

**Qualify as a Teaching Assistant**

# **Early Childhood Care – Level 2**



**Approved and Accredited By KHDA and Ministry of Social Affairs, UAE**

## PROGRAM OVERVIEW

## Early Childhood Care – Level 2

This course is suitable for those who wish to work as a teaching assistant in an early years setting and takes 6 months to complete

The IPC's Early Childhood Care Training Program - Level 2 prepares you to qualify as an Early Years Teaching Assistant for British, American and other International curricula. Approved and accredited by KHDA and Ministry of Social Affairs-UAE, IPC's Level 2 training program gives you wider career options to work in nurseries, kindergartens and ELCs across the UAE.

The IPC's Academic Team has designed its Level 2 program to introduce learners to the field of early childhood education. By the end of this program learners will have developed an understanding of child growth milestones, will have learnt about the physical aspects of child care, will begin to understand how children learn, will understand their responsibility as an early childhood educator, will realize the role of relationships and will value the importance of communication.

IPC's Level 2 teacher training program, consists of 7 modules.

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| 1. Overview of Early Childhood Education | 5. Meeting the Developmental Needs of Children |
| 2. The Developing Child                  | 6. Workplace and Family Dynamics               |
| 3. Care of Children                      | 7. Environmental Health & Safety               |
| 4. Professionalism                       |  |

The IPC Level 2 program is facilitated through a user-friendly e-portal, designed to enhance the participants' learning experience, ensure productive self-study and encourage exploration of best international practice.

Discussion forums and assignments are moderated by our highly qualified faculty to ensure participants are able to understand, reflect and submit qualifying assignments for all the modules.

### QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

Participants are required to work or volunteer in an early years environment for a minimum of 250 hours, for the duration of this program.

In order to receive the IPC Level 2 Certificate participants will be required to:

- Study, research and reflect on 7 module topics
- Successfully complete Assignments and Assessments for all modules

Computer and internet access is a must to review course materials and submit assignments.

### ASSIGNMENTS

Each module will require participants to put in approximately 20 hours of time (includes self-study, reflection and assignments). Assignments marks per module are given below:

1. Reflection Questions	20 marks
2. Observation	20 marks
3. Action Steps Paper	30 marks
4. Assessment	20 marks

**Marks Per Module            100**

**Total Marks for Level 2    700**

**Pass 60%; Distinction 90%**

**SCHEDULE**

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**COHORT 1 (SEP 17, 2016 – MAR 30, 2017)**

Workshops/Modules	Review	Completion Date (all assignments)	Grades Received
Program Sign Up, Induction and Overview Review	Sep 17-25		
Module 1: Overview of Early Childhood Education	Sep 25	Oct 15	Oct 30
Module 2: The Developing Child	Oct 15	Nov 05	Nov 20
Module 3: Care of Children	Nov 05	Nov 25	Dec10
Module 4: Professionalism, Personal Development and Social Skills	Nov 25	Dec 15	Jan 05
Module 5: Meeting the Developmental Needs of Children	Dec 15	Jan 05	Jan 20
Module 6: Interaction with Parents/Employers, Family Dynamics	Jan 05	Jan 25	Feb 10
Module 7: Environmental Health & Safety	Jan 25	Feb 15	Mar 05
Certificate Distribution		March 30	

- Log-In details for the e-learning portal will be provided after registration confirmation.
- If a participant is unable to continue with the program, fees that have already been paid, will not be refunded. However, the participant may be allowed to join back with a later cohort.