LINCOLN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE
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2022 SETARA COMPETITIVE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

ISO 9001:2015 Certified

BACHELOR IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION WITH HONOURS (ODL)

(N-DL/0112/6/0046) (06/30) (PA 18153)

PROGRAMME DESCRIPTION

The Bachelor in Early Childhood Education with Honours at Lincoln University College is designed to equip students with comprehensive knowledge and practical skills in child development, learning theories, and early childhood pedagogy. The program emphasises holistic approaches to teaching young children aged 0 to 8 years, fostering their cognitive, emotional, and social development. It prepares graduates to become competent educators and caregivers in diverse early childhood settings, including kindergartens, childcare centres, and special education environments. Through hands-on training, theoretical coursework, and research components, the program nurtures reflective practitioners committed to high-quality early childhood education and lifelong learning.

PROGRAMME AIM

The Bachelor in Early Childhood Education with Honours aims to prepare graduates with the knowledge, skills, and professional values to nurture and educate young children. It emphasises child development, pedagogy, and inclusive practices, enabling graduates to support early learning and development in diverse educational and care settings. The program aims to produce postgraduates who are:

- Knowledgeable and possess cognitive skills to solve problems in the field of education and development for young children.
- Able to communicate effectively with children, colleagues and parents as well as demonstrate leadership skills in managing responsibilities in organization.
- Skillful and demonstrate adherence to ethical issues in a professional environment.
- Proficient to work together with different people and communities and demonstrate entrepreneurial competency in selected projects.
- Competent to engage effectively in self-directed lifelong learning, use digital and numerical applications in acquiring information.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

A Bachelor in Early Childhood Education with Honours opens a wide range of career opportunities in both educational and non-educational settings. Graduates are equipped with pedagogical knowledge, developmental psychology, and practical teaching skills, making them valuable in various roles involving children aged 0–8 years. Below are key career pathways:

- Pre-School Teacher
- Childcare Centre Director
- Special Needs Educator (Early Childhood)
- Child Development Officer
- Program Coordinator

DURATION

Full time: 36 months

INTAKE AND ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

March, July, November

Entry Requirements:

i. A pass in STPM with a minimum of Grade C (GP 2.00) in any TWO subjects; OR
ii. A pass in STAM with a minimum grade of Jayyid; OR
iii. A certificate in Matriculation or Foundation with a minimum CGPA of 2.00 out of 4.00; OR
iv. A Diploma (Level 4, MQF) in ECE with at least a CGPA of 2.00 out of 4.00; OR
v. A Diploma Kemahiran Malaysia (DKM)/Diploma Lanjutan Kemahiran Malaysia (DLKM)/Diploma Vokasional Malaysia (DVM)** in ECE subject to the HEP Senate/Academic Board's approval. HEPs are required to conduct screening and provide relevant bridging courses; OR
vi. A Diploma (Level 4, MQF) in the relevant fields with at least a CGPA of 2.00 out of 4.00; OR
vii. Other relevant equivalent qualifications recognised by the Malaysian government as equivalent to the above requirements.

English Competency Requirement* (International Student)

Achieve a grade in the MUET or any English competency test equivalent to a Low B2 in the CEFR.
Refer to Surat JPT/GS/1000/630 Jld. 3 (12) dated 06th March 2023 – Syarat Kompetensi Bahasa Inggeris Kepada Pelajar Institusi Pengajian Tinggi Swasta (IPTS).

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