



# QQI LEVEL 5 CERTIFICATE IN EARLY LEARNING AND CARE (ONLINE)

# **Quick Facts**

#### **Duration:**

12 Months

## **Qualification:**

Certificate in Early Learning and Care at NFQ level 5

## **Programme Delivery:**

Blended/Online

#### Programme cost:

€1195 paid in full

#### **Instalments:**

**Option 1:** Chevron instalments plan: 10 consecutive monthly instalments of €168 each month

**Option 2:** Flexi Finance by Humm: 12 instalments of €102 (finance loan agreement)

Please note this programme is not on the CAO and learners should apply directly to Chevron College

## About the programme

This programme leads to a Certificate in Early Learning and Care at NFQ level 5 and is designed to meet the QQI professional award standards for Early Learning and Care at NFQ level 5.

## **Entry Requirements**

- Minimum level 4 award, Leaving certificate qualification or comparable.
- English proficiency (if English is not your 1st language) any of the below english proficiently exams will suffice-IELTS score
  6.0 or above-Duolingo score of 95 or higher-Cambridge score of FCE or higher-Any assessment CEFR B2+ or higher
- · Sufficient IT skills.

## **Student Support**

- Comprehensive support from our full time in-house tutors through email, scheduled phone calls, webinars and a discussion forum
- Additional supports available to learners include:
- 1-to-1 monitoring of learner engagement & progress
- · Peer-to-peer support through the online discussion forum
- Pastoral care & CV guidance
- Specific support for learners (via reasonable accommodations)

## **Career Opportunities**

Gain employment as an Early Years Educator in an Early years setting or as a qualified childminder recognised by Tusla

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## **Course Modules**

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Introduction to ELC and Child Safeguarding	Professional Practice	Early Learning and Play
Holistic Care of Children in ELC	Inclusive Education and the care of Children with Additional Needs in ELC	Child Development

## **Course Structure**

#### 3 x 12 week terms

The course will consist of 3 terms, each term will be 12 weeks in duration, you will need to complete 2 modules during each term. There will be a break of 1 month in between each term.

#### In house days

- 2 mandatory face to face classroom days are required
- Available in Cork, Dublin or Galway throughout the
- Will be scheduled on weekends, 3.5 hours in duration

(Can be completed online up to June 2025)

## Why Choose Chevron?

- Ireland's most competitively priced QQI accredited online courses
- Unrivalled student support
- · Garda vetting service, Protection of Enrolled Learners (PEL) insurance plus work placement insurance are all included within your course fee
- 99% exam success rate



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## **Enrol Today:**

For more information or to enrol





