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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Glossary Item |
| Synonymous names: | ECEC teacher |
| METEOR identifier: | 493482 |
| Registration status: | [Early Childhood](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 28/05/2014 |
| Definition: | An early childhood education and care [**contact worker**](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/493450) who has completed at least a three year university qualification in early childhood education and are employed as a teacher.  Qualifications include:   * Postgraduate degree * Graduate diploma or graduate certificate level * Bachelor degree (honours) * Bachelor degree pass (4 years or equivalent) * Bachelor degree pass (3 years or equivalent). |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | An equivalent four year university qualification includes workers who have been deemed to have the necessary skills and qualifications to be employed as a four year degree equivalent teacher by the jurisdiction. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG) |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Qualified early childhood teacher](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/558891)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 01/06/2015  See also [Early childhood education and care contact worker](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/493450)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 28/05/2014 |
| Metadata items which use this glossary item: | [Early Childhood Education and Care: Aggregate NMDS 2013](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/494145)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 28/05/2014  [Early Childhood Education and Care: Unit Record Level NMDS 2013](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/494147)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 28/05/2014 |