

Programme Name	Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood)
Programme Description	<p>The purpose of the Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood) programme is its internationally recognizable quality while also supporting vital aspects of Fijian cultural and identity.</p> <p>Students enrolled in the programme will possess all of the skills necessary to design, implement, and assess an inclusive education programme for children from birth-eight years that is culturally relevant, meets global standards for best practice, and is implemented in collaboration with families and community members.</p> <p>Graduates from this programme will possess important skills and progressive perspectives that will allow them to respond flexibly to a constantly changing education landscape while also maintaining essential connections to their cultural and philosophical roots. FNU graduates will stand out among their peers because they will be reflective practitioners possessing a high-level of cross-cultural competence, advanced understandings of assessment and inclusion, and a strong capacity to collaborate with family and community partners. Graduates will be prepared to not only teach in ECE classrooms, but to provide engaging and supportive leadership in their communities; thus elevating the field of ECE in Fiji from within</p>
Majors	Early Childhood Education
Minimum Requirements	Passed Form 7 with 50% in English and Maths or mature age entry with 3-5 years of experience in teaching early childhood education as well as competence in one of vernaculars –I Taukei, Urdu, Hindi or Rotuman up to Year 8 level. Mature age entry will also require the students to hold a certificate in Early Childhood Education from one of the recognized institution
Duration	Three year full-time Programme
Programme Type	Bachelor Degree
College Name	College of Humanities and Education
Campus	<p>Year 1 (Labasa/Natabua/Samabula)</p> <p>Year 2 (Labasa/Natabua/Samabula)</p> <p>Year 3 (Labasa/Natabua/Samabula)</p>
Credit Points	360

Programme Structure		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points
Year One - Semester 1		
EDU528	Child Growth and Development	15
LNG501Sem	English for Academic Studies	15
EDU569Sem	Na Noda Mataniciva	15
EDU570Sem	Working with Families and Communities	15
Year One - Semester 2		
EDU538	Language Study 1	15
HIN500/ITK500	Beginning Hindi/iTaukei	15
EDU513Sem	Early Language and Literacy	15
EDU548	Early Maths and Science	15
Year Two - Semester 1		
EDU631	Educational programming for Infants and Toddlers	15
EDU632	Art and Craft in ECE	15
EDU633	The Science of Play	15
EDU634	Classroom Assessment in ECE	15

Year Two - Semester 2		
EDU635	Physical Development, Health and Wellbeing	15
EDU636	Music and Movement in ECE	15
EDU637	Applied Na Noda Mataniciva in Years 1 & 2	15
EDU638	Action Research in ECE	15
Year Three - Semester 1		
EDU707	Teaching in Early Years with Technology	15
EDU714	Early Intervention for Young Children with Disabilities	15
EDU718	Strengthening Literacy and Numeracy in Early Years	15
EDU719	Designing Programmes for Families in the Early Years	15
Year Three - Semester 1		
EDU721	Leadership, Management and Ethics in ECE	15
EDU722	Programme Assessment in ECE	15
EDU723	Cross Cultural Studies in ECE Curriculum	15
EDU724	Inclusive Classroom Management	15
	Total Credit Points	360