# WSQ Advanced Certificate in Early Years (TGS-2024048390 Synchronous E-Learning)



Accredited by Early Childhood Development Agency (ECDA) and Registered with SkillsFuture Singapore (SSG)

#### **Course Introduction**

The WSQ Advanced Certificate in Early Years (ACEY) course is designed to prepare Early Years Educator in the care, guidance and education of infants and toddlers from 2 to 36 months old.

#### **Course Objectives:**

This course aims to train Educator and centre providers to:

- Be professional and skillful in reflective practice.
- Engage in strong partnerships with colleagues, families and community.
- Equip Educator with practical knowledge and skills to plan and implement programs, curriculum and environments for children from 2 to 36 months.
- Apply and implement suggested practices stated in Early Years Development Framework (EYDF) in the work with young children and families.
- Plan and provide quality activities to enhance holistic and optimal experiences for growth, development and learning in a safe environment.

#### **Course Duration**

Online\* Class Hours: 400 Hours
 Practicum^ Hours: 200 Hours

Total Hours: 600 Hours
Part-time Course: 16 Months

\*Synchronous E-learning ^Conducted in-person at an ECDA-licensed childcare centre

# **Entry Requirements**

#### **Singapore Qualification**

- Completed at least Secondary 4 education~;
   AND
- Attained an average SOA 5 in the WPL series, including an SOA 5 for WPL – Writing.

# **Foreign Qualification**

- Completed at least 10 years of formal education~; AND
- Attained an average SOA 5 in the WPL series, including an SOA 5 for WPL – Writing.
- ~Official documents from institution are required to show completion of 10 years of education.

## **Company-sponsored Applicants**

Apply directly to the training provider for the training grant 1 month before course commencement.

## **Self-sponsored Applicants**

Apply directly to the training provider for the training grant 1 month before course commencement.

#### **Course Fee**

Local students S\$ 7,000

## Other Fees (Non-refundable):

Application fee: \$\$ 80Materials fee: \$\$ 120



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#### **Course Modules**

- 1. Overview and Introduction to Early Years Landscape in Singapore (16 Hours)
- 2. Principles of Infant and Toddler Development (60 Hours)
- 3. Programme Planning and Pedagogy (118 Hours)
- 4. The Early Years Environment (40 Hours)
- 5. Professional Growth and Development (80 Hours)
- 6. Partnership with Families and the Community (51 Hours)
- 7. Health, Safety and Well-Being (35 Hours)
- 8. Professional Placement (200 Hours)

# **Delivery Method (E-Learning)**

- Lectures: May include discussions, quizzes, roleplays.
- Average Teacher Student Ratio: 1:30 (via Zoom)

#### **Assessment Method**

Modules will be assessed by quizzes, checklists, reflective journals, supervised practicum, written assessments or role plays.

#### **Award of Certificate**

Upon successful completion of coursework and practicum, and a minimum 80% attendance, students will be awarded the WSQ Certification -Statement of Attainment. Advanced Certificate in Early Years by SkillsFuture Singapore Agency.

## **To Apply**

Complete the Application Form and submit with:

- 1. Certified true copies of your educational certificates and transcripts in OpenCerts format,
- 2. Copy of NRIC/Work Pass, front and back,
- 3. One recent passport size photograph,
- 4. A non-refundable application fee of S\$ 80.

WSQ Advanced Certificate in Early Years (ACEY)	Singapore Citizen aged below 40 but above 21	SME-sponsored Singapore Citizen	Employer- sponsored Singapore Citizen aged above 40 (Mid-Careerist)	Singapore Permanent Resident aged below 40 but above 21	SME-sponsored Singapore Permanent Resident	Employer- sponsored Singapore Permanent Resident aged above 40 (Mid-Careerist)
Course Fee (0% GST)	S\$7,000	S\$7,000	S\$7,000	S\$7,000	S\$7,000	S\$7,000
Less: SkillsFuture Funding	\$\$3,500	S\$4,900	S\$4,900	\$\$3,500	S\$4,900	S\$4,900
Total Nett Fee Payable	S\$3,500	S\$2,100	S\$2,100	S\$3,500	S\$2,100	S\$2,100

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