

NATIONAL COURSE ID: CHC50113

# DIPLOMA OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CARE

[meerilinga.org.au/training](http://meerilinga.org.au/training)



## GAIN THESE SKILLS:

- Ethical work practices and legal requirements of the industry
- Care routines
- Working with families
- Observing and recording children's behaviour
- Working with culturally diverse clients
- Managing safety in the workplace



## Do what you love. Inspire the next generation of young learners.

Early Childhood Education and Care is an expanding industry for those with a genuine interest and passion in the care and education of young children up to the age of 5 years. A Diploma in Early Childhood Education and Care can progress your career as a qualified educator towards a leadership or managerial role in early education and care or university entry. You would be responsible for planning, implementing, and managing curriculum in early childhood services (0-5 years), in accordance with licensing, the National Quality Standards, duty of care requirements, and the management staff and volunteers.

### Meerilinga Training College offers:

- Blended delivery model of training. This includes a combination of face-to-face learning, virtual classroom, and skills instructional class
- Supervised work placement at one of seven Meerilinga Children and Community Services integrated with local community
- Small size classroom and school-friendly training hours
- Access to online resources

### Job Opportunities:

- Early Childhood Educator
- Family Day Care Worker
- Centre Based Director
- Lead Educator
- Educational Leader
- Centre Manager
- Family Day Care Coordinator
- Other Industry leadership roles



## Course Schedule

**Duration:** 60 Weeks (39 Weeks if Certificate III has been obtained)

**When:** 15 February 2022 (Tue, Wed and Thu) 9:30AM - 2:30PM

\*Due to a delayed start date, additional sessions will be scheduled accordingly to ensure completion date remains unchanged.

**Where:** Cockburn and Beechboro

**How:** In class and virtual delivery.

**Course fee:** Course/Tuition Fee capped at \$1200 payable per year if all units commenced within a calendar year) Concession Rate Course/Tuition If you're eligible for a concession, course fee capped at \$400 per calendar year for students aged 15-24.



This course includes work placement in a Group 1 or Group 2 industry as outlined in the COVID-19 mandatory vaccination policy. For the latest information on vaccine requirements for students visit [meerilinga.org.au/covid-19](https://meerilinga.org.au/covid-19)

## Important Information

Before course commencement, you will be required to obtain:

- Working with Children Check
- Certificate of Health
- COVID-19 Certificate (fully vaccinated by 31 January 2022)

During this course, you are required to complete a minimum of 240 hours work placement within a Meerilinga service or other approved regulated education and care service.

## Further Study

- Students with a completed CHC50113 Diploma qualification may be able to use this as admission to various university undergraduate degree programs.

## IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR ME?

I will enjoy a career in Early Childhood Education and Care if I have the following qualities:

- Enjoy working with children.
- Enjoy building relationships with families and communities.
- Have a passion for teaching and life-long learning.
- Have excellent communication and problem-solving skills.
- Enjoy being creative, enthusiastic and active.



## Contact Us

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## COURSE SCHEDULE: FEBRUARY 2022

Course Dates		
Tuesday 15 February 2022	Wednesday 16 February 2022	Thursday 17 February 2022
Tuesday 22 February 2022	Wednesday 23 February 2022	Thursday 24 February 2022
Tuesday 1 March 2022	Wednesday 2 March 2022	Thursday 3 March 2022
Tuesday 8 March 2022	Wednesday 9 March 2022	Thursday 10 March 2022
Tuesday 15 March 2022	Wednesday 16 March 2022	Thursday 17 March 2022
Tuesday 22 March 2022	Wednesday 23 March 2022	Thursday 24 March 2022
Tuesday 29 March 2022	Wednesday 30 March 2022	Thursday 31 March 2022
Tuesday 5 April 2022	Wednesday 6 April 2022	Thursday 7 April 2022
Term Break		
Tuesday 26 April 2022	Wednesday 27 April 2022	Thursday 28 April 2022
Tuesday 3 May 2022	Wednesday 4 May 2022	Thursday 5 May 2022
Tuesday 10 May 2022	Wednesday 11 May 2022	Thursday 12 May 2022
Tuesday 17 May 2022	Wednesday 18 May 2022	Thursday 19 May 2022
Tuesday 24 May 2022	Wednesday 25 May 2022	Thursday 26 May 2022
Tuesday 31 May 2022	Wednesday 1 June 2022	Thursday 2 June 2022
Tuesday 7 June 2022	Wednesday 8 June 2022	Thursday 9 June 2022
Tuesday 14 June 2022	Wednesday 15 June 2022	Thursday 16 June 2022
Tuesday 21 June 2022	Wednesday 22 June 2022	Thursday 23 June 2022
Tuesday 28 June 2022	Wednesday 29 June 2022	Thursday 30 June 2022
Term Break		
Tuesday 19 July 2022	Wednesday 20 July 2022	Thursday 21 July 2022
Tuesday 26 July 2022	Wednesday 27 July 2022	Thursday 28 July 2022
Tuesday 2 August 2022	Wednesday 3 August 2022	Thursday 4 August 2022
Tuesday 9 August 2022	Wednesday 10 August 2022	Thursday 11 August 2022
Tuesday 16 August 2022	Wednesday 17 August 2022	Thursday 18 August 2022
Tuesday 23 August 2022	Wednesday 24 August 2022	Thursday 25 August 2022
Tuesday 30 August 2022	Wednesday 31 August 2022	Thursday 1 September 2022
Tuesday 6 September 2022	Wednesday 7 September 2022	Thursday 8 September 2022
Tuesday 13 September 2022	Wednesday 14 September 2022	Thursday 15 September 2022
Tuesday 20 September 2022	Wednesday 21 September 2022	Thursday 22 September 2022
Term Break		
Tuesday 11 October 2022	Wednesday 12 October 2022	Thursday 13 October 2022
Tuesday 18 October 2022	Wednesday 19 October 2022	Thursday 20 October 2022
Tuesday 25 October 2022	Wednesday 26 October 2022	Thursday 27 October 2022
Tuesday 1 November 2022	Wednesday 2 November 2022	Thursday 3 November 2022
Tuesday 8 November 2022	Wednesday 9 November 2022	Thursday 10 November 2022
Tuesday 15 November 2022	Wednesday 16 November 2022	Thursday 17 November 2022
Tuesday 22 November 2022	Wednesday 23 November 2022	Thursday 24 November 2022
Tuesday 29 November 2022	Wednesday 30 November 2022	Thursday 1 December 2022
Tuesday 6 December 2022	Wednesday 7 December 2022	Thursday 8 December 2022

Note: Course schedules and venues may be subject to change. Due to delayed start date, additional sessions will be scheduled to ensure completion date remains unchanged.

This qualification has been superseded and may be subject to transition and teach out arrangements and additional cost in 2022. Students commencing in 2022 will be notified and supported through any change or course options as applicable.