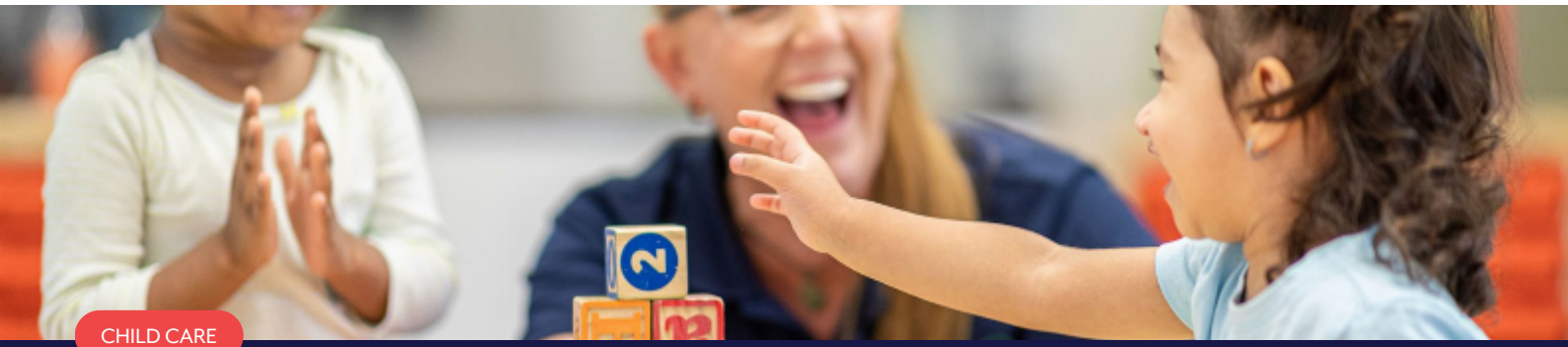


CHILD CARE

NATIONAL CODE: CHC30125

CERTIFICATE III IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CARE

Start a fulfilling journey in early childhood education with this qualification, designed to prepare you for a pivotal role in nurturing and developing young minds across Australia's diverse educational settings.

CAMPUSES

BRISBANE CAMPUS (ADELAIDE STREET 1) | GOLD COAST SOUTHPORT CAMPUS | HOBART CAMPUS

OVERVIEW

INTAKES
Monthly

DURATION
52 weeks

INDUSTRY PLACEMENT
160 hours

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
Yes

CRICOS CODE:
121278H

CONTACT HOURS
20

Entirely On-Campus

Want to get a start in business?
You need training.

Watch the Video



LAN HUONG LUU
Early Childhood Education & Care student

After completing the work placement, I received a job offer at a renowned childcare centre in Hobart. I would like to thank my trainer Adam for providing a huge amount of support and encouragement during the course.

CERTIFICATE III IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CARE

About this Course:

This Course provides you with essential skills for working in regulated children's services. You'll focus on supporting children's well-being and development within an approved learning framework, learning to care for babies and toddlers, building positive relationships and creating engaging learning experiences. The course also covers fostering children's connection with nature, observing their growth, and understanding Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures. Additionally, you'll acquire key skills in responding to children at risk, administering first aid, and ensuring workplace health and safety, preparing you to excel in various early childhood settings, whether working independently or under guidance.

What You'll Learn

- Support inclusion and diversity
- Support children's health safety and wellbeing
- Nurture babies and toddlers
- Develop positive and respectful relationships with children
- Use an approved learning framework to guide practice
- Support the holistic learning and development of children
- Provide experiences to support children's play and learning
- Support children to connect with the natural environment
- Observe children to inform practice
- Encourage understanding of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander peoples' cultures
- Meet legal and ethical obligations in children's education and care
- Work effectively in children's education and care
- Identify and respond to children and young people at risk
- Provide First Aid in an education and care setting
- Participate in workplace health and safety
- Reflect on and improve own professional practice
- Work with diverse people

Career Outcomes

CHILD CARE WORKER

ASSISTANT EDUCATOR

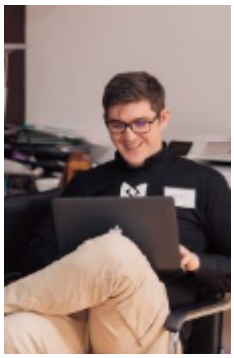
Our graduates work with industry leaders

Here's what our Early Childhood Education & Care students think

See why more than 20,000 students have chosen Charlton Brown



Zhang Jing
An effective teacher is one who directs, facilitates and manages the students' learning process. Da Teng is one of them. I like his flexible teaching style, positive belief in the ability to solve translating problems, willingness and motivation to listen and caring for students.



