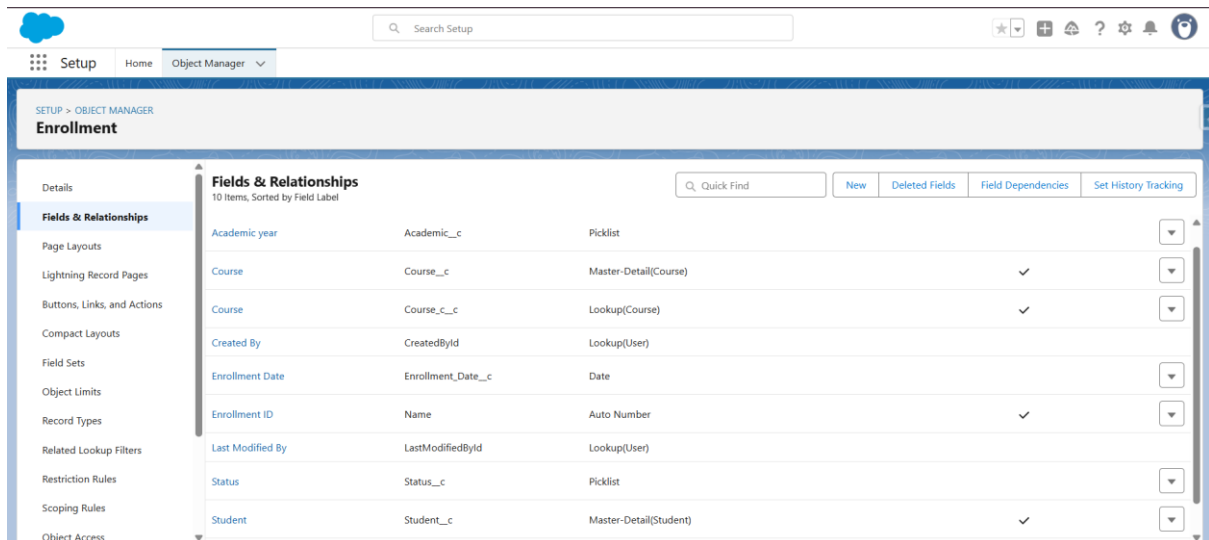
**Fields & Relationships**  
8 Items, Sorted by Field Label

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FIELD LABEL	FIELD NAME	DATA TYPE	CONTROLLING FIELD	INDEXED
Capacity	Capacity__c	Number(4, 0)		
Course Code	Name	Text(80)		✓
Course Name	Course_Name__c	Text(80)		
Created By	CreatedById	Lookup(User)		
Department	Department__c	Picklist		
Duration	Duration__c	Number(4, 0)		
Last Modified By	LastModifiedById	Lookup(User)		
Owner	OwnerId	Lookup(User, Group)		✓

## Enrollment\_\_c Fields

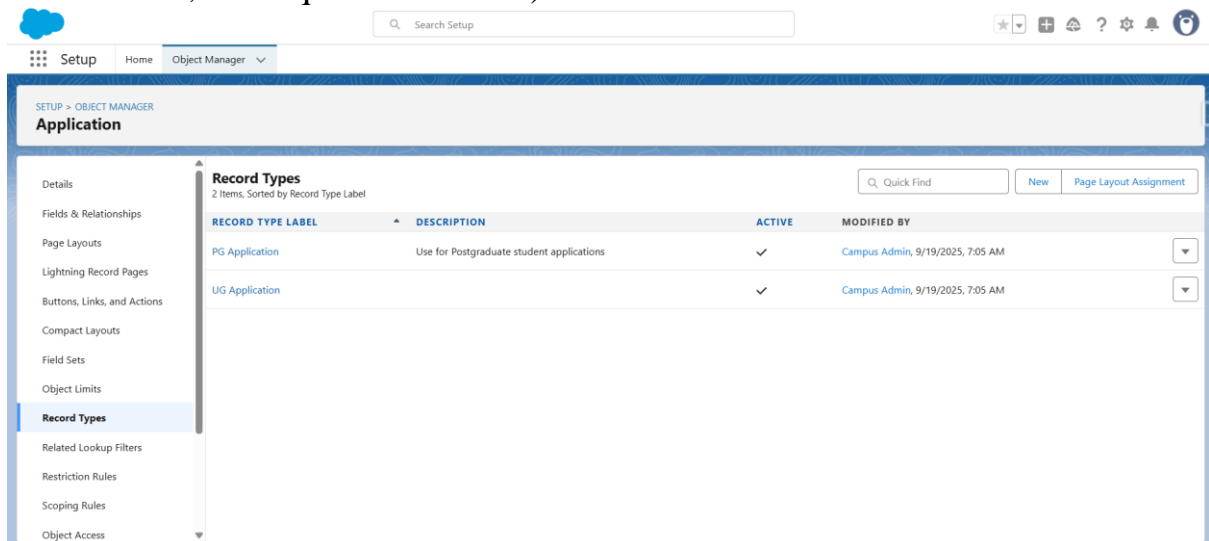
- Enrollment\_Number\_\_c (Auto Number: ENR-{0000})
- Student\_\_c (Master-Detail → Student\_\_c)
- Course\_\_c (Master-Detail → Course\_\_c)
- Enrollment\_Date\_\_c (Date)
- Academic\_Year\_\_c (Picklist: 2025–26, 2026–27, etc.)
- Status\_\_c (Picklist: Enrolled, Waitlisted, Cancelled)



