

Bachelor of Early Childhood (BECH) - BECh

QTAC code (Australian and New Zealand applicants): Toowoomba campus: 908151; Distance education: 908155; Fraser Coast campus: 918151; Springfield campus: 928151

CRICOS code (International applicants): 056707B

	On-campus	Online
Semester intake:	Semester 1 (March) Semester 2 (July)	Semester 1 (March) Semester 2 (July) Semester 3 (November)
Campus:	Fraser Coast, Springfield, Toowoomba	-
Fees:	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place
Standard duration:	3 years full-time, 7 years maximum	
Program articulation:	To: Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood)	

Notes:

Note: Semester 3 intake is only available in on-campus mode at Springfield campus.

Contact us

Future Australian and New Zealand students	Future International students	Current students
		Ask a question Freecall (within Australia): 1800 007 252 Phone (from outside Australia): +61 7 4631 2285 Email 531.087 395.268 1531.087 425.9 g1 0 0 1 3j

The professional experience components of the program are all tied to identified courses within the program, so that students undertake a professional experience placement in four of their six semesters of full-time enrolment. There are 55 days of professional experience required.

In order to undertake courses to which professional experience placements are attached at any stage in the program it is a requirement that students will have satisfactorily completed all professional experience courses in previous years in the program enrolment pattern.

A specific liaison staff member and host site is appointed for every student for every placement, with the critical role of being the key source of information, advice and support for all parties involved in the placement.

For further information, see <http://www.usq.edu.au/current-students/assessment/professional-experience/forms>.

IT requirements

Students must have reliable and ready access to email and the Internet. Broadband would be a significant advantage. See [minimum computing standards](#) for more information.

Other program requirements

There are no program requirements other than the satisfactory completion of 24 approved units and 55 days of approved professional experience. However, in order to undertake the professional experience, and certain other activities with young people identified in various course specifications, it is required that Queensland-based students hold a current positive notice indicating that they are deemed suitable for working with children and young people. Further information about the “Blue Card” suitability process is available from the [Commission for Children and Young People](#).

Articulation

Students who complete the Bachelor of Early Childhood may articulate to the [Bachelor of Education \(Early Childhood\)](#).

Exit points

The Bachelor of Early Childhood degree contains provision for two generic exit awards, as follows:

- Associate Degree in Education Studies (DAES) - available at the completion of 16 approved units
- Diploma of Education Studies (DPES) - available at the completion of 8 approved units.

Credit

Students may seek credit on the basis of documented prior study at University level or equivalent qualifications and o undertak 1 59.520 1 447.857 290.605r1g attachpr1/F0 12 Tf1 0 025e7Dt06.87nhe

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EDX2170 English Curriculum and Pedagogy	3	2			3	1,2		
EDE3009 Professional Practices in Early Childhood	3	2			3	2		
EDE4010 Leadership and Management in Early Childhood	3	2			3	2		