

幼兒教育高級文憑課程

Full-time Mode Autumn 2021 Intake



# The Early Childhood and Elementary Education Division, School of Continuing Education

The School of Continuing Education (SCE) has a vision for the development of professional training courses for local practitioners in basic education. The Early Childhood and Elementary Education Division (ECEED) is the academic arm of the School to foster the continuing professional development of quality teacher education programmes. The School was the first higher education institute to offer early childhood education programme at the degree level and was commissioned by the government to offer the Bachelor of Education (Honours) Programme to practicing primary teachers in 1994. In view of the expanding need for quality training services in early childhood education, the ECEED made a firm commitment to promote the professionalism of early childhood educare practitioners.

The ECEED offers a range of academic programmes on a full-time or part-time basis to provide pre-service and in-service training in basic education studies with qualifications awarded from certificate to postgraduate levels. All programmes are offered with a core emphasis on the advancement of academic qualifications as well as teaching skills for local early childhood and elementary education practitioners. With the continuous development of basic education programmes and the increasing number of government-commissioned courses operated in recent years, the ECEED has further affirmed its leading role and expertise in the provision and enhancement of early childhood and elementary education training in the community.

# The Programme

This programme paves the way for secondary leavers to pursue a professional career in early childhood education. It aims to provide students with high-quality learning and teaching in professional knowledge, skills, strategies and ethics that enable them to excel in diverse early childhood education (ECE) settings in Hong Kong. Graduates of the programme will become reflective and committed early childhood professionals of high calibre.

# Award and Recognition

### **Academic Recognition**

Students who have successfully completed the two-year programme and fulfilled all graduation requirements will be awarded the Higher Diploma in Early Childhood Education by the Hong Kong Baptist University.



### **Professional Recognition**

Graduates of the Programme are recognised by the Education Bureau (EDB) as meeting the requirement for registration as Qualified Kindergarten Teachers (QKT). In addition, they are recognised by the Social Welfare Department (SWD) for registration as Child Care Workers (CCW) and Child Care Supervisors (CCS).

# **Articulation Pathways**

Apart from professional career paths, graduates may opt for furthering their studies in the Hong Kong Baptist University or other higher institutions. Graduates of the Higher Diploma in Early Childhood Education programme are eligible to apply for admission to Year 3 of the four-year full-time Bachelor of Education (Honours) in Early Childhood Education programme or the Bachelor of Education (Honours) in Early Childhood Education (Part-time mode) – Senior Year Admission programme offered by the SCE of the Hong Kong Baptist University.\*

# Programme Structure

The Programme consists of 72 units.

	Total: 72 units
Generic Skills Courses	12 units
Electives Courses	18 units
- Practicum	6 units
- Curriculum in Early Childhood Education	21 units
- Professional Studies	15 units
Major Required Courses	

<sup>\*</sup> Graduates should have attained a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.

# Mode of Study

Face-to-face mode will mainly be adopted to cater for the needs of the students and to encourage interaction between lecturers and students. The process of re-thinking teaching beliefs and behaviour will further be facilitated through peer interactions as well as stimuli afforded by the classroom environment, including pedagogical materials and teaching strategies such as scaffolding and guided questions that provoke critical thinking and intellectual discussions in various kindergarten classroom contexts.

In addition, practical sessions will be provided for students to apply the theoretical concepts acquired.

### Medium of Instruction

The medium of instruction for formal classroom teaching is English, except for those courses that are granted exemption.

All practicum courses will be conducted in Cantonese in order to prepare students for working in local early childhood education settings.

# Campus Facilities and Learning Support for Students

Libraries

· Medical and dental services

· Recreation facilities

- Counselling support
- · Web-based learning system (Moodle)

# Admission Requirements

- 1. Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE): Level 2 or above in five subjects\* (including Chinese Language# and English Language); or
- 2. Successful completion of the Diploma Yi Jin; or
- 3. Applicants aged 21 or above with acceptable qualifications to justify admission; or
- 4. Other equivalent qualifications to be assessed by the School

### **Tuition Fee**

The tuition fee of the two-year programme will be paid in 4 instalments with HK\$33,030 each\*.

