

<p>Qualification</p>	<p>An ACECQA nationally approved early childhood teaching (ECT) qualification (or equivalent).</p> <p>Note: If you do not currently hold an ACECQA nationally approved ECT (or equivalent) qualification, ACECQA will assess your qualification/s under the NQF as part of your skills assessment (dual assessment). Additional evidence may be required.</p> <p>For applicants requiring a dual assessment please refer to ACECQA's Guidelines for the determination of equivalent early childhood qualifications.</p>
<p>English language proficiency <i>Note: ACECQA will consider part-time equivalent study in an exempt country.</i></p>	<p>Proficiency demonstrated by one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one year of full-time tertiary or higher education level study in either: Australia, New Zealand, Ireland, Canada, the United Kingdom or the United States of America or, • International English Language Testing System (IELTS) test – Academic version: a score of seven (7.0) or more in the reading and writing components, and a score of eight (8.0) or more in the speaking and listening components, undertaken in the last three years. • International Second Language Proficiency Ratings (ISLPR) – Teacher-focused assessment: Level 4 in all four skill areas of listening, speaking, reading and writing, undertaken at an approved testing site in the last three years. • On a case-by-case basis, ACECQA will consider evidence of a professional reference from an employer in either: Australia, New Zealand, Ireland, Canada, the United Kingdom or the United States of America. <p>Note: ACECQA reserves the right to ask an applicant to undertake the Academic version of the IELTS test if there is uncertainty about their level of English language proficiency.</p>