



CH50125

## Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care

Early childhood educators are in demand. Jobs are expected to continue growing in this sector. This diploma course will set you up for a rewarding career with leadership opportunities. You will gain advanced skills in childhood education, wellbeing and development. You will learn to design and teach curriculum within an approved learning framework. You will also be qualified to supervise other staff or volunteers.

### Course Overview

This qualification reflects the role of educators in early childhood education and care who work in regulated children's education and care services in Australia. Educators at this level are responsible for designing and implementing curriculum that meets the requirements of an approved learning framework and for maintaining compliance in other areas of service operations. They use specialised knowledge and analyse and apply theoretical concepts to diverse work situations. They may have responsibility for supervision of volunteers or other educators.

### Delivery Options

- On-the-job training under supervision of employer (Apprenticeship/Traineeship)
- Regular engagement with the trainer
- Online learning materials
- Coaching and support available
- 12 month duration delivered over 15 workshops

### Accreditation

This course is nationally accredited as CHC50125 Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care.

To achieve this qualification, the individual must have completed a total of least 280 hours of work in a regulated children's education and care service in Australia as detailed in the Assessment Requirements of units of competency. The total number of hours may be applied collectively across all units of competency that include the requirement for workplace hours. Units indicated\*

## Course Outline

The CHC50125 Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care includes training and assessment in the following units of competence:

Code	Title	Unit Type
BSBTWK502	Manage team effectiveness	Core
CHCECE041	Maintain a safe and healthy environment for children	Core
CHCECE042*	Foster holistic early childhood learning, development and wellbeing	Core
CHCECE043	Nurture creativity in children	Core
CHCECE044	Facilitate compliance in a children's education and care service	Core
CHCECE045	Foster positive and respectful interactions and behaviour in children	Core
CHCECE046	Implement strategies for the inclusion of all children	Core
CHCECE047	Analyse information to inform children's learning	Core
CHCECE048*	Plan and implement children's education and care curriculum	Core
CHCECE049	Embed environmental responsibility in service operations	Core
CHCECE050	Work in partnership with children's families	Core
CHCPRP003	Reflect on and improve own professional practice	Core
BSBOPS502	Manage business operational plans	Elective
BSBHRM413	Support the learning and development of teams and individuals	Elective
BSBPEF502	Develop and use emotional intelligence	Elective

## Entry Requirements

### Options 1

CHC30121 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care OR CHC30113 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care. If you hold the C3 ECEC we need evidence: either USI transcript or Certificate to allow us to verify the issuance. No need for the 5 years experience.

### Option 2

Alternatively, individuals may hold: An Australian diploma in Early Childhood Education and Care OR An Australian diploma or certificate III in Children's Services and demonstrate at least 12 months of cumulative employment (full-time equivalent) within the last 5 years in a regulated education and care service in Australia, supported by verifiable evidence.

### Option 3

Hold the CHCSS00147 Entry into Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care. Support by variable evidence



## Assessment

Assessments consist of a combination:

- Short Answer Questions
- Case Studies
- Project
- Skills Observation/Demonstration

iTFE encourages First Nation Peoples and persons with a disability to apply.

Fees: please refer to [itfe.edu.au](http://itfe.edu.au)

If not currently employed in a job role aligned to this qualification please discuss the requirements of the mandatory hours with an Enrolment Officer prior to enrolment. Please note: A clear National Police Check and Working With Children Check (WWCC) will be required prior to placement hours commencing.

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