

# Working in early childhood education and care

## → Start your journey

### Qualifications

- Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care
- Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care
- Dual Qualification in Early Childhood Education and Care
- Bachelor of Early Childhood Education and Care
- Relevant post graduate qualifications



### Early Childhood Practicum Placement Grant

Financial support for students studying an early childhood undergraduate or postgraduate qualification who complete their final practicum in a service delivering an approved kindy program.



### Subsidised training

Including Fee-Free TAFE, which allows eligible Queenslanders to study priority skill sets and qualifications.



### Career Start

Support for job seekers to start their career or move into higher skilled roles or full-time employment through reduced-cost entry level training.



## ↗ Advance your journey

### Qualifications Pathways Program

Scholarships and wrap-around support for early childhood educators to undertake further studies to upgrade their qualifications.



### Career Boost

Support to upskill at work through access to a funded training place (in Certificate IV, Diploma or Advanced Diploma) or a higher-level apprenticeship or traineeship in Certificate IV or above. You may also access up to two funded skill sets in priority sectors.



### Leadership and Management Program

Professional development to strengthen leadership knowledge, skills and capabilities.



### Reforming Early Childhood Safety Program

Education and training program to support services to implement the national child safety reforms.



### Positive Behaviour Guidance Coaching Program

Funding to supported services to employ specialist positive behaviour guidance coaches.



### Paid Practicum Subsidy

A wage supplement paid by the Australian Government for educators undertaking their practicum (Diploma, Degree and Post-graduate qualifications).



### Professional Development Subsidy

Professional development training for qualified early childhood education and care staff delivered through approved providers (Australian Government).

