SWINBURNE UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY

Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood)
BA-EDUEC

Recommended Sequence
Units are listed on your Course Planner in a recommended sequence. However this can be amended depending on unit availability, unit progression, timetabling and the semester in which you commenced your course.

Year One

Your First Semester		Your Second Semester	
EDU10004 Theories of Teaching and Learning	+12.5	ART10001 Academic Literacies	+12.5
EDU10003 The World of Maths	+12.5	EDU10006 Teaching and Learning in the 21st Century	+12.5
EDU10002 Understanding Language and Literacy	+12.5	Component unit	+12.5
EDU10005 Indigenous Education and Perspectives	+12.5	EDU10001 Intro to Curriculum Planning and Assessment: Practicum 1	+12.5

Year Two

Semester One		Semester Two	
EDU20004 Understanding and Supporting Behaviour	+12.5	EDU30007 Imagining the World Through the Arts	+12.5
EDU20001 Developing Literacy	+12.5	EDU20002 Mathematics in Practice	+12.5
EDU10007 Contemporary Perspectives Learning & Dvlpmnt Early Childhood	+12.5	EDU30002 Science and Technology	+12.5
EDU20006 Curriculum, Planning and Assessment for Primary: Practicum 2	+12.5	EDU20005 Sustainable Education and Perspectives	+12.5

Year Three

Semester One		Semester Two	
EDU40002 Play and Environment	+12.5	EDU40003 Identity: the Early Childhood Profession(AI)	+12.5
EDU20003 Contemporary Perspectives of Learning and Development	+12.5	EDU30001 Imagining the World Through Language and Literature	+12.5
EDU30006 Families, Community and Citizenship	+12.5	EDU30005 Understanding and Supporting Inclusion	+12.5
EDU30003 Curriculum, Planning & Assessment for Infants: Practicum 3E	+12.5	Component unit	+12.5

Year Four

Semester One		Semester Two	
EDU30008 Introduction to Educational Leadership and Management	+12.5	EDU30004 Wellbeing and Resilience	+12.5
EDU40004 Advocacy and Social Justice	+12.5	EDU40006 Ready to Teach Early Childhood: Practicum 5E	+12.5
EDU40001 The Healthy and Active Child	+12.5	Component unit	+12.5
EDU40005 Ready to Teach Primary: Practicum 4E	+12.5	Component unit	+12.5

How to use your Course Planner
Refer to the below table to help explain what units are required each semester throughout your course. The units in your planner are colour coded to assist you with mapping out your studies.

Course Information and Requirements
Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood)
400 Credit Points

Core units
350 Credit points
A set of compulsory units you must complete as part of your Course.

Component Units
50 credit points
Can be completed from a combination of the following:

MINOR
A structured set of 4 units or 50 credit points from a field of study which you can choose in addition to a first major.
A standalone unit from any study area.

Mandatory Literacy and Numeracy Test
Students are responsible for arranging and successfully completing the national Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education Students through the Australian Council for Education Research prior to completing 200 credit points of study.

A Working With Children Check
All students must maintain a current Working with Children Check (from the appropriate State Authority) throughout the duration of the course.

Police Check
Students must maintain a current police check throughout the duration of the course.

FAQ's
What is a component unit?
A unit that forms part of a second major/ co-major/minor or elective, that you select.

How can I find which component units I can enrol in?
Visit Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood) for major/co-major/minor and elective options.

Where can I find out more about individual unit content (including requisites)?
Visit the Single Unit Search page

Where can I find out more information about the Literacy and Numeracy Test?

Visit the Department of Education and Social Sciences homepage.

What's a full-time study load?
100 credit points (8 units per year)

What's a part-time study load?
50 credit points (4 units per year)

How can I find out when units are offered?
You can view unit availabilities before class regisitration opens at the University Timetable Planner

Where can I find what online units are available?

For a full listing of online unit go to Online Units.