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Course map for students commencing study in 2022

D60023 Master of Education in Early Childhood Education

Campus	Mode	Intakes
Clayton	On-campus Off-campus	Semester 1 Semester 2

[D6002 Handbook entry](#): refer to the Handbook for authorised course and unit information. Please note that the links in this map will direct you to the current version of the handbook entry. You can access previous versions of course and unit information by using the 'year switcher' located within a current course or unit entry.

Course requirements

- Depending on credit granted for prior learning, students complete 96, 72 or 48 credit points.
- Students must complete the required units as outlined in the table below.
- EDF5773 must be completed in the final semester of study.

Course notes

- A possible pathway to research is available to students who achieve a weighted average mark (WAM) of at least 75% in the units of this course. The pathway is not offered at the point of entry. Visit the [handbook](#) for more information.
- Variations to the course map may be approved to accommodate unit choice, semester of commencement and credit granted.
- Credit may be granted depending on a student's prior qualifications and relevant work experience, as determined by the Faculty.

Units required	96-point structure	72-point structure	48-point structure
Early Childhood Education Specialisation Overview			
Part A: Orientation to education units (24 points)			
EDF5610 Interacting with research in education contexts	✓		
EDF5611 Investigating education issues in global contexts	✓		
Part B: Expert studies in education units (48 points)			
EDF5773 Global leaders in early childhood education	✓	✓	✓
EDF5774 Building STEM learning communities in early childhood	✓	✓	✓
EDF5775 Advanced play and pedagogy in early childhood settings	✓	✓	✓
EDF5905 Early childhood literacy and numeracy	✓	✓	✓
Approved elective unit(s) from Faculty of Education graduate coursework programs	✓	✓	✓
Part C: Professional inquiry units (24 points)			
EDF5776 Examining inclusion in children's media	✓	✓	
EDF5777 Child in context	✓	✓	
Approved elective unit(s) from Faculty of Education graduate coursework programs	✓	✓	

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Course progression - Semester 1 commencement

Full-time progression: 96-point structure

Year	Sem	Units		
1	1	EDF5610 Interacting with research in education contexts (12pts)		EDF5611 Investigating education issues in global contexts (12pts)
	2	EDF5905 Early childhood literacy and numeracy (12pts)		EDF5775 Advanced play and pedagogy in early childhood settings (6pts) Part B/Part C: Elective (6pts)
2	1	EDF5774 Building STEM learning communities in early childhood (6pts)	EDF5777 Child in context (6pts)	Part B/Part C: Elective (2 x 6pt units OR 1 x 12pt unit)
	2	EDF5773 Global leaders in early childhood education (12pts)		EDF5776 Examining inclusion in children's media (6pts) Part B/Part C: Elective (6pts)

Full-time progression: 72-point structure

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1	1	EDF5905 Early childhood literacy and numeracy (12pts)		EDF5774 Building STEM learning communities in early childhood (6pts) Part B/Part C: Elective (6pts)
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Part-time progression: 96-point structure

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	2	EDF5611 Investigating education issues in global contexts (12pts)	
2	1	EDF5774 Building STEM learning communities in early childhood (6pts)	EDF5777 Child in context (6pts)
	2	EDF5905 Early childhood literacy and numeracy (12pts)	
3	1	Part B/Part C: Elective (2 x 6pt units OR 1 x 12pt unit)	
	2	EDF5775 Advanced play and pedagogy in early childhood settings (6pts)	EDF5776 Examining inclusion in children's media (6pts)
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Course progression - Semester 2 commencement

Full-time progression: 96-point structure

Year	Sem	Units		
1	2	EDF5610 Interacting with research in education contexts (12pts)		EDF5611 Investigating education issues in global contexts (12pts)
2	1	EDF5905 Early childhood literacy and numeracy (12pts)		EDF5774 Building STEM learning communities in early childhood (6pts) Part B/Part C: Elective (6pts)
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