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YEAR 1				
SEM 1	EDFD167 ~~Contexts for Learning and Development (Online only) 10cp~~ **Replaced by EDES103** Understanding Learners and Their Contexts	EDST108 ~~Science Inquiry and Sustainability 10cp~~ **Replaced by EDSI168** Science Inquiry and Sustainability	EDLA168 ~~Children's Literature for Literacy 10cp~~ **Replaced by ENGL140** Children's Literature: Worlds of Fiction	**Elective** 10cp
SEM 2	EDAR104 ~~Creative Arts in the Early Years (B-5) 10cp~~ **Replaced by EDAR164** Nurturing Creativity in Young Children	EDMA163 ~~Exploring Mathematics 1 (B-12) 10cp~~ **Replaced by EDMA163** Exploring Mathematics and Numeracy	EDLA167 ~~Linguistics for Literacy (B-12) 10cp~~ **Replaced by EDEN100** Foundations of Literacy	**Core Curriculum Unit 1** 10cp
YEAR 2				
SEM 1	EDAB162 ~~Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Perspectives for Educators 10cp~~ **Replaced by EDES105** Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island Knowledges Histories and Cultures	EDMA262 ~~Mathematics Learning and Teaching 1 (B-12 with B-8 emphasis) 10cp (Pre: EDMA163)~~ **From 2023, replaced by EDMA290** Mathematics Curriculum Pedagogy and Assessment 1 (B-12)	EDLA264 ~~Literacy Education 1 (B-12 with B-8 emphasis) 10cp (Pre: EDLA167)~~ **Replaced by EDEN290** English Curriculum Pedagogy and Assessment 1 (B-8)	**Elective** 10cp
SEM 2	EDFD227 Partnerships: Inclusive and Diverse Learning (B- 8 10cp From 2024, replaced by EDSE427 Partnerships: Inclusive and Diverse Learning	EDFD229 ~~Professional Identity as Teacher in Early Learning Contexts 10cp~~ **From 2023, replaced by EDEC360** Professional Identities in Early Childhood	**Elective** 10cp	EDCX202 Curriculum Decision-Making in the Early Years: Connections and Continuities (B-8) 10cp *(PEP: up to 10 individual days plus one 15-day block 3-5 years)*

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SEM 1	~~EDAC316~~ ~~Positive Environments for Learning and Development~~ ~~(B-8)~~ ~~10cp~~ **From 2023, replaced by EDEC366** Positive Environments for Learning and Development. *EDEC366 is taught in semester 2.*	~~EDFD261~~ ~~Creating Inclusive, Safe and Supportive Learning Environments~~ ~~(B-12)~~ ~~10cp~~ **Replaced by EDET300** Effective Teaching 4: Diverse Learning and Inclusive Education	EDCU361 Early Childhood Curriculum and Pedagogy (B-5) 10cp	**Core Curriculum Unit 2** 10cp *(Pre: Core Curriculum Unit 1)*	EDFX267 Community Engagement *(Minimum of 70 hours)* 0cp
SEM 2	~~EDFD315~~ ~~Infant and Toddler Studies~~ ~~10cp~~ **Replaced by EDEC211** Infant and Toddler Studies	~~EDFD461~~ ~~The Pedagogy of Relationships 10cp~~ **Replaced by EDEC461** Pedagogy of Relationships in Early Childhood	EDAR460 Arts and Meaning Making in Early Childhood 10cp	EDMA369 Exploring Mathematics 2 (5-12) 10cp *(Pre: EDMA262)*	EDFX318 Professional Experience Birth to Two Years (B-2) *(PEP BLOCK 15 days)* 0cp *(Pre: EDCX202)*

YEAR 4

SEM 1	EDFD480 Professional Practice Induction 10cp	~~EDFD474~~ ~~Supporting Young Children's Social Competence~~ ~~10cp~~ **From 2023, Replaced by EDEC310** Young Children's Social and Emotional Competence in Early Childhood Contexts *(Prior to 2023, EDFD474 was available in semester 2)*	~~EDPH460~~ ~~Health, Wellbeing and Physical Education in the Early Years~~ ~~10cp~~ **From 2024, Replaced by EDEC100** Health, Family and Young Learner Wellbeing in the Early Years	EDFX420 Advanced Professional Practicum *(20 days)* 10cp	
SEM 2	EDFD451 Early Childhood Leadership, Management and Advocacy (B-5) 10cp **From 2024, Replaced by EDEC314** Leadership, Management, Administration and Advocacy *in summer*	~~EDFD474~~ ~~Supporting Young Children's Social Competence~~ ~~10cp~~ **From 2023, Replaced by EDFD436** The Ecology of Childhoods *(Prior to 2023, EDFD436 was available in semester 1)*		EDFX421 Extended Advanced Professional Practicum *(20 days)* 20cp *(Pre: EDFD480 and EDFX420)*	