# BACHELOR OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (BIRTH TO FIVE)

(Domestic students)

Turn your passion into a career with UC, the home of hands-on teacher education.

# Embrace the power of learning through play to make a lasting impact on a child's development.

Whether you're starting your journey in early childhood education or are already employed in the sector, UC's Bachelor of Early Childhood Education (Birth to Five) offers a unique teaching qualification to empower you with the skills and knowledge to progress your career in a variety of settings.

Focus on the power of learning through play and discovery and specialise in making a lasting difference during the pivotal years of a child's development. You'll also gain a solid understanding of advocating for individuals and the early childhood sector, learning to lead with diversity and inclusion in mind.

With more real-world practice than any other course of its type, you'll graduate industry-ready with the transferable skills to adapt to new situations and settings, increasing your confidence and employability.

# **COURSE HIGHLIGHTS**

# Real-World experience

One of the most hands-on course of its type in Australia: opportunity for real-world learning and placements in a variety of settings, guaranteeing you're prepared with the skills to succeed in a career in early childhood education.

## Interactive learning

Learn to create engaging and interactive learning experiences, incorporating play and exploration into the curriculum.

# Confidence building

Grow your confidence and advocate for young people, fostering a sense of trust to build a supportive network.

### Educational foundations for lifelong learning

Learn to provide an enriching, solid educational base to set the stage for lifelong learning and academic achievement.

## Future-focused study

Experience future-focused study, created in connection with the education industry to ensure its relevancy and longevity.

# Professional accreditation

Approved by the Australian Children's Education and Care Authority (ACECQA).



# **CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Director in an early childhood setting
- Educational leader in Early childhood settings
- Early childhood teacher
- Pre-school teacher
- Policy advisor
- Curriculum development.

The University of Canberra is ranked 5th in Australia in the worldwide Times Higher Education Young Universities Rankings 2023.

\*The fees shown are the annual fee rates for the course. The annual rate is the fee that applies to standard full-time enrolment, which is 24 credit points. The final fee charged is based on the proportion of 24 credit points in which a student enrols.

# **COURSE DETAILS**

## **Faculty**

Faculty of Education

## Discipline(s)

Academic Program Area – Education

#### Duration

3 years

#### Course Code

EDB001

## **UAC** Code

363204

#### Location

UC - Sydney Hills

# Available teaching periods

2024 – Semester 1 – 05 February 2024 – Semester 2 – 29 July

#### Fees 2024

Commonwealth Supported Place\*

# **Entry requirements**

For entry into the Bachelor of Early Childhood Education (Birth to Five) you will need one of the following:

- Year 12 ATAR selection rank 60 or above.
- Other Australian Qualification (e.g. Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care and above).
- Overseas qualification (e.g. NCEA Level 3, the International Baccalaureate (IB) and GCE A Levels, plus other country-specific qualifications).

# Additional admission requirements:

Bachelor of Early Childhood Education students will also need to undertake additional admission requirements, including obtaining a Working with Vulnerable People Card.

# **English language requirements**

There are non-standard English language requirements for this course. To be eligible you must have an overall IELTS Academic score (or equivalent) of 6.5, with no band score below 6.0. For alternate/equivalent ways of meeting the English requirements for this course please view the English Proficiency Requirements document on the university website.

View IELTS equivalences at canberra.edu.au/futurestudents/get-into-uc/entry-requirements/english-language-requirements

# **CURIOUS?**

Search for **Bachelor of Early Childhood** at **canberra.edu.au/ucsh** or scan the QR code to find out more about course details and study options.





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