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JSW TRAINING & COMMUNITY SERVICES

CHC30121

Certificate III in Early Childhood Education & Care

(Traineeship pathway)

Do you want a make a difference?

Early childhood educators work in long day care centres, family day care, pre-schools or kindergartens; and facilitate education and care programs to young children.

With this qualification, you'll learn how to support children's wellbeing and development within an approved learning framework.

You'll learn about developmental needs for children of different ages, including babies and toddlers; inclusion and diversity; how to observe and manage the health, safety and wellbeing of children; developing and delivering experiences to support children's play and learning; and so much more!

Traineeships are an excellent way to combine training with work, enabling you to have a job while you complete training towards a nationally recognised qualification.

A training plan agreement is developed which outlines how the program is delivered to the trainee. A copy of the training plan is also provided to the trainee's employer.

The successful completion of this qualification is a pre-requisite for the Diploma of Early Childhood Education & Care.

Upon successful completion you will be able to:

- Support child interaction, behaviour and care
- Assist with child health and safety
- Nurture babies and toddlers
- Provide experiences to support children's play and learning
- Support the holistic learning and development of children
- Identify and respond to children and young people at risk
- Encourage understanding of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures
- Use an approved learning framework to guide practice
- Support inclusion and diversity
- Follow legal and ethical frameworks
- Be responsible for implementing policies and procedures of your employing organisation

***Note: CHC30121 in transition to new replacement: CHC30125*

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Training

Course Structure

17 Units comprising:

- ✓ 15 Core
- ✓ 2 Electives

Entry requirements:

Traineeships provide an opportunity to train and earn an income at the same time while working towards a nationally recognized qualification. Entry to this qualification is open to individuals who:

- have a reasonable level of English language proficiency, literacy and numeracy skills are needed to complete the course and the assessment activities. Students will need to complete a Language, Literacy and Numeracy quiz
- have competency in using a computer or tablet devices for research, assessments and completing online activities
- Students over 18 years, are eligible to apply and gain a *Working With Children* check; and Federal Police Clearance (if required by workplace centre)

JSW Training & Community Services, through consultation with industry representatives, has determined that the following list of units will provide candidates with the best opportunities for future employment.

Core Units

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

Elective Units

CHCDIV001	Work with diverse people
CHCPRP003	Reflect on and improve own professional practice

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COURSE

Information

Location

South West Region

Duration

2 to 3 years

Delivery schedule

Ongoing

Study Mode

Workplace based

Fees

2026

*Tuition Fee: Free (*Some eligibility conditions apply for the free training from 1 January 2023/4/5/6)

Resource text book (trainee to source own): approx $149.95 (Cengage – Karen Kearns: The Big Picture 5e; and Birth to Big School 5e).

The WA State Government, through Jobs and Skills WA, subsidises vocational education and training (VET) courses in priority areas, to reduce or remove the fees and make training more accessible to all Western Australians. Note: **Existing worker trainees are not eligible for fee free, but Lower fees, local skills capping – see below.

For more information re *eligibility visit the jobs and skills website https://www.https://www.jobsandskills.wa.gov.au/skillsready#i-frequently-asked-questions

***Third party arrangement – *HLTAID012 Provide first aid in an education and care setting* – training and assessment will be delivered by South Regional TAFE RTO 52790 on behalf of JSW

Fees and Payment Options

Student tuition fees in 2026 are free for eligible students (see *eligibility conditions). *The student tuition fees are indicative only and are subject to change given individual circumstances at enrolment. Additional fees may apply such as Student service and resource fees eg. text books.

For further information, please go to the VET Fees and Charges Policy on the WA Government website..

Additionally, students can arrange a payment plan with a maximum of 10 weeks on a direct deposit arrangement.

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Credit transfer

Should a student hold a qualification or Statement of Attainment or USI transcript showing any unit of competency within this course, they may apply for a credit transfer.

Recognition of Prior Learning

Recognition is available 'on application' to students with prior skills, experience, knowledge, or qualifications obtained from formal studies, or training, in a related area. Recognition may reduce the duration of your studies.

The charge is $190 per unit.

If you have any questions regarding fees and charges, please contact JSW on 9721 5033 (Select 2 Training) or email courseinfo@jsw.org.au

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STEPS TO START

Traineeship

When can you start?
Now! Enquire today

Call us for a friendly chat. T: 9721 5033 (Select 2)

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1

TALK

Discuss with your current long day care centre, family day care or potential employer about entering into a Traineeship with them.

2

Signup

You must be signed up into a formal training contract. This is a contract between yourself and your employer. Your employer will need to contact an Apprentice Connect Australia Provider. They will help with applications for incentives or allowances and is your first point of contact for any support needed. Where JSW Training & Community Services is selected as the RTO to deliver training, the trainer will contact your employer and yourself to agree on a Traineeship Training Plan and Agreement..

3

Enrol

Select and enrol with JSW Training and Community Services for your Certificate III in Early Childhood Education & Care. Once JSW receives your enrolment information we will begin the process of starting your traineeship.

JSW is a Nationally Accredited Registered Training Organisation (RTO) based in Bunbury. We have been delivering training and services in the South West for over 25 years

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