

## **I-sProgramme Overview:**

If you are inspired to teach young children, Our Diploma in Early Childhood Education provides you with the opportunity to explore early childhood education curriculum theories and pedagogies, child development, health and wellbeing, diversity and inclusion, professional studies as well as teaching and learning in discipline areas of literacy, mathematics, science and the arts.

You'll undertake professional placements through our diploma program gaining both practical knowledge and skills to teach children aged One (1) to Six (6) years. By experiencing learning across a range of early childhood settings, you will graduate equipped with the confidence and aptitude to meet the significant growth of the international early childhood education sector.

## **Career Opportunities:**

- ECE (Early Childhood Education)
- Curriculum Developer
- ECE Lecturer
- Educational Toy Consultant
- Kindergarten (Tadika) Teacher
- Pre-school (Taska) Teacher
- Pre-school / Kindergarten Owner
- Pre-school / Kindergarten Principal
- Private / International School Teacher (Pre-school Level)

**Intakes** : January, May and September

**Duration** : 2 Years (Full-Time), 4 Years (Part-Time)

## **Programme Structure:**

### **SEMESTER 1**

BASIC PHILOSOPHY OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION  
BASIC APPROACHES IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION  
PENGAJIAN MALAYSIA  
PENDIDIKAN MORAL / PENGAJIAN ISLAM  
ACADEMIC ENGLISH  
COMPUTER SKILLS

### **SEMESTER 2**

PLAY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION  
CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS  
COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION  
CHILDREN DEVELOPMENT  
HEALTH, SAFETY AND NUTRITION  
PROFESSIONALISM IN THE WORKPLACE / BAHASA KEBANGSAAN A

### **SEMESTER 3**

KETERLIBATAN KOMUNITI  
OBSERVATION AND ASSESSMENT IN YOUNG CHILDREN  
PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION  
VISUAL ARTS & CRAFTS IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

### **SEMESTER 4**

PROGRAMME PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT  
SPIRITUAL AND MORAL VALUES IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION  
MUSIC, MOVEMENT AND DRAMA IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION  
SCIENCE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION  
INFANT AND TODDLERS: NURTURING AND TEACHING THE YOUNG  
APPLICATION OF TECHNOLOGY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

### **SEMESTER 5**

CURRICULUM IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION  
MATHEMATICS IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION  
MANAGEMENT AND ORGANIZATION IN EARLY CHILDHOOD  
EDUCATION  
SOCIAL STUDIES FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD  
GUIDANCE OF YOUNG CHILDREN  
LANGUAGE LITERACY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

### **SEMESTER 6**

DIVERSITY AND YOUNG CHILDREN  
PROFESSIONAL SKILLS OF EARLY CHILDHOOD TEACHERS  
PARENT, FAMILY AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

### **SEMESTER 7**

PRACTICUM

### **Entry requirement:**

#### **DIRECT ENTRY**

- Pass SPM/SPMV/MCE or its equivalent, with minimum a credit in 3 subjects; **or**
- Pass SKM Level 3 in Early Childhood/ Preschool Care and pass SPM with minimum a credit in 1 subject; **or**
- Other qualifications recognized as equivalent by the Malaysian Government

### **FEES AND FUNDING**

For enquiries on our programme fees and funding, you may contact our Student Recruitment

Division representative. We offer many funding opportunities to support students. **DID YOU KNOW?**

**ALL TEACHERS WORKING IN CHILDCARE AND PRE-SCHOOL CENTRES WILL HAVE TO POSSESS AT LEAST A DIPLOMA**

**QUALIFICATION (DIPLOMA IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION) FROM 2020 AS REQUIRED BY THE EDUCATION**

#### **Minister: Nursery, preschool teachers must have diploma starting 2020 onwards**



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Teachers working in childcare and preschool centres will have to possess at least a diploma qualification from 2020, said Education Minister Mahdzir Khalid.

He said the regulations would involve all childcare and preschool centres under the government and private agencies.



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