

Universal College Outcomes SA

Minimum entry requirements to each qualification.

We are accredited by the ETDP SETA and you will find the details at this link:
<http://uco.co.za/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/ETDP-SETA-Accreditation-Document.pdf>

Please read the information below carefully

THE IMPORTANCE OF CORRECT PLACEMENT OF ENROLED LEARNERS.

It is of the utmost importance that our Learners enrol for the correct level.

- It will benefit the Learner's overall development as a Practitioner.
- It will prevent gaps in the skills and knowledge.
- It will enable the Learner to reach her full potential as a Practitioner.

There are entry requirements for each level but if the Learner is not ready for a certain level it would be better to start on the level that the Learner is comfortable with.

It is often advisable to start with Level 1 although it is not compulsory for Level 4 if the Learner has Grade 12.

Level 1 covers the teaching practices that every Practitioner needs e.g.:

- creative activities;
- theme planning;
- observation of the young child;
- music and movement;
- layout of the classroom and outdoor area;
- preparing healthy meals.

Even Learners with schooling experience might benefit from doing Level 1. The above skills will not be covered in our Level 4 and Level 5 qualifications.

The same can be said for Level 5

We also recommend that you start with Level 4 to improve your ECD practice, language and mathematical skills to enable you to excel in Level 5.

Our applications forms can be downloaded at the following link:

<http://uco.co.za/document-download/>

You will find all the information on there –

Qualification fees and monthly instalments, Minimum entry requirements for the courses, content of the courses

Other requirements for a successful application:

Learner

- Certified ID copy
- Certified copy of highest school report & any other qualification
- Deposit slip of Application Fee
- Curriculum Vitae indicating experience in a pre-school environment
- Proof of address not older than 3 months/Affidavit stating your postal address
- Signed Terms and Conditions Page 1, 2 and 3
- Signed Terms and Conditions Page 4 (Only applicable if it is a Distant Learning Application)
- Postal Address or PEP STORES Node Code (Only applicable if it is a Distant Learning Application)

Person Responsible for the account

- Certified ID copy
- Proof of address not older than 3 months
- Signed Terms and Conditions Page 1, 2 and 3
- Signed Terms and Conditions Page 4 (Only applicable if it is a Distant Learning Application)

Skills Development Programme: Early Childhood Development on NQF 1

Minimum Entry Requirements for this contract (Point 1 and 2 applicable):

1. Able to work or volunteer in a pre-school or a crèche to gain the required 182 practical hours during the duration of the qualification.
2. Grade 9

Further Education & Training Certificate: Early Childhood Development NQF 4

SAQA ID NUMBER: 58761 Credits: 140

Minimum Entry Requirements for this contract (Point 1 and 2 applicable):

1. Able to work or volunteer in a pre-school or a crèche to gain the required 980 practical hours during the duration of the qualification.
2. Grade 12
Or
UCO Skills Development Programme Level 1 with At least Grade 9 (or higher school grade passed) or an equivalent qualification

Higher Certificate: Early Childhood Development NQF 5

SAQA ID NUMBER: 64649/23117 Credits: Minimum 120 Credits

Minimum Entry Requirements for this contract (Point 1 and 2 applicable):

1. Able to work or volunteer in a pre-school or a crèche to gain the required 840 practical hours during the duration of the qualification.
2. Further Education & Training Certificate: Early Childhood Development NQF 4 with At least Grade 9 (or higher school grade passed) or an equivalent qualification
Or
Grade 12 where the candidate met the minimum requirements to start with a Diploma qualification and experience (at the discretion of Universal College Outcomes) in the ECD Field in the following areas:
 - Facilitate Active Learning in ECD Programmes,
 - Facilitate Healthy Development in ECD Programmes, and
 - Manage the ECD Learning Programme.

National Diploma: Early Childhood Development NQF 5

SAQA ID NUMBER: 64650/23118 Credits: Minimum 120 Credits

Minimum Entry Requirements for this contract (Point 1,2 and 3 applicable):

1. Able to work or volunteer in a pre-school or a crèche to gain the required 840 practical hours during the duration of the qualification.
2. A Level 5 Higher Certificate in Early Childhood Development
3. Further Education & Training Certificate: Early Childhood Development NQF 4 with At least Grade 9 (or higher school grade passed) or an equivalent qualification
Or
Grade 12 where the candidate met the minimum requirements to start with a Diploma qualification and experience (at the discretion of Universal College Outcomes) in the ECD Field in the following areas:
 - Facilitate Active Learning in ECD Programmes,
 - Facilitate Healthy Development in ECD Programmes, and
 - Manage the ECD Learning Programme.