

Diploma of Children's Services (Early childhood education and care) (CHC50908)

Course Outline

To successfully gain the Diploma of Children's Services (Early childhood education and care) participants will need to complete 18 units consisting of 13 core units and 5 elective units as outlined in this brochure.

Code	Unit Title
CHCCN511A	Establish and maintain a safe and healthy environment for children
CHCFC502A	Foster physical development in early childhood
CHCFC503A	Foster social development in early childhood
CHCFC504A	Support emotional and psychological development in early childhood
CHCFC505A	Foster cognitive development in early childhood
CHCFC506A	Foster children's language and communication development
CHCIC501A	Manage children's services workplace practices to address regulations and quality assurance
CHCIC510A	Establish and implement plans for developing cooperative behaviour
CHCIC512A	Plan and implement inclusion of children with additional needs
CHCPR502E	Organise experiences to facilitate and enhance children's development
CHCPR509A	Gather, interpret and use information about children
CHCPR510B	Design, implement and evaluate programs and care routines for children
CHCRF511A	Work in partnership with families to provide appropriate care for children
CHCFC507A	Use music to enhance children's experience and development
CHCFC508A	Foster children's aesthetic and creative development
CHCIC511A	Implement and promote inclusive policies and practices in children's services
CHCORG506D	Coordinate the work environment
CHCORG428A	Reflect on an improve own professional practice

Customised Training actively encourages people of all abilities to enrol. Please contact our office to discuss your individual requirements.

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This course aims to provide participants with the skills and knowledge required to work with children in a childcare centre as a qualified childcare worker.

Participants will learn about the planning process including developing, implementing and evaluating plans (specialising in children aged 0-6 years), enhancing children's development, professional development, and will learn to work closely with parents in fostering children's development.

Workers at this level have responsibility for the supervision of other staff and volunteers and in most States it is the highest qualification required at Director or Service Manager level.

Prerequisite to this course is the Certificate III in Children's Services (subject to meeting the entry requirements of the training package). Participants must also possess patience, understanding, imagination and energy to work within the child care field.

Why choose Customised Training?

Customised Training Pty Ltd is a Registered Training Organisation offering training in the workplace, classes at our learning centre in Bacchus Marsh or at other locations by arrangement. Customised Training has a team of highly qualified, experienced industry trainers who are dedicated to meeting the training needs of both employers and students by customising training to flexibly enhance learning.

Our training delivery strategy includes regular contact from trainers, coaching, mentoring and support throughout the entire training program.



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Course Delivery

The program has been specifically designed to allow participants the flexibility to complete the course at their own pace within a 24 month period. Classroom participants will have a more structured schedule supported by workplace visits.

For workplace delivery visits will occur every 4-6 weeks at the student's workplace. During workplace visits trainers will also spend time observing the student on the elements and performance criteria of the current training package. An assessment is then made as to whether the student has competently performed a task or series of tasks.



Students are encouraged to hand in any completed assessments at each workplace visit with the trainer. Trainers are available via phone or email in between visits should students have any questions.

Vocational Outcomes and Pathways

Successful completion of the Diploma of Children's Services (Early childhood education and care) (CHC50908) provides participants with the option of further study as a pathway into the Advanced Diploma of Children's Services (CHC60208).

Vocational outcomes may include Children's Services Authorised Supervisor, Centre Manager, Centre Director, Centre Coordinator, Group Leader, Team Leader, Child Care Worker, Children's Advisor or a Child Development Worker.

RPL Process

Customised Training offers an RPL process to those who have five years or more experience within the Children's Services industry and hold a Certificate III Children's Services qualification.

Student Text Books

Two student text books are required by students for commencement of the qualification as assessment tasks are aligned with the learning material in these texts. Diploma in Children's Services students have the following options:

- Customised Training will provide you with these text books at a subsidised price for both text books.
- You *may* choose to purchase these books directly from the publisher or another provider.

Why choose a Diploma of Children's Services (Early childhood education and care)

The opportunity to gain formal qualifications has an enormous impact on staff providing both the employee and the organisation with fundamental rewards such as:

- Employees feel highly valued in a worthwhile career and position
- Improved skill and efficiency in employees
- Increased productivity
- Staff receive a nationally recognised qualification under the Australian Qualifications Framework
- Parents can rest assured their children are cared for by staff trained in the most up to date and effective child care practices.

Course Cost

A student fee of \$1,125 is applicable for participation in this course. Eligibility criteria applies. Fee concession may be available.

A very competitive self funded price of \$3,500 is applicable for those not eligible. *Fees correct as of May 2011*

Payment Plans

Customised Training offers students a payment plan option for eligible courses. Please call our Corporate Services team to discuss on 1300 275 282.

Funding Available



Customised Training Pty Ltd has been granted approval to provide training to individuals eligible for the Victorian Training Guarantee Funding. All training conducted through the Victorian Training Guarantee program is delivered with funding made available by the Victorian and Commonwealth Governments.

Ready to Enrol

Complete the enclosed enrolment form, pre training review and return with a copy of your Birth Certificate or Passport and Drivers License.



EFTPOS facilities available.