

BEDFORD COLLEGE

University Pathways - EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION Graduates

University	Degree	How To Apply	Credit	Comments	Website
Australian Catholic University (ACU) **	* B. Education (Birth to Five Years) * B. Education (Early Childhood & Primary) * B. Education (Primary)	Online application through UAC- www.uac.edu.au	B. Education (Birth - 5 Years) - Students will receive credit for 8 units (equivalent to 1 year of FT study) B. Education (Early Childhood and Primary) - Students will receive up to 6 units of credit (dependant upon elective units)	Successful completion of Diploma in ECEC is sufficient for entry. Students are unlikely to receive credit when enrolling in a B. Education (Primary). Credit granted upon successful entry.	http://www.acu.edu.au/courses/undergraduate/education/
Avondale College **	* B. Education (Early Childhood) * B. Education (Primary)	Directly to Avondale.	B. Education (Early Childhood) - Students will receive credit for 8 units (equivalent to 1 year of FT study) B. Education (Primary) - Students may receive credit for 4 units	May be completed on campus or by distance. Credit granted upon successful entry.	http://www.avondale.edu.au/academics/education/
Charles Sturt University (CSU)	* B. Education (Birth to Five Years) * B. Education (Early Childhood & Primary) * B. Teaching (Primary)	Directly to university. Students should note that places are offered on a first-received basis.	B. Education (Birth - 5 Years) - Students will receive credit for 16 units (equivalent to 2 years FT study) B. Education (Early Childhood & Primary) - Graduates of the above course may articulate into this course - additional transition units are necessary prior to entry.	Excellent distance education pathway. Specifically designed for diploma graduates. Credit granted upon successful entry.	http://www.csu.edu.au/courses/education/
Macquarie University	* B. Teaching (Birth-5 years) * B.Arts/Education (0 - 12 yrs)	Online application through UAC- www.uac.edu.au	* B. Teaching (Birth-5) - Students will receive 8 units (equivalent to 1 year of FT study) * B.Arts/Education (Birth-12) Students will receive 4 units	Popular degree program. Degree available on campus or by distance. Credit granted upon successful entry.	http://courses.mq.edu.au/undergraduate/degree/bachelor-of-teaching-early-childhood-education/
Notre Dame University	* B. Education (Birth to 12 yrs) * B. Education (Primary)	Directly to university	Students may receive up to 8 units of credit for both courses (equivalent to 1 year of FT study)	Popular degree due to breadth of qualification. Entry Based on interview, Transcript and Principal's recommendation.	http://www.nd.edu.au/sydney/schools/education/edusydney.shtml
University of Newcastle	* B. Teaching (Early Childhood & Primary) * B. Teaching (Primary)	Online application through UAC- www.uac.edu.au	Students may receive up to 30 units of credit (equivalent to 1.5 years of FT study)	See link on university website for credit arrangement with Bedford College. Credit granted upon successful entry.	http://www.newcastle.edu.au/degrees/bachelor-of-teaching-early-childhood-and-primary-honours/why-study-with-us/
University of New England	* B. Education (Early Childhood Teaching) * B. Education (Early Childhood and Primary)	On campus study - online application through UAC www.uac.edu.au Distance study - directly to the university	Students may receive up to 8 units of credit (equivalent to 1 year of FT study)	Good distance education option. Credit granted upon successful entry.	http://www.une.edu.au/courses/2016/courses/BEDECP
University of Sydney	* B. Education (Early Childhood) * B. Education (Primary Education)	Online application through UAC- www.uac.edu.au	B. Education (Early Childhood) - students may receive 8 units of credit, determined by interview (equivalent to 1 year of FT study)	Students are unlikely to receive credit when enrolling in a B.Education (Primary). Credit granted upon successful entry.	http://sydney.edu.au/courses/Bachelor-of-Education-Early-Childhood
University of Technology Sydney	* B. Arts/Education	Online application through UAC- www.uac.edu.au	Students may receive credit for some elective units.	Determined by an interview (case by case basis - very high standard at Bedford must be maintained).	http://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/find-a-course/courses/c10350
University of Wollongong (UOW)	* B. Education The Early Years (0-5yrs) * B.Primary Education (5-12 yrs)	Directly to the University AND through UAC.	B. Education The Early Years - Students may receive up to 48 units of credit (determined by an interview- case by case basis) B. Primary Education - Students may receive up to 18 credit points (determined by an interview- case by case basis)	Two degree programs available. Credit granted upon successful entry.	https://www.uow.edu.au/handbook/yr2016/ug/H16006055.html
Western Sydney Institute (TAFE)**	* B. Early Childhood Education and Care (Birth-5 yrs)	Directly to WSI	Students will enter directly into second year (i.e. 1 year credit)	Only offered at WSI Nirimba Campus (Quakers Hill)	http://wsi.tafensw.edu.au/course/early-childhood-education-and-care-birth-5-bachelor/
Western Sydney University (WSU) **	* B. Arts (Pathway to Teaching Birth-5 yrs/Birth-12 yrs) * Master of Teaching (Birth-5 yrs/Birth-12 yrs)	Online application through UAC- www.uac.edu.au	* Students are guaranteed entry, and will receive 4 units of credit (equivalent to 6 months FT study)	All Bedford Child Care graduates are <u>guaranteed</u> entry into this course	http://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/future_students_home/ug/arts/arts_teaching_primary

Due to our excellent reputation, the university acceptance rate of our graduates is unsurpassed. Several other universities (apart from those noted above) may also provide Bedford Diploma Graduates entry (with credit) into their degree programs on a case-by-case basis.

Regardless of the university, Bedford students should maintain a consistent high standard across all Diploma units to ensure entry into courses.