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Declaration of ECCE Qualifications for ECCE Funding Agreement on the EY HIVE 2023/2024

This form must be completed by services wishing to participate in the Department of Children, Equality, Disability, Integration, and Youth (DCEDIY) Childcare ECCE Programme. The declaration must be completed and signed by the Primary Authorised User (PAU). Once this checklist is completed, please attach this Declaration Form to the ECCE Qualifications section of the EY HIVE. Your service will then be set up on the EY HIVE.

	Please tick the boxes confirming the following statements:	Please Confirm by Ticking
1	I confirm that the qualifications held by each Lead Educator who will deliver the ECCE Programme from August 2023 are on the "DCEDIY Early Years Recognised Qualifications" list or hold a DCEDIY letter of eligibility. All ECCE Lead Educators must hold a minimum qualification of a full QQI (FETAC) Level 6 award.	
2	I confirm that the qualifications held by each Educator who will deliver the ECCE Programme from August 2023 are on the "DCEDIY Early Years Recognised Qualifications" list or hold a DCEDIY letter of eligibility. All other staff working with children must hold a minimum of a full QQI (FETAC) Level 5 award.	

Signature of Primary Authorised User (PAU):_	Date:
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Once this form has been completed by the PAU please attach to the ECCE Qualifications section of the EY HIVE.