

MONASH EDUCATION

# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS CERTIFICATE OF EDUCATION SUPPORT INTEGRATION AIDE/TEACHER AIDE Caulfield

A qualification that will enhance your career opportunities. This course is designed for people wishing to work with students with additional learning needs in primary, secondary and specialist schools.

# Topics

- Historical and current perspectives on educating students with additional learning needs
- The roles, responsibilities and work conditions of Education Support Staff
  Integration Aides/Teacher Aides and an understanding of the process of seeking and applying for employment in schools
- Understanding individual learning styles
- Working as part of a team with students, families and staff members
- Understanding and supporting the learning needs of students with:
  - Intellectual disabilities
  - Learning disabilities
  - Autism Spectrum Disorder
  - Physical disabilities
  - Communication difficulties
  - Sensory impairment
  - Challenging behaviours
  - Teaching and Learning
  - Literacy
  - Numeracy
- Engaging students in learning;
  - Stages of Learning
  - Curriculum and the development of Individual Learning Plans.

#### **Course Length**

This course is delivered over eight days of 6 hours per day.

#### Venue

#### Monash University, Caulfield Campus

#### Course Dates 2017

8 Saturdays 9am – 3.30pm July 22, 29, Aug 12, 19, 26, September 2, 9, 16

#### **Prerequisites**

There are no formal prerequisites for this course, however, it is essential that you possess a satisfactory level of spoken and written English and have basic computer skills.

#### Assessment

- Journal
- Class participation
- Minimum class attendance (7 days)
- 2 written assignments

## Recognition

The Certificate is recognised by the Faculty of Education to the value of 6 credit points at undergraduate level. For more information: monash.edu/ education/shortcourses/credit

## Cost

\$1,145 (\$1,029 concession) (GST free)



# **CONTACT DETAILS**

To express your interest in the course; or to find out more about short courses offered by Monash Education, please contact us.

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#### **Participant Feedback**

"I found this course to be informative and professionally delivered. The presenters provided a wealth of experience and insights into the job of an Integration Aide. I feel totally committed and motivated to seeking work in this area." Karen Woods