Rob Manz
I'm very happy with the service and education Charlton Brown provided! Alvin's teaching was fun, creative and entertaining. He likes to talk about trending topics in the class. He's also fast at answering any questions.

INTAKE DATES

2026

NOVEMBER
Monday, 02nd

DECEMBER
Monday, 07th

2027

JANUARY
Monday, 04th

FEBRUARY
Monday, 01st

MARCH
Monday, 01st

APRIL
Monday, 12th

MAY
Monday, 10th

JUNE
Monday, 07th

JULY
Monday, 12th

AUGUST
Monday, 02nd

SEPTEMBER
Monday, 06th

OCTOBER
Monday, 11th

NOVEMBER
Monday, 01st

DECEMBER
Monday, 06th

TUITION FEES (**DOMESTIC / PERMANENT RESIDENT**)

Course Name	Course Duration	Domestic / Permanent Resident	Campus Availability	Intakes
Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care	52 weeks	$4,500	BNE GLD HBT	Monthly

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

AGE	GRADE	IELTS
18	11	5.5

- **AGE**
  Minimum age of 18 years or turning 18 years old prior to commencement of the course
- **EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS**
  Year 11 Australian Senior High School Certificate, or equivalent (e.g. completion of Year 12 or High School in the students home country) with full academic results.
- **ENGLISH LANGUAGE**
  Upper-Intermediate English (equivalent to 5.5 academic or general IELTS) or successful completion of college LLND Test
- **REQUIRED IDENTIFICATION**
  Photo ID and evidence of citizenship (international students must provide copy of passport)
- **COMPUTER SKILLS & EQUIPMENT**
  Students on this course require computer access for learning purposes and to complete course assessments. As such, learners must have beginner/intermediate computing skills including use of Microsoft Office programmes, in addition to hardware requirements of a desktop or portable computer with keyboard, pointing device, speaker, web camera and microphone, and a broadband internet connection.
- **ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS**
  Students must be eligible to hold a Blue Card (must not have a criminal record). Applicants for this course must be able to make themselves available to undertake the industry placement that forms part of the training and assessment activity. Students must be fully vaccinated against COVID19 prior to undertaking placement.Specific Updates to English Language Requirements for Student VisasGeneral Student Visa: The minimum IELTS score has increased from 5.5 to 6 (or equivalent).Packaged ELICOS: The minimum IELTS score to undertake a packaged English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS) program has increased from 4.5 to 5.0.

- **FURTHER INFORMATION**
  Students who are unable to meet the academic or English language criteria may in some cases be eligble to undertake our Language, Literacy & Numeracy (LLN) test. Criteria may change at any time without notice. Additional English language requirements may apply to international applicants from non-English speaking backgrounds wishing to articulate on a visa package into a university programme. Students must be able to (and are required to) enrol, participate, demonstrate progression-of, and complete this course.

BRISBANE CAMPUS (ADELAIDE STREET 1) COURSE TRAINERS

Michelle Meng

Michelle Meng is a dedicated Early Childhood Education and Care (ECEC) Trainer based in Brisbane, Queensland. Drawing on a strong foundation of practical industry experience, Michelle is passionate about shaping the future of the early childhood workforce. She guides students through the complexities of child development, modern educational frameworks, and the practicalities of creating safe, nurturing learning environments. Known for her supportive and engaging training approach, Michelle excels at translating complex compliance and pedagogical concepts into actionable, real-world skills—empowering educators to make a meaningful, lasting impact on the lives of young learners.



Fei Yu

Bachelor of early childhood, Bachelor of Teaching, and Certificate IV in Training & Assessment.

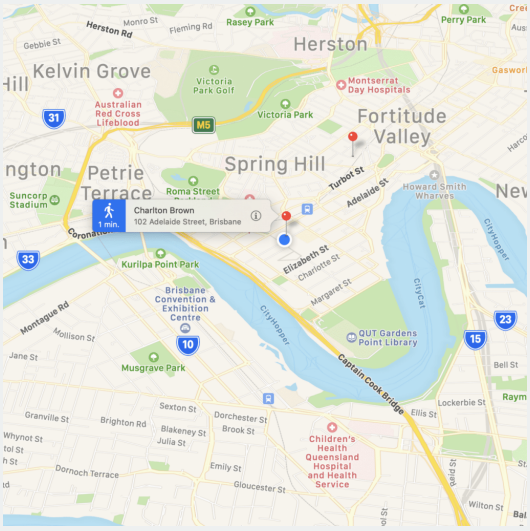
Fei has been in early childhood field for more than 40 years. During the last 40 years, Fei played different roles within the early childhood field as a director and a registered early childhood teacher. She has taught babies, toddlers, preschoolers, special needs children and refuge children. She has taught high school students and mature students studying in early childhood education and care for certificate 3 and diploma qualification in collage.