**Fig. Fields**

### Step 3 — Record Type

- **Application\_\_c Record Types:**
  - UG Application
  - PG Application
- Each record type has its own **page layout** (UG requires Entrance Exam Score, PG requires UG GPA).



**Fig. Record Types**

### Step 4 — Page Layouts

- **Student\_\_c Layout** → personal info, related Applications & Enrollments.
- **Application\_\_c Layouts** → UG layout shows entrance exam field, PG layout shows UG GPA field.
- **Course\_\_c Layout** → seats, duration, department.
- **Enrollment\_\_c Layout** → linked Student & Course, status, academic year.

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Compact Layouts

Field Sets

Object Limits

Page Layouts

1 Items, Sorted by Page Layout Name

Q Quick Find

New

Page Layout Assignment

PAGE LAYOUT NAME	CREATED BY	MODIFIED BY	
Student Application Layout	Campus Admin, 9/18/2025, 5:57 AM	Campus Admin, 9/20/2025, 10:40 AM	▼

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3 Items, Sorted by Page Layout Name

Q Quick Find

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Page Layout Assignment

PAGE LAYOUT NAME	CREATED BY	MODIFIED BY	
Application Layout	Campus Admin, 9/18/2025, 9:36 PM	Campus Admin, 9/20/2025, 10:10 AM	▼
PG Application Layout	Campus Admin, 9/19/2025, 5:04 AM	Campus Admin, 9/19/2025, 7:29 AM	▼
UG Application Layout	Campus Admin, 9/19/2025, 4:50 AM	Campus Admin, 9/19/2025, 7:24 AM	▼

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Q Quick Find

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PAGE LAYOUT NAME	CREATED BY	MODIFIED BY	
Enrollment Layout	Campus Admin, 9/18/2025, 6:47 AM	Campus Admin, 9/20/2025, 10:44 AM	▼

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1 Items, Sorted by Page Layout Name

Q Quick Find

New

Page Layout Assignment

PAGE LAYOUT NAME	CREATED BY	MODIFIED BY	
Course Layout	Campus Admin, 9/18/2025, 6:27 AM	Campus Admin, 9/20/2025, 10:34 AM	▼

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Fig. Page Layouts

## Step 5 — Compact Layouts

- **Application\_\_c Compact Layout** → shows Application Number, Student, Status, Intake, Submission Date.
- **Enrollment\_\_c Compact Layout** → shows Enrollment Number, Student, Course, Status.

