



CHC50113

Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care

COURSE OVERVIEW

- This qualification reflects the role of early childhood educators who are responsible for designing and implementing curriculum in early childhood education and care services. In doing so they work to implement an approved learning framework within the requirements of the Education and Care Services National Regulations and the National Quality Standard.

- At least 50 per cent of the educators who are required to meet the relevant educator to child ratios for the service must have, or be actively working towards, at least an approved diploma level education and care qualification. A family day care co-ordinator must have an approved diploma level education and care qualification.
- This course is fully accredited nationally recognised training.

COURSE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- There are no formal entry requirements for this course, however it is expected that you would be working in the industry and potentially have completed CHC30113 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care or equivalent. It would also be expected that you have a genuine interest in early childhood development and working with children and that you can study self paced and undertake research tasks and project work.
- Be aware that working in this industry and with children will require you to obtain a National Police Check and a NSW Working with Children check prior to commencing employment. Other States and Territories outside NSW have similar guidelines and if you move around Australia it is advisable to check with local licensing authorities.
- Be aware also that most care facilities and education centres will require that workers and educators are physically fit and emotionally capable of working in the environment. This also means that workers do not have a pre-existing medical condition or a communicable disease that may put the health and safety of the children and other staff at risk.

DURATION & STRUCTURE

- The course combines face to face classroom based learning with workplace based practical placement and assessment. You will have over 18 months to complete the program. Depending on your commitment to study and industry experience, the program may be completed earlier. You will be required to complete work away from class in your own time and you must complete 240 hours of mandatory work placement with children of different ages. We encourage you to find your own placement in a location that is convenient and we will assist with the process. Prior to enrolment students will complete a Language, Literacy and Numeracy test and be offered the opportunity to apply for Recognition of Prior Learning.
- You will be given all course materials and detailed information about assessment requirements and assessment submission. Students will attend two face to face sessions each week with their trainer.

TRAINING IS CONDUCTED AT

- Face to Face Training
Online Support also Provided by Trainer
- The Hub, Above Mount Druitt Library, Ayres Grove, Mt Druitt 2770

POTENTIAL CAREERS

Potential job roles on completion of this program include:

- Early Childhood Educator
- Early Childhood Service Director
- In-home Care Educator
- Family Day Care Educator
- Supervisor
- Coordinator



COURSE UNITS

- CHCDIV002 Promote Aboriginal and /or Torres strait islander cultural safety
- CHCECE001 Develop cultural competence
- CHCECE002 Ensure the health and safety of children
- CHCECE003 Provide care for children
- CHCECE004 Promote and provide healthy food and drinks
- CHCECE005 Provide care for babies and toddlers
- CHCECE007 Develop positive and respectful relationships with children
- CHCECE009 Use an approved learning framework to guide practice
- CHCECE016 Establish and maintain a safe and healthy environment for children
- CHCECE017 Foster the holistic development and well-being of the child in early childhood
- CHCECE018 Nurture creativity in children
- CHCECE019 Facilitate compliance in an education and care service
- CHCECE020 Establish and implement plans for developing cooperative behaviour
- CHCECE021 Implement strategies for the inclusion of all children
- CHCECE022 Promote children's agency
- CHCECE023 Analyse information to inform learning
- CHCECE024 Design and implement the curriculum to foster children's learning and development
- CHCECE025 Embed sustainable practices in service operations
- CHCECE026 Work in partnership with families to provide appropriate education and care for children
- CHCLEG001 Work legally and ethically
- CHCPRT001 Identify and respond to children and young people at risk
- HLTAID004 Provide an emergency first aid response in an education and care setting
- HLTWHS003 Maintain work health and safety
- BSBLED401 Develop teams and individuals
- BSBINN502 Build and sustain an innovative work environment
- CHCDIV001 Work with diverse people
- CHCPOL002 Develop and implement policy
- CHCMGT003 Lead the work team

COURSE FEES

- Enrolment Fee \$200 (Non Refundable)
- \$1500 up front payment to secure course place.
- All learning materials included, no additional costs.
- Payment plan and installment options are available. Enquire
- Total Cost: \$3500

CONTACT US

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**You can enrol online or by contacting the head office. Please ensure you receive and read a copy of the Student Handbook and Fee Schedule prior to enrolling.