### **Financial Assistance**

Students can apply for Financial Assistance Scheme for Post-secondary Students (FASP) and Non-means-tested Loan Scheme for Post-secondary Students (NLSPS) from the Student Finance Office of the Working Family and Student Financial Assistance Agency.



<sup>\*</sup> An HKDSE applicant is allowed to use not more than two Applied Learning subjects in the application.

<sup># &</sup>quot;Attained" or above in Applied Learning Chinese (for non-Chinese speaking students) would be accepted as an alternative Chinese Language qualification.

<sup>\*</sup> The tuition fee is subject to revision.

# **Application Procedures**

### Method 1:

The completed application form together with the following supporting documents should be put in an envelope marked "Application for Higher Diploma in Early Childhood Education" and submitted to the School:

- A set of photocopies of credentials including results notice/certificate of the HKDSE, Senior Secondary 1 to 3 school reports, other academic certificates, if any, as well as evidence of work experience where applicable;
- A photocopy of HKID card;
- A non-refundable and non-transferable application fee of HK\$150 for local applicants and HK\$300 for non-local applicants (please refer to "Application Fee Payment Instructions" for the payment methods);
- · the completed "Acknowledgement of Application" with HK\$2.0 postage stamp affixed; and
- A self-addressed envelope (size at 4" x 9") with HK\$3.0 postage stamp affixed.

### Remarks

- 1. The application will not be processed should there be any missing documents.
- 2. Applicants should present originals of the above documents for verification during the interview.

Applications must be submitted by post or by hand to:

Address	Programme Administration Section Early Childhood and Elementary Education Division School of Continuing Education Hong Kong Baptist University 2/F, Franki Centre 320 Junction Road Kowloon Tong, Kowloon "Application for Higher Diploma in Early Childhood Education"
Office Hours	Monday to Friday 9:00 am – 5:50 pm

### Method 2:

2021 HKDSE candidates can apply for admission through E-APP (https://www.eapp.gov.hk).

### Method 3:

Online application will be available for non-2021 HKDSE candidates only (http://hkbusce.hk/apphdece).

### **Interviews**

Shortlisted candidates will be invited to attend an interview from June to July 2021.

In-person application with on-site interviews will be arranged in July 2021. Please refer to our programme website at hkbusce.hk/hdece for details.

# Important Dates

Application Deadline	Please visit our programme website for details.
Student Orientation	Late August 2021
Course Commencement	1 September 2021 (Wed)

# **Enquiry**



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Information stated in this leaflet is updated as of October 2020 and is subject to change without prior notice. Please refer to our website for the latest information.

# 香港浸會大學持續教育學院 幼兒及基礎教育部

香港浸會大學持續教育學院一向重視基礎教育的師資培訓及發展。本院之幼兒及基礎教育部為本地幼兒及基礎教育工 作者提供優質的專業培訓及持續進修課程。本院是首間獲政府認可舉辦幼兒教育學位課程之專上學院,並於1994年 獲政府委任為在職小學教師提供教育學士學位課程。鑑於社會對幼兒教育師資培訓的需求日增,幼兒及基礎教育部現 正致力提升幼兒教育工作者的專業水平。

本部為在職及職前幼師提供一系列全日制及兼讀制的課程,包括證書、高級文憑、學位及深造文憑,所有課程均著重 提升本地學員的學歷及專業技能。隨著近年屢獲政府委任開辦有關課程及本部在基礎教育課程方面的拓展,本院進一 步確立在幼兒教師培訓的領導地位。

本課程特別為有志投身幼兒教育工作的中學畢業生而設,旨在為學員提供優質的教與學培訓,內容涵蓋幼兒教育專業知識、 技能、策略及操守,以裝備學員,讓其在本港多元化的幼兒教育環境中盡展所長。本課程之畢業生將獲培訓成為高質素, 具備反思能力及工作投入感的專業幼兒教育工作者。