BRISBANE CAMPUS (ADELAIDE STREET 1) & FACILITIES

YOUR CAMPUS

Overlooking King George Square in the heart of Brisbane's CBD, NIET Group Brisbane Centre features 10 tutorial rooms, two lecture theatres, library and digital media lab, alongside modern computer lab & large open recreation & study spaces. The campus is just metres from major bus and train terminals, extensive retail & accommodation options.





Level 4, 102 Adelaide Street, Brisbane, 4000

SESSION LOCATIONS

BRISBANE ROOM 3

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SMART BOARD | WHITE BOARD | SEATING

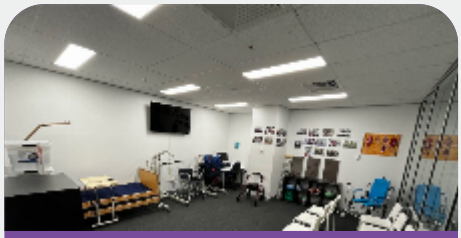
NIET Group Brisbane – Classroom 3 (Generic Classroom)
Classroom 3 is a dynamic and adaptable learning space that supports a wide range of academic and vocational programs across the NIET Group.

Designed to promote collaboration and engagement, this classroom provides an inclusive environment where students from diverse disciplines come together to learn, share ideas, and build essential skills for their future careers.

Through interactive lessons and group discussions, Classroom 3 fosters curiosity, confidence, and critical thinking — empowering students to connect theory with real-world application.

Classroom 3 embodies NIET's mission to deliver quality education that inspires excellence and prepares students for success in a global learning community.

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BRISBANE ROOM 4

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LARGE INTERACTIVE TV | WHITEBOARD | SEATING

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GOLD COAST SOUTHPORT CAMPUS COURSE TRAINERS



Nicole Hicks
I have worked in the VET industry with RTO's for the last 6 years, after working in the Early Years Learning sector for over 16 years in various roles previously.

I enjoy engaging with adult learners from around the world, and seeing their skills, confidence and knowledge develop throughout the course. In my down time – I love reading, being on the water, and travelling.

GOLD COAST SOUTHPORT CAMPUS & FACILITIES

YOUR CAMPUS

NIET Group Gold Coast – 6/8 Scarborough Street

Welcome to the heart of NIET Group's Gold Coast Campus — a bright, open, and inspiring space designed to foster connection, creativity, and community.

Bathed in natural light from floor-to-ceiling windows, the campus offers an airy, contemporary environment where students can study, collaborate, or simply relax between classes. Comfortable seating areas and flexible layouts encourage conversation and teamwork, while computer workstations along the windows provide easy access for study and research.

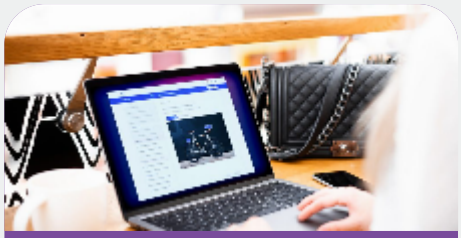
Vibrant colours and soft furnishings bring a sense of energy and comfort, creating a space that feels both professional and welcoming — a place where ideas flow as easily as friendships form.

The Gold Coast Campus embodies NIET Group's commitment to creating learning environments that empower and inspire — where every student feels supported, connected, and ready to thrive within a vibrant academic community.





SESSION LOCATIONS



AXCELERATE

ONLINE LEARNING PORTAL

Our online learning portal, aXcelerate, is where you will find your assessments and study materials – it's a fun environment to complete your *"Supervised Hours"* online as part of your self study.

It's also the place where you connect with your trainer, ask any questions and get help with your studies!

VIEW IN MAP



GOLD COAST ROOM 8

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LARGE INTERACTIVE TV | WHITEBOARD | SEATING

NIET Group Gold Coast – Classroom 8 (Generic Classroom)
NIET Group Gold Coast Centre is our coastal centre of excellence, with light-filled, spacious rooms nestled along the vibrant Queensland coastline.

Classroom 8 exemplifies this spirit — a bright, thoughtfully arranged learning space designed to enhance focus, interaction, and collaboration.