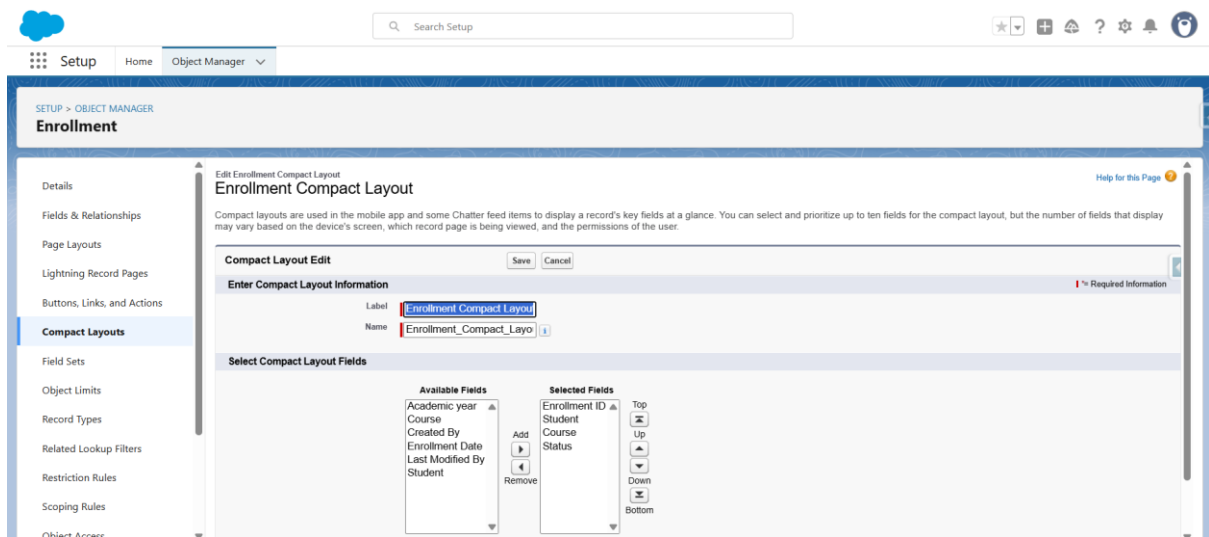
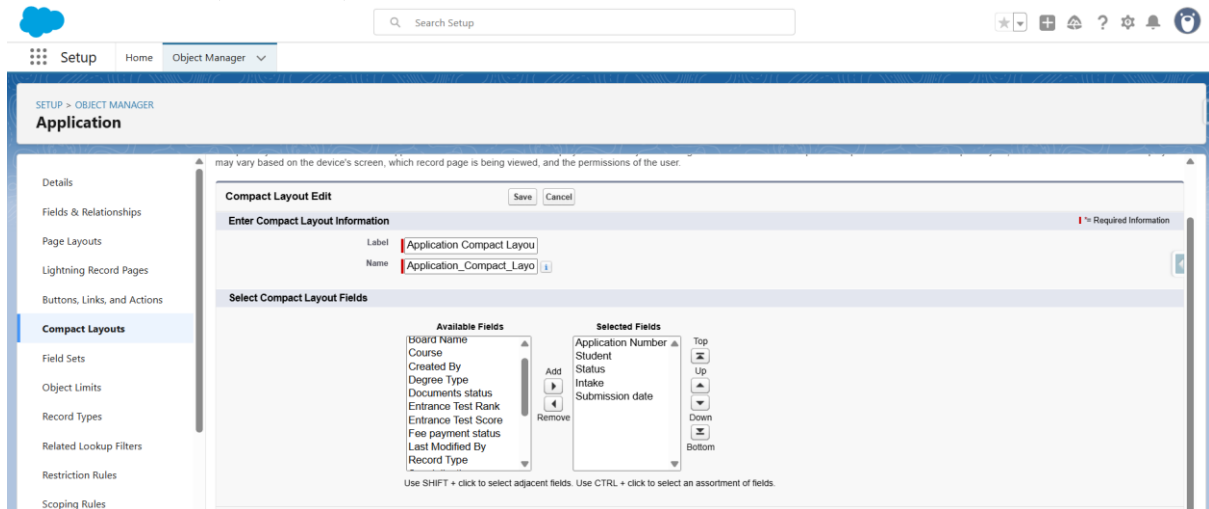
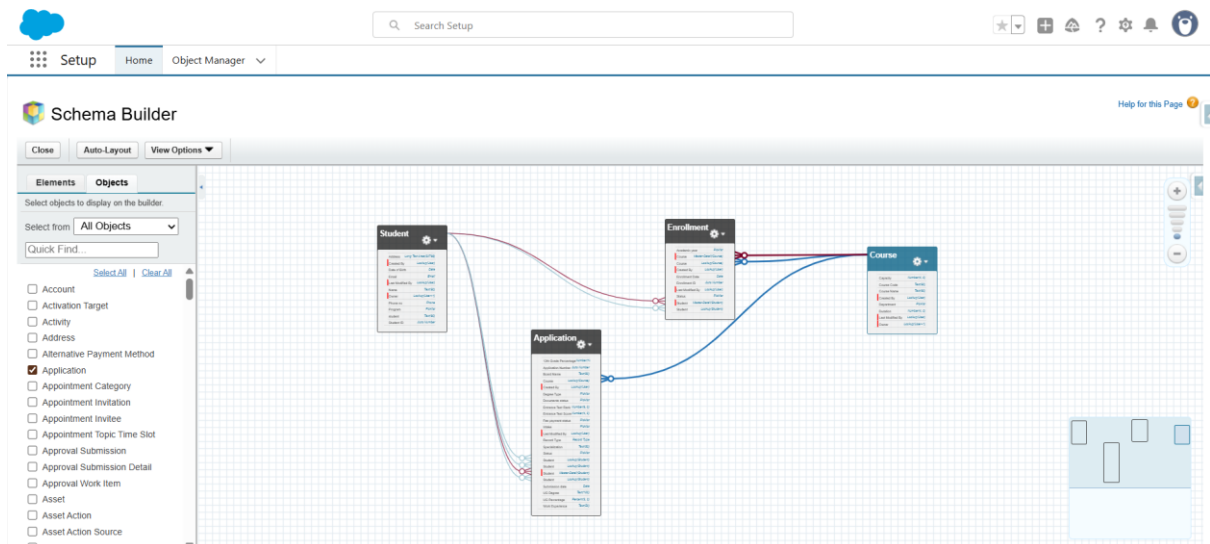


