



# FUNDED COURSES 2025

Skills Australia Institute is proud to offer 2 funded courses under the Jobs and Skills WA Program. Western Australia is actively encouraging a new workforce to gain the skills and knowledge required by today's industry and employers. Courses offered are in Early Childhood Education.

## EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

### CHC30121 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care

Funding Category:



Course Duration:

32 or 36 Weeks#>  
(Depending on WBT Intensity)

Course Fee:

\$0.00\*

Career Opportunities:

Family Day Care Educator,  
Kindergarten Assistant, Long Day  
Care Educator, OSHC Educator

### LEGEND: Funding Category

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Participation- Work-Readiness program ( Job Seeker )



Course Eligible for Fee Free

\*Students that enrol through the Free Program on or before 31 December 2025, are entitled to the fee-free arrangement each year over the entire duration of the course.

# This course includes mandatory Work Based Training.  
> Course Duration includes holidays.

### CHC50121 Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care

Funding Category:



Pre - requisite entry  
requirement:

Completion of CHC30121 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education  
and Care or CHC30113 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care

Course Duration:

35 or 41 Weeks#> (Depending on WBT Intensity)

Course Fee:

\$0.00\*

Career Opportunities:

Centre Manager, OSHC Coordinator

# OVERALL ELIGIBILITY AND CONCESSION CRITERIA

Students may be eligible for a funded course at Skills Australia Institute if they have left school, and their primary place of residence is in Western Australia and they are:

- an Australian citizen OR
- a permanent visa holder OR
- holders of a sub-class 300, 309, 444, 445, 461, 785, 790, or 820 visa;
- secondary holders of a temporary visa of sub-class 188, 457, 482, 489, 491 or 494 visa;
- holders of a Bridging Visa E (subclasses 050 and 051) where the visa holder has made a valid application for a visa of subclass 785 or 790;
- Ukraine citizens who are holders of a visa sub-class 449 or 786;
- Afghan citizens who are holders of a visa sub-class 449; and
- holders of a bridging visa who are eligible to work, and who have made a valid application for a subclass 866.

## Concession Eligibility Status<sup>^</sup>

The following students are eligible for a concession rate on fees (for training up to Certificate IV level).

- Persons and dependants of persons holding:
  - a Pensioner Concession Card; OR
  - a Repatriation Health Benefits Card issued by the Department of Veterans' Affairs; OR
  - a Health Care Card.
- Persons and dependants of persons in receipt of services from the following Commonwealth support or employment services programs:
  - Workforce Australia; OR
  - ParentsNext.
- Persons and dependants of persons in receipt of AUSTUDY or ABSTUDY.
- Persons and dependants of persons in receipt of the Youth Allowance.
- Persons and dependants of persons who are inmates of a custodial institution.
- Secondary school-aged persons, not enrolled at school.

## Notes:

- Concession rates do not apply to Diploma and Advanced Diploma courses (unless otherwise specified).

## Participation – Work Readiness Program (Job Seeker)

To be eligible for the program, students must be unemployed or under employed\* and able to access mainstream training. Students must:

- have a written referral from an Approved Participation Referral Agent for Job Seekers; OR
- be referred by themselves; another agency or recruited by the Service Provider

\*Under employed is an individual working less than 20 hours a week with one or across multiple employers.

## Priority Industry Training (Existing Worker)

To be eligible for the program, students must be employed in a Childcare Centre for at least 20hrs per week

## Course Entry Requirements

PLEASE NOTE: For further information concerning funded course entry requirements, refer to [www.skillsaustralia.edu.au](http://www.skillsaustralia.edu.au)







## TO ENROL

Call Skills Australia Institute at +61 8 6148 1300 .  
OR email [enrolments.perth@skillsaustralia.edu.au](mailto:enrolments.perth@skillsaustralia.edu.au)  
OR contact your Case Manager at your Jobactive provider or approved broker.

Please note that completion of the Skills Australia Institute application form does not guarantee enrolment or funding. Enrolment is dependent on funding being confirmed and the student's ability to meet the eligibility criteria.

Vocational courses starting from \$0.00 per hour  
\*Eligibility criteria apply

Skills Australia Institute also offers full-fee courses. Please visit our website [www.skillsaustralia.edu.au](http://www.skillsaustralia.edu.au) OR contact us at +61 8 6148 1300 for information. Additional information on Jobs and Skills WA is available from <http://www.dtwd.wa.gov.au/jswa>

## Student Tuition Fees

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.

Prices quoted are calculated at the concession rate unless otherwise specified. Eligibility criteria apply. Prices as per the VET Fees and Charges Policy 2025.

## Fee Waiver

Student fees may be waived for applicants with severe financial hardship.

For more information, call Skills Australia Institute at +61 8 6148 1300 .

\*Note: All DIPLOMA level courses are NOT eligible for fee waiver

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