

# CHC30121 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care

### **Course Overview**

Embark on a path as an early childhood educator with our CHC30121 - Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care! Unlock the doors to a fulfilling career in center-based services or family day care, where you'll play a vital role in shaping young minds.

# **Course Delivery**

The CHC30121 - Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care is delivered over 32 weeks inclusive of practicum hours.

Students can choose one of the following delivery options:

- **Classroom environment:** Face-to-face classroom sessions at our delivery locations (conditional on minimum numbers); or
- **Flexible delivery:** Self-paced learning with one-on-one contact with a trainer.

Please note: Prior to placement you will need to obtain a Blue Card for Working with Children.

### **Eligibility Criteria**

The Certificate 3 Guarantee program has the following eligibility requirements:

- No longer be at school (with the exception of VET in school students); and
- Not have completed or be enrolled in a Certificate III (or higher qualification), this does not include qualifications completed at school; and
- © Be an Australian or New Zealand citizen or Australian permanent resident (including humanitarian entrants), or a temporary resident with the necessary visa and work permits on the pathway to permanent residency.

# Not eligible? Contact us to discuss other options.



Classroom or Flexible Delivery



\$34 <sup>^</sup>

# **CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Childcare Centre Assistant
- Early Childhood Educator
- After School Hours Care Assistant
- Family Day Care Provider
- Child Care Worker
- Early Childhood Education and Care Assistant



subsidised training provider





# **Course Requirements**

To achieve a CHC30121 - Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care, 17 units must be completed including 15 core units, 2 elective units, and 160 hours of practicum as part of vocational placement.

# **Core Units**

CHCECE030	Support inclusion and diversity
CHCECE031	Support children's health, safety and wellbeing *
CHCECE032	Nurture babies and toddlers *
CHCECE033	Develop positive and respectful relationships with children *
CHCECE034	Use an approved learning framework to guide practice
CHCECE035	Support the holistic learning and development of children *
CHCECE036	Provide experiences to support children's play and learning *
CHCECE037	Support children to connect with the natural environment
CHCECE038	Observe children to inform practice
CHCECE054	Encourage understanding of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander peoples' cultures
CHCECE055	Meet legal and ethical obligations in children's education and care
CHCECE056	Work effectively in children's education and care
CHCPRT001	Identify and respond to children and young people at risk
HLTAID012	Provide First Aid in an education and care setting
HLTWHS001	Participate in workplace health and safety

### **Elective Units**

BSBSUS411	Implement and monitor environmentally sustainable work practices
HLTFSE001	Follow basic food safety practices

<sup>\*</sup> To achieve this qualification, the individual must have completed a total of least 160 hours of work in a regulated children's education and care service in Australia. The total number of hours may be applied collectively across the units indicated with an asterisk (\*) that include the requirement for workplace hours.

# **Certificate 3 Guarantee Program**

The Certificate 3 Guarantee program is funded by the Queensland Government and supports eligible individuals to complete their first post-school Certificate III level qualification and increase their skills to move into employment, re-enter the workforce or advance their career.

Aurora Training Institute is a Skills Assure supplier for the delivery of this Certificate III qualification. As you can only access the Certificate 3 Guarantee program funding once, it is important that you consider your training options carefully and ensure they align with your chosen career pathway.

As a condition of your enrolment, you will be required to complete a student training and employment survey within three months of finishing or discontinuing your training.

For more information on the Certificate 3 Guarantee program, including eligibility requirements, subsidy information, concessional student status and program related documents, visit <a href="https://desbt.qld.gov.au/training/training-careers/incentives/certificate3">https://desbt.qld.gov.au/training/training-careers/incentives/certificate3</a>.

# Student Contribution Fee ^

The Student Contribution Fee under the Certificate 3 Guarantee program is \$2 per unit and a **total cost of \$34** (**concessional and non-concessional**). This fee represents the total cost to the student to enrol, undertake training and be awarded the qualification and will be required to be paid before training commences.