Fig.CompactLayouts

## Step 6 — Schema Builder

- Used **Schema Builder** to visualize objects & relationships:
  - **Student\_\_c** → **Application\_\_c** (1:M)
  - **Student\_\_c** ↔ **Course\_\_c** (M:M via Enrollment\_\_c junction)
  - **Course\_\_c** → **Enrollment\_\_c** (1:M)



**Fig.SchemaBuilder**

## Step 7 — Lookup vs Master-Detail vs Hierarchical Relationships

- **Lookup Relationship:** Student\_\_c → Application\_\_c (loose relationship, application can exist independently).

The screenshot shows the Object Manager for the Application object. The Fields & Relationships tab is active, displaying a list of fields and their relationships. The table below represents the data shown in the screenshot.

Field Label	Field Name	Field Type	Relationship	Required
Specialization	Specialization__c	Text(50)		
Status	Status__c	Picklist		
Student	Student__c	Lookup(Student)		✓

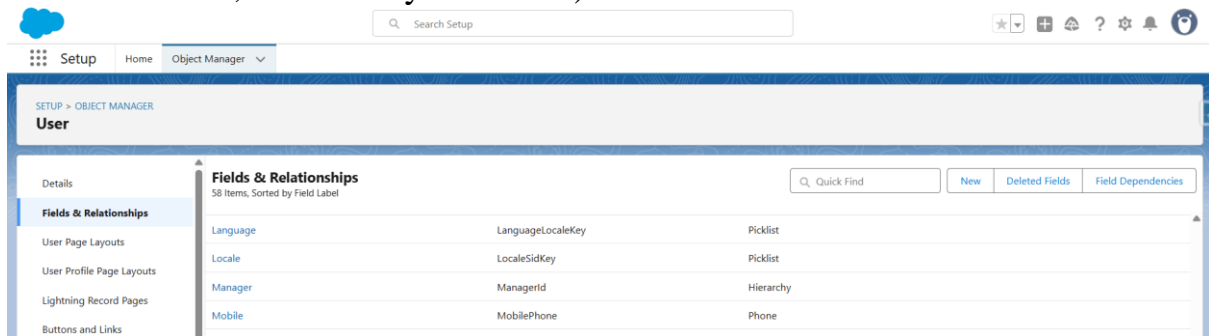
- **Master-Detail Relationship:** Enrollment\_\_c → Student\_\_c and Course\_\_c (deletes enrollments if parent is deleted).