# 畢業要求及資歷認可

### 學術資格

學員成功修畢二年制課程,並符合畢業要求,將獲頒發「幼兒教育高級文憑」



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課程畢業生將符合教育局對「合格幼稚園教師」的培訓要求。此外,亦達至社會福利署對「幼兒工作員」及「幼兒中心主管」的 培訓要求。

### 課程銜接

除入職為專業幼兒教育工作者外,幼兒教育高級文憑畢業學員可選擇於香港浸會大學或其他學院繼續進修。

畢業學員可申請入讀由香港浸會大學持續教育學院開辦的全日制幼兒教育學教育學士(榮譽)學位課程三年級或兼讀制幼兒 教育學教育學士(榮譽)學位課程 - 高年級入學。\*

### 課程結構

本課程學員共須修讀72個學分。

	練學分:72學分
通識學科	12 學分
選修學科	18 學分
- 實習	6 學分
- 課程與教學	21 學分
- 專業學科	15 學分
主修學科	

### 授課模式

本課程將以面授模式進行。為照顧不同學員的需要,鼓勵學員與導師間之互動,並透過同儕互動以刺激學員反思。此外,本院亦 為學員提供教學實習的機會,從而幫助學員綜合所學的知識及技能,應用於實際的幼教環境中。

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# 授課語言

除個別科目外,本課程主要以英語授課。 實習科目將以粵語授課,以協助學員適應本地幼教機構的工作。

# 學生服務及設施

- 圖書館 Moodle網上學習系統 • 體育中心
  - 醫療及牙科保健服務

# 入學資格

- 1. 香港中學文憑考試五科\*(包括中國語文#及英國語文)達到第二級;或
- 2. 完成毅進文憑課程;或
- 3. 年滿二十一歲並持相關入學資格的人士;或
- 4. 經由持續教育學院評審的其他同等學歷。
- 香港中學文憑試考生可以最多提交兩個應用學習科目的成績。
- #應用學習中文 (非華語學生適用) 達到「達標」或以上成績,可視為符合中國語文成績的入學要求。

<sup>·</sup>畢業學員之累積平均積分點須達2.5或以上。

### 學書

兩年學費分四期繳交,每期港幣\$33,030\*。

\*學費若有所調整,將以本院之最新公佈為準。

### 學費資助

本課程之學員可向學生資助處申請「專上學生資助計劃」及「免入息審查貸款計劃」。

### 報名辦法

### 方法一:

請填妥申請表格,連同以下文件寄回本校(信封面請註明「申請幼兒教育高級文憑課程」):

- 學歷證明影印本,包括香港中學文憑考試成績通知書/證書、高中一至高中三成績表、其他相關學歷證明(如適用)及 工作資歷證明(如適用);
- 香港身份證影印本;
- 報名費: 本地申請人港幣\$150/非本地申請人港幣\$300 (繳交方法請參閱「繳付報名費程序及須知」);
- 已填妥之「入學申請覆函」,覆函上請貼上港幣\$2.0郵票;及
- 已填妥回郵地址及貼上港幣\$3.0郵票之回郵信封(4" x 9")。

### 備註:

- 1. 未備齊上述文件之申請將不獲處理。
- 2. 面試當天,申請人需出示上述文件之正本以作核實。

申請人可親身遞交報名表(擲回收集箱)或郵寄至以下地址:

九龍塘聯合道320號建新中心2樓 地址 香港浸會大學持續教育學院一幼兒及基礎教育部 (信封面註明「申請幼兒教育高級文憑課程」)

星期一至五 辦公時間 上午9:00至下午5:50

### 方法二:

2021年中學文憑試考生可經專上課程電子預先報名平台遞交申請 (https://www.eapp.gov.hk)。

### 方法三:

網上報名 - 只供非2021年中學文憑試考生使用 (http://hkbusce.hk/apphdece)。

# 面試安排

面試將安排於2021年6月至7月期間分階段進行。

親身報名及即場面試將安排於7月進行,詳情請瀏覽課程網頁hkbusce.hk/hdece。

# 重要日期

截止申請日期	詳情請瀏覽課程網頁
迎新活動日期	2021年8月下旬
開課日期	2021年9月1日 (三)





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