

South West Region of Western Australia

Qualifications and Skills	<p>An ACECQA nationally approved certificate III level (or higher) early childhood education and care qualification.</p>
Employment Experience	<p>For applicants applying for a Temporary Skills Shortage (TSS) (subclass 482) visa:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evidence of a minimum of one year (minimum 38 hour per week if the approved qualification was undertaken in Australia) employment experience as a Child Care Worker in a regulated early childhood education and care service; or • Evidence of a minimum of two years (minimum 38 hour per week) employment experience as a Child Care Worker in a regulated early childhood education and care service. <p>For applicants applying for a Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional (Provisional) (SESR) (subclass 494) visa and Employer Nomination Scheme (ENS) (subclass 186) visa:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evidence of a minimum of three years (minimum 38 hours per week) employment experience as a Child Care Worker in a regulated early childhood education and care setting for the sponsoring employer. <p>Expected responsibilities for all visa types during the employment include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • provide education and care for babies, toddlers and children • prepare materials and equipment to support children's learning and development • provide experiences to support children's play and learning • ensure the health and safety of children • support and supervise the daily routines of children • support children to develop cooperative behaviour
Currency of Employment	<p>The employment experience can be completed while you are completing your qualification provided the employment experience was at the same skilled level.</p> <p>To ensure currency of skills, employment experience needs to have been completed within the past five years.</p>