

May 2025

Re: Updated payment schedule 1st September 2025

Dear Parents,

Please find attached the updated payment schedule to reflect the 30 hours extended entitlement from 9 months and a term. As with all new schemes this may need to be reviewed in the Autumn term.

Any extra sessions will be charged at:

£90 per day 07:15 – 18:15

£58 per half day session 08:00 – 13:00 or 13:00 – 18:00

Please find below new table of monthly fees; which includes supplement charges which will apply for children claiming the 15 and 30 hours Nursery Education Grant and three year extended entitlement which is included in this table, these will be charged on a monthly basis at a rate of 1.92 per hour. Please see the Nursery consumable policy for more details.

	0-3 yrs & a term – No funding	Inclusive of funded 15 hours – 9months + 1 term and 2 year working families (half days available from toddler room upwards). Stretched hours.	Inclusive of funded 30 hours working two year olds and 9 month olds funded Stretched hours	From 3 years and a term Inclusive of funded 15 hours NEG and supplement fee of £1.80 per hour. Stretched hours	From 3 years and a term Inclusive of funded 30 hours and supplement fee of £1.80 per hour . Stretched hours
1 day	£390.00	Unavailable	Unavailable	Unavailable	Unavailable
1.5 days	£641.33	Unavailable	Unavailable	£275.86	Unavailable
2 days	£780.00	£389.91	Unavailable	£479.67	Unavailable
2.5 days	£1031.33	£576.01	Unavailable	£665.77	Unavailable
3 days	£1170.00	£779.83	£389.91	£869.59	£569.43
3.5 days	£1424.33	£965.92	£576.01	£1055.68	£755.53
4 days	£1560.00	£1169.74	£779.83	£1259.50	£959.35
4.5 days	£1811.33	£1355.84	£965.92	£1445.60	£1145.44



5 days	£19	£1649.41	£1349.26
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Please also see the link below for families for information on help towards the cost of childcare.

<https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/>

All fees will include nappies, baby wipes, baby first milks and extra curricular activities for the younger children.

As always if you do have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind Regards

Cassandra Grice

Natalie Peters

Director

Area Manager

Consumables charges

All children on funding from aged 3 will be charged a consumables charge per half day session to cover meals, snacks, wipes, art activities, cooking activities, parent workshops, clubs and outings. This ensures that all children to experience all parts of nursery life as we are an inclusive full day care setting.

The New consumable charge will be £1.92 per hour.

This should be paid on a weekly basis, for example a child attending 15 hours per week term time only would pay £28.80 per week, term time only.

If your child is attending on the 30 hours funding term time only your weekly charge would be £57.60 per week term time only.

This can be paid in cash to the office or via the bank every Monday morning but it must always be paid the week upfront.

Some families maybe entitled to Early Years Pupil Premium which can be used towards this cost for children's experiences/ activities at Nursery but you must check with the Manager that this can be claimed for your child. This can only be claimed per term so please be aware that you may not be eligible every term as this is means tested.

I have also attached our Consumables policy below for your information.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any further information.

Consumables

Policy

The Early Years Entitlement funding is intended to deliver free, high quality, flexible childcare. It is not intended to pay for the costs of meals, drinks, snacks, other consumables such as resources, extra hours or additional activities.

Where the Government funding is intended to cover the cost to deliver 15 or 30 hours per week or on the stretched offer, for which our monthly fees are based on of free high quality, flexible early education, it is not intended to cover the cost of meals, consumables, additional hours or additional services, to cover these consumables a charge of £1.80 per hour is asked to be paid for; this will be clear on your monthly invoice. As a full day care setting we cannot offer many funded hours only sessions and these are mainly taken up by our 2 year offer families, although there is some availability left open to new parents.

As we aim to be a flexible setting children accessing Nursery Education Grant Funding only, for which we have minimal spaces will be charged this consumable charge of £1.80 per hour.

This charge is waived for parents / carers in receipt of the Early Years Pupil Premium (EYPP). As an alternative to the hourly charge, we would therefore encourage parents/carers who are in receipt of benefits or whose children have been in care or adopted from care to apply for the Early Years Pupil Premium, where we can use this to support your child.

Any hours that fall outside of the funded entitlement are charged in line with our standard fees.

Under scheme rules, parents / carers registering for Early Years Entitlement-only sessions are not required to pay a deposit however a deposit will be required to access all other sessions. Early Years Entitlement sessions are offered in line with the Department of Education and Local Authority's Codes of Practice and are subject to their terms and conditions.

Please note that it is the parent's responsibility to ensure that their application for Early Years Entitlement funding is made in line with the Local Authority's requirements and termly funding forms completed and returned to the Nursery. Late, incomplete, or invalid applications may result in nursery fees being charged at our normal rates for these sessions.

If you are in receipt of 15/30 hours it is the parents responsibility to firstly make the application before the end of term deadline for the following term and to refresh your code in line with HMRC and the local authority guidelines.

Consumables at the nursery include;

Extra Curriculum activities, Meals, snacks, drinks, Wipes and pull ups, spare clothes, Clubs and outings, Cooking activities, Art activities, Parent Workshops, Sun cream, nappy cream