The room features a modern layout with neatly arranged desks, providing flexibility for both independent study and group activities. Front-facing seating ensures clear visibility for presentations and discussions, while the open configuration encourages communication and engagement between trainers and students.

Balanced with comfort and practicality, Classroom 8 supports a diverse range of programs and teaching styles — from lectures and workshops to interactive training sessions.

It's a space where ideas grow, confidence flourishes, and every student is inspired to achieve their best.

VIEW IN MAP

HOBART CAMPUS COURSE TRAINERS



Chloe
Awaiting Description

HOBART CAMPUS & FACILITIES

YOUR CAMPUS

NIET Group Hobart – 188 Collins Street Campus

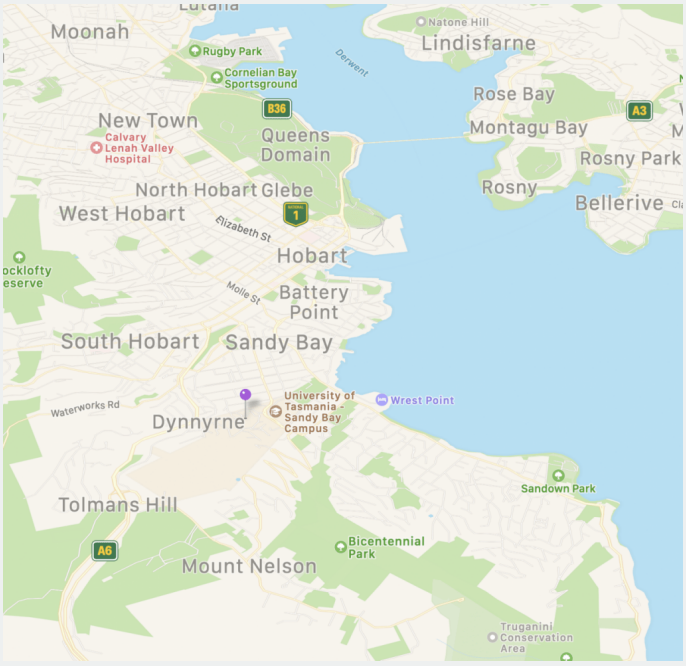
Welcome to NIET Group Hobart, located at 188 Collins Street — a campus that blends Tasmania's natural charm with NIET Group's signature approach to innovation and excellence in education.

Nestled in the heart of Hobart's city centre, this campus offers a warm, modern, and inspiring environment designed to help students learn, grow, and connect. Spacious classrooms, open study areas, and thoughtfully designed common spaces reflect our belief that education should be both practical and personal — where ideas are shared freely and ambitions take shape.

Large windows fill the campus with natural light, while soft finishes and Tasmanian design elements create a calm and welcoming atmosphere. From study sessions to lively conversations over coffee, every corner encourages collaboration and creativity.

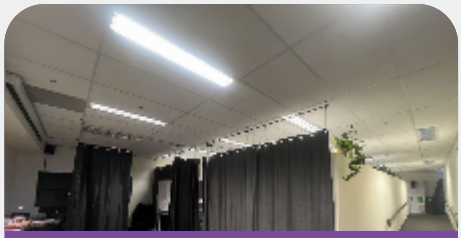
The 188 Collins Street Campus is more than just a place to study — it's a community where students from around the world come together to build skills, friendships, and futures. Here, education meets experience, and every learner becomes part of Hobart's vibrant academic and cultural life.





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SESSION LOCATIONS



HOBART ROOM 1

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MASSAGE TABLES | LOCKERS | HOT TOWER CABINETS

NIET Group Hobart – Massage Clinic (Practical Room)

Located at 188 Collins Street, the NIET Group Hobart Campus is a dynamic centre of professional training — merging modern facilities with Tasmania's distinctive character and warmth.

Our Massage Clinic (Practical Room) is purpose-built to simulate a real clinical environment, providing students with an immersive, hands-on learning experience. The space features professional-grade massage tables, ambient lighting, soothing décor, and specialized equipment that mirrors the standards of modern wellness clinics.

Here, students practice therapeutic techniques, client consultation, and treatment planning under the guidance of experienced trainers. The environment encourages precision, professionalism, and confidence — helping learners master the art and science of massage therapy while developing the interpersonal skills essential for client care and wellbeing.

The Massage Clinic exemplifies NIET Group's commitment to excellence in vocational education — combining state-of-the-art facilities, industry relevance, and a passion for nurturing skilled practitioners who are ready to excel in Australia's growing health and wellness sector.

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