The screenshot shows the Object Manager for the Enrollment object. The Fields & Relationships tab is active, displaying a list of fields and their relationships. The table below represents the data shown in the screenshot.

Field Label	Field Name	Field Type	Relationship	Required
Course	Course__c	Master-Detail(Course)		✓
Course	Course__c_c	Lookup(Course)		✓
Created By	CreatedById	Lookup(User)		
Enrollment Date	Enrollment_Date__c	Date		
Enrollment ID	Name	Auto Number		✓
Last Modified By	LastModifiedById	Lookup(User)		
Status	Status__c	Picklist		
Student	Student__c	Master-Detail(Student)		✓



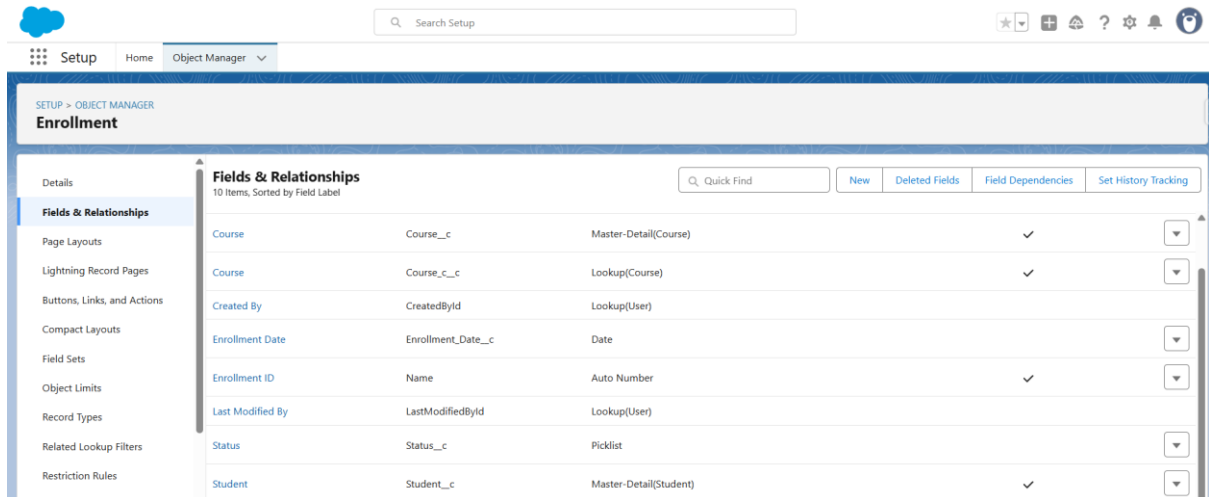
- **Hierarchical Relationship:** Used only on **User object** (e.g., reporting structure, not directly used here).



**Fig.7 Relationships**

## Step 8 — Junction Objects

- **Enrollment\_\_c** serves as a junction object to model **many-to-many** relationship:
  - A Student can enroll in many Courses.
  - A Course can have many Students.

