

# Child—early childhood education program attendance indicator, yes/no code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Early childhood program attendance indicator
<b>Synonymous names:</b>	Preschool program attendance indicator
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	731206
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Early Childhood</a> , Standard 02/12/2020
<b>Definition:</b>	An indicator of whether a child attended an <a href="#">early childhood education program</a> , as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Child—early childhood education program attendance indicator</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Yes/no code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	Boolean	
<b>Format:</b>	N	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Yes
	2	No

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	CODE 1 Yes
	Record if the child attended an early childhood education program for at least one hour during the reference period. This should include any children who are attending an early childhood education program online or remotely during the reference period due to impacts of COVID-19.
	CODE 2 No
	Record if the child did not attend an early childhood education program or was absent due to illness or extended holiday leave during the reference period.

### Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Department of Education, Skills and Employment
<b>Steward:</b>	<a href="#">Data Strategy Group (DSG)</a>

### Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

Supersedes [Child—early childhood education program attendance indicator, yes/no code N](#)  
[Early Childhood](#), Superseded 02/12/2020

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:**

[Early Childhood Education and Care: Unit Record Level NMDS 2020](#)  
[Early Childhood](#), Standard 02/12/2020  
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[Early Childhood Education and Care: Unit Record Level NMDS 2021](#)  
[Early Childhood](#), Qualified 25/10/2021  
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