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**Your career.**  
**Your choice.**

**Early  
Childhood  
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# Early Childhood and Education

Year 10

Year 11

Year 12

Study VET while you complete SACE

## Traineeship / Apprenticeship (Contract of Training):

- CHC30121 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care
- CHC30221 Certificate III in School Based Education Support

OR

## Qualifications for Institutional Delivery (off-the-job):

- CHC22015 Certificate II in Community Services (for preparation for Certificate III level)
- CHC30121 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care

### Skills Clusters:

- Introduction to Australian First Nation's Languages (Karna)
- Advanced Australian First Nation's Languages (Karna)
- Advanced Education (School Based Support)
- Advanced Early Childhood Education and Care

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### PLUS

#### Industry specific requirements, including:

- Department of Human Services Working With Children Check
- National Police Clearance

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#### Customised SACE subjects

- Pastoral care – mentoring and monitoring

#### Department specific requirement:

- Responding to Risks of Harm, Abuse and Neglect – Education and Care



Work in your career.

### Use your VET qualification to work as:

- Early Childhood Educator
- Outside School Hours Care Educator
- School Services Officer
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Worker
- Indigenous Language and Culture Teaching Assistant

Further your career with VET.

### Study:

- CHC40221 Certificate IV in School Based Education Support
- CHC50121 Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care
- TAE40122 Certificate IV in Training and Assessment
- TAE50122 Diploma of Vocational Education and Training
- TAE80113 Graduate Diploma of Adult Language, Literacy and Numeracy Practice
- TAE80213 Graduate Diploma of Adult Language, Literacy and Numeracy Leadership

### To work as:

- Early Childhood Team Leader
- Early Childhood Assistant Director
- Early Childhood Director
- Outside School Hours Director
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Officer
- Education Officer Vocational Education Teacher/Trainer
- Enterprise Trainer and Assessor Workplace Trainer and Assessor
- Trainer and Assessor Senior Trainer and Assessor

Further your careers with university.

### Study at university to work in:

- Early Childhood (Pre-primary School) Teacher
- Education Leader
- Assistant Director
- Director
- Primary School Teacher
- Middle School Teacher
- Secondary School Teacher
- Special Education Teacher
- Principal
- Social Worker
- Speech Pathologist
- Occupational Therapist