

CHC50121 - Diploma of

# Early Childhood Education and Care





### **About the Course**

The CHC50121 – Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care qualification is suited to the role of childhood educators who are responsible for designing and implementing curriculum in early childhood education and care services. You will be required to implement an approved learning framework within the requirements of the Education and Care Services National Regulations and the National Quality Standards.

This course teaches you the skills and knowledge to provide appropriate education and care to children. You may choose to work under direct supervision or autonomously and may also be required to supervise others. Students who have successfully completed Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care will receive advanced standing for this course.

# **Course Details**



Duration: 52 Weeks



Training Hours: 1250 Hours



AQF Level:



Course Delivery: Blended



Campuses: Melbourne, Sydney, Perth, Brisbane

The course is provided through the blended mode of delivery. It will be delivered over 1250 hours including 738 hours of lectures & tutorials, 116 hours of simulation-based training, and 280 hours of Professional Experience Placement (PEP).

# **Job Outcomes**

- Support the learning and development of teams and individuals
- Children's Services Assistant Manager
- Early Childhood Educator
- · Family Day Care Educator
- Nanny

- Playgroup Supervisor
- · Preschool Educator
- · Educational Leader
- Outside School Hours Care Co-ordinator/ supervisor

This course follows Competency-based training which is the concept that individuals learn at different rates as well as through different modes and different environments and that the skills and knowledge that a student has acquired previously are able to be formally recognised.

# **Mode of Delivery**

### **Blended Delivery**

(Blended: Online real-time theory tutorials with on-campus skills training in a simulation environment)

Students must attend 20 hours of classes per week. This includes simulation-based assessments and professional experience placements.

20 contact hours per week will be delivered through synchronised online learning, which includes on-campus simulation-based training and professional experience placements.

In addition to structured learning, students should plan for approximately 10 hours per week of unstructured learning.

Students must meet additional requirements for professional experience placements (PEP), such as obtaining a clear police check, working with children check, and necessary immunisations.

Simulation-based assessment (1 to 2 weeks on campus) and Professional Placement (280 hours, approximately 3 to 4 weeks) are mandatory.

# **Entry Requirements**

Entry to this qualification is open to Early education and care:

- hold a CHC30121 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care or CHC30113 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care.
- successful completion of an Australian Year 12 qualification or equivalent.

- successful completion of an ACSF test with demonstrated competence as per IHNA LLN requirements (issued within the last 12 months from the time of admission), which is Successful completion of the language, literacy, and numeracy (LLN) test the competence level as exit level 3 in the Australian Core Skills Framework (ACSF) in both reading and numeracy.
- · possess basic computer skills.

# Additional Requirement for Professional Experience Placement.

- A satisfactory National Police Clearance
  / Australian Federal Police Clearance
  Certificate (AFP) / NCC will be required for all practical placements.
- · Working with children check.

IHNA highly recommends students to complete the immunisation process before the Professional Experience Placement start date as some facilities will not provide placement to student without Immunisation. Applicable immunisation certification such as COVID-19 Certificate.

Where a student breaches the above requirements, they could be excluded from their practical placements which may result in unsuccessful completion of the course.

### **Fees & Funding**

Full Fee: \$5,990 **State Funding** 

### **Victoria**

If the student is eligible for Government funding, student pays: \$0

This training is delivered with Victorian and Commonwealth Government Funding

### **Western Australia**

Currently no funding available, please contact us for current fee options.

### **New South Wales**

Currently no funding available, please contact us for current fee options.

## **How to Enrol**

### **Online**

Submit your application through our website www.ihna.edu.au

### **Email**

Send an email to enquiry@ihna.edu.au

### Face to face

Appointments are available by contacting us through our Toll-Free number.

You can speak to our admissions consultant if you are unsure about the process.

Toll free: 1800 22 52 83

Accreditation





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