



**AECES 新加坡幼儿教师学会**  
**Association for Early Childhood Educators (Singapore)**

**FUNDAMENTALS CERTIFICATE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD  
CARE & EDUCATION  
(ENGLISH / CHINESE)**

***Accredited by Ministry of Community Development, Youth and Sports (MCYS)  
180 Hours (120 classroom hours and 60 practicum hours)***

**Course Objectives**

The Fundamentals Certificate in early Childhood Care & Education introduces the novice teacher to the early childhood profession by exploring his/her role as a teacher assistant and equipping him/her with the necessary skills of working and guiding children in an early childhood setting. By understanding the child, the teacher assistant will be able to assist in providing appropriate materials and daily activities for young children (0-8 years) in the classroom.

The course also aims to raise the assistant teacher's awareness in the areas of children's safety, health, nutrition, child abuse, neglect and professional positions on children.

The assistant teacher will be encouraged to engage in reflective practice, promote positive relationships with families and foster their positive sense of identity and personal effectiveness.

<b>Course Content</b>	<b>Assessment</b>	<b>Certificate</b>
<p>There are a total of 6 modules:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Professional Development</li><li>➤ Child Development and Guidance</li><li>➤ Safety, Health and Nutrition</li><li>➤ Working with Families</li><li>➤ Creative Approaches to Caring &amp; Learning - Pre-school Curriculum</li><li>➤ Practicum</li></ul>	<p>Consists of modular tests, projects and assignments.</p> <p>Students are also required to keep a learning journal of the 60 hours of practicum.</p> <p>There will be 2 practicum visits from the practicum tutor.</p>	<p>Successful completion of assignments and field practicum leads to the award of the Fundamentals Certificate in Early Childhood Care &amp; Education.</p>

<p><b>Who may enrol?</b></p> <p><b>Candidates who:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Are 17 years of age and above</li> <li>• Possess a minimum of Secondary 2 Level.</li> </ul>	<p><b>What is the class size?</b></p> <p>Each intake is limited to 30 participants</p> <p><b>What to submit?</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Application form</li> <li>2. Academic certificate e.g. Secondary 2 leaving certificate or any other relevant educational certificate</li> <li>3. Registration fee of \$ 50</li> </ol>	<p><b>How do I register?</b></p> <p>Please complete the attached application form and return to the professional development venue where the course is being conducted:</p> <p><b>Association for Early Childhood Educators (Singapore)</b></p> <p>Blk 18 Hougang Ave 3 #01-159 S 530018 Tel: 62814989 Fax: 62814328</p> <p>Yew Tee Community Club 20 Choa Chu Kang St 52 #04-04 S 689286 Tel: 67645528 Fax: 67645509</p>
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<p><b>How long is the course?</b></p> <p>The course consists of 180 hours and will be conducted over a period of 5 months and will comprise:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tutorials(120 hours)</li> <li>• Practicum with 2 supervisions (60 hours )</li> </ul>	<p><b>What is the cost?</b></p> <p>Course fees : \$ 1,650 Registration fees : \$ 50 <b><u>Total \$ 1,700</u></b></p> <p>Please make cheque payable to <b>Association for Early Childhood Educators (Singapore) or AECES</b></p>	<p><b>SDF &amp; SRP Funding</b></p> <p><u>Funding for Company</u> Employers who sponsor staff are expected to make their own submission of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SDF Easynet <a href="http://www.sdf.gov.sg">www.sdf.gov.sg</a></li> <li>• SRP <a href="http://www.srp.org.sg">www.srp.org.sg</a> <i>1 day before the course commencement</i></li> </ul> <p><u>Funding for Individual</u> Individual who sign up for the course may contact NTUC-SEP hotline at Tel: 62138008 for course funding. Registration should reach NTUC-SEP at least <i>1 month before commencement of course</i></p>
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**In the case of Withdrawal**

- a. There will be no refund for registration fees
- b. Withdrawal made 1 week before commencement of course: only 50 % of course fee will be refunded and a written notice is required from the applicant.

**AECES reserves the right to postpone the classes due to unforeseen circumstances.**



**B. WORK EXPERIENCE 工作经验**

**i) Early Childhood 幼儿教育**

Name of Centre/Kindergarten and address 幼稚园 / 托儿所名称与地址:	
Postal Code 邮区 ( )	
Telephone 电话:	Fax No 传真号码:
Position held in the centre 职位:	Teaching Experience (in years & months): 教学经验 (年份与月份):
Age group you are currently working with 你所教导的年龄:	

**ii) Other profession 其他职业**

Company 公司名称	Position 职位:	Years of Experience 经验(年份):

**C. ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS 学历与训练资格**

Highest academic qualifications 最高学历:			
Language Proficiency 精通语言:			
	More comfortable with <u>Written</u> 书写	较流利的语言使用 <u>Spoken</u> 口语	
English 英语	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Mandarin 华语	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

I hereby testify that all the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge

我证实以上的所提供的资料是正确的。

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Signature of Applicant  
申请者签名

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Date  
日期