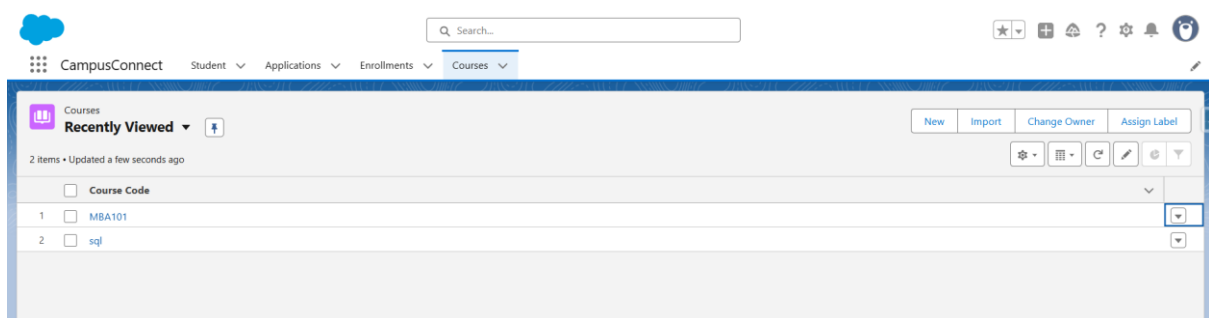
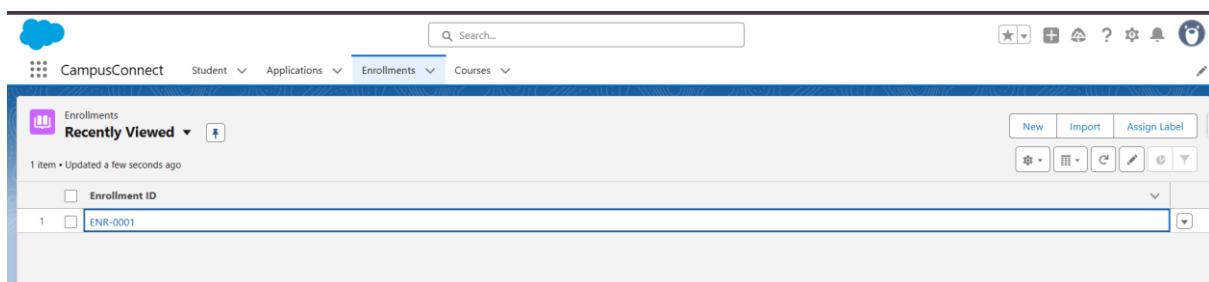
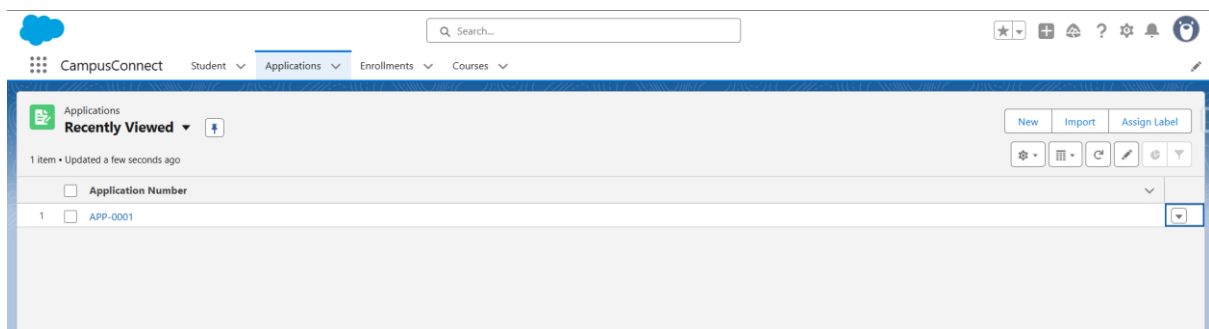
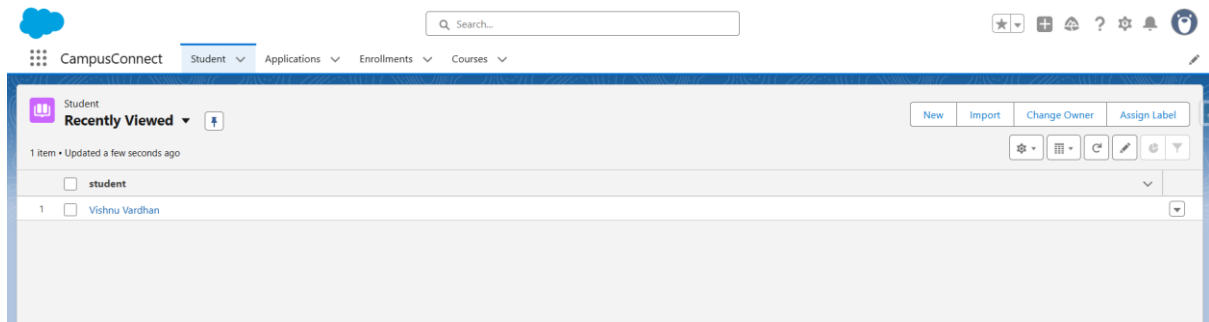


**Fig.JunctionObject**

## Step 9— Testing

- Created Student record (Vishnu Vardhan, UG).
- Created Application (MBA Program, Status = Submitted).
- Linked Application to Course (MBA).

- Application accepted → Enrollment created for Student ↔ Course.
- Verified compact layouts show key info.
- Verified Schema Builder displays all relationships correctly.



**Fig. Testing**