

Bachelor of Early Childhood Education (Birth to Five Years) Course Map

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Students commencing 2015 – 2020, Semester 2 intake Course Map
Greyed and crossed units are no longer offered within this program.

If you require a unit that is no longer offered, please contact STUDENT SERVICES immediately.

YEAR 1				
SEM 2	EDAR104 Creative Arts in the Early Years (B-5) 10cp Replaced by EDAR164 Nurturing Creativity in Young Children 10cp Offered Online	EDMA163 Exploring Mathematics 1 (B-12) 10cp Replaced by EDMA163 Exploring Mathematics and Numeracy 10cp Offered Semester One	EDLA167 Linguistics for Literacy (B-12) 10cp Replaced by EDEN100 Foundations of Literacy 10cp Offered Semester One	Core Curriculum Unit 1 10cp
YEAR 2				
SEM 1	EDFD167 Contexts for Learning and Development (Online only) 10cp Replaced by EDES103 Understanding Learners and Their Contexts 10cp Offered Semester One and Two	EDST108 Science Inquiry and Sustainability 10cp Replaced by EDSI168 Science Inquiry and Sustainability 10cp	EDLA168 Children's Literature for Literacy 10cp Replaced by ENGL140 Children's Literature: Worlds of Fiction Replaced by EDEN102 Children's Literature for Early Reading 10cp Offered Semester Two	EDAB162 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Perspectives for Educators 10cp Replaced by EDES105 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island Knowledges Histories and Cultures 10cp Offered Semester One and Two
SEM 2	EDFD227 Partnerships: Inclusive and Diverse Learning (B-8) 10cp Replaced by EDSE427 Partnerships: Inclusive and Diverse Learning 10cp Offered Summer Term	EDFD229 Professional Identity as Teacher in Early Learning Contexts 10cp Replaced by EDEC360 Professional Identities in Early Childhood 10cp Offered Semester Two and Online	Elective 1 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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YEAR 3

SEM 1	EDMA262 Mathematics Learning and Teaching 1 (B-12 with B-8 emphasis) 10cp (Pre: EDMA163)	EDLA264 Literacy Education 1 (B-12 with B-8 emphasis) 10cp (Pre: EDLA167)	Elective 2 10cp	EDCU361 Early Childhood Curriculum and Pedagogy (B-5) 10cp
	Replaced by EDMA290 Mathematics Curriculum Pedagogy and Assessment 1 (B-12) 10cp Offered Semester Two	Replaced by EDEN290 English Curriculum Pedagogy and Assessment 1 (B-8) 10cp Offered Semester One		
SEM 2	EDAR460 Arts and Meaning Making in Early Childhood 10cp Offered Semester One	EDMA369 Exploring Mathematics 2 (5-12) 10cp (Pre: EDMA262)	EDFD315 Infant and Toddler Studies 10cp Replaced by EDEC211 Infant and Toddler Studies 10cp	EDFD461 The Pedagogy of Relationships 10cp Replaced by EDEC461 Pedagogy of Relationships in Early Childhood 10cp
				EDFX318 Professional Experience Birth to Two Years (B-2) (PEP BLOCK 15 days) 0cp (Pre: EDCX202)

YEAR 4

SEM 1	EDFD474 Supporting Young Children's Social Competence 10cp Replaced by EDEC310 Young Children's Social and Emotional Competence in Early Childhood Contexts 10cp Offered Semester One	EDFD480 Professional Practice Induction 10cp	EDPH460 Health, Wellbeing and Physical Education in the Early Years 10cp Replaced by EDEC313 Health and Wellbeing in the Early Years 10cp Replaced by EDEC100 Health, Family, and Young Learner Wellbeing in the Early Years 10cp Offered Semester One and Semester Two	EDFX420 Advanced Professional Practicum (20 days) 10cp
SEM 2	EDFD451 Early Childhood Leadership, Management and Advocacy (B-5) 10cp Replaced by EDEC314 Leadership, Management, Administration and Advocacy 10cp Offered Summer Term	EDAC316 Positive Environments for Learning and Development (B-8) 10cp Replaced by EDEC366 Positive Environments for Learning and Development 10cp Offered Semester Two	EDFD436 The Ecology of Childhoods 10cp	EDFX421 Extended Advanced Professional Practicum (20 days) 20cp (Pre: EDFD480 and EDFX420)

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YEAR 5			
SEM 1	Elective 10cp	EDFD264 Creating Inclusive, Safe and Supportive Learning Environments (B-12) 10cp	Core Curriculum Unit 2 10cp (Pre: Core Curriculum Unit 1)
		Replaced by EDET300 Effective Teaching 4: Diverse Learning and Inclusive Education 10cp Offered Semester One and Two	EDFX267 Community Engagement (Minimum of 70 hours) (Pre: EDFX318 or EDFX319) 0cp