



Course Outline

CHC50113 Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care

Develop your career in Childcare

Do you want to be a:

- Early childhood educator
- Family day care educator
- Family day care coordinator
- Outside school hours coordinator
- Lead educator
- Nominated supervisor?

This qualification is for anyone wishing to develop their career in the early childhood sector or have their knowledge and skills recognized.



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

They may have responsibility for supervision of volunteers or other staff.

What will I learn?

Topics covered in this course include:

- Provide care for babies, toddlers and children
- Nurture creativity of children
- Analyse information to design and implement of curriculum for learning and development
- Develop positive and respectful relationships with children
- Work in partnership with families to provide appropriate education and care

How is it delivered?

This course is available through the following options:

- **Face-to-face training** is offered through workshops, self-paced study, vocational placement and tutorial support.
- **Distance training** is delivered through blended learning including self-paced study using workbooks and supported with phone and email tutorial support. A range of options are available to best suit your learning style.

Units of Competency

How many units are needed for the qualification?

Core You must be assessed as competent in a total of 28 units of competency 23 core and 5 electives—to be awarded the CHC50113 Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care.

- CHCDIV0002 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 toddlers and babies
- 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 wellbeing 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
- CHCPR001 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

Electives (other units may be chosen dependent on delivery stream)

- CHCINM002 Meet community information needs
- CHCPR003 Reflect on and improve own professional practice
- BSBMGT605 Provide leadership across the organisation
- BSBSUS501 Develop workplace policy and procedures for sustainability
- PSPMNGT605B Manage Diversity

Course information

Course Requirements

As part of the course, you are required to complete a minimum of 240 hours of work placement in an Education and Care setting.

Please note that certain units have practical work placement hours that are required to be completed before the unit is deemed competent. These hours can be completed within your placement however additional hours may be required to ensure units based on specific age groups are covered.

Recognition of Prior Learning

Any participants who have completed the CHC30113 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care will receive credit transfer for all units completed.

Alternatively, your history of life and work experiences as well as formal and informal training may be applied using the Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) process. All students are offered RPL upon enrolment or commencement of training. Documentary evidence will be required.

Resources

Students will be provided with:

- Workbooks and Assessment Guides for each unit
- Student Handbook and Course Guides
- Access to additional supports

Funding & Costs

This qualification is offered through:

- Higher Level Skills
- Fee Free Year 12
- Fee-for-Service

You can refer to the following documents for further information:

- Course Fee Guide
- Funding & Program Fact Sheet
- Policies & procedures
- Handbooks

How do I enrol?

You can download the enrolment form directly from our webpage, have it emailed to you or drop in and see us. If you are not ready to enrol but are interested, please contact us or visit our webpage.

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