



## Fees

Fees are to be paid in advance at the beginning of each month by direct debit, details of which will be given on registration. These need to be paid regardless of child's attendance due to illness or holiday. In the case of an absence, you will also not be able to "make -up" this lost day at a later date. We do accept childcare vouchers which will need to be set up through your employer giving them the registration number EY450792. Any late fees will be noted and an additional charge will be added each day (10%). These fees are effective from September 2024.

## Cost

The cost for the month will depend on your child's age...

Age	2 days	3 days	4 days	5 days
Under 2's	673 (77.70)	1010(77.70)	1312(75.70)	1640(75.70)
9 month-2yr eligible working parents	369.33	706.02	1017.55	1345.60
2 year olds	656 (75.70)	984 (75.70)	1277(73.70)	1597(73.70)
2yr eligible working parents	361.50	682.52	992.40	1311.75
Over 3's	619(71.40)	928 (71.40)	1238 (71.40)	1547(71.40)
SFF	344.65	654	963.45	1270
SFF Additional 15 hours	N/A	379.90	689.30	998.70

## SFF

Children aged 3 and 4 are all entitled to free places from the beginning of the “term” after their 3rd birthday. It has been set up by the government to provide 15 hours of free childcare a week, over a 38 week period (ie an academic school year).

Because the entitlement is for the academic year only and we are open all year round, the hours have been spread to cover the cost of a full year, so instead of the 15 free hours a week for the academic year, its 10.96 free hours a week for the entire year.

You will be able to claim SFF the term after your child’s third birthday.

Date of 3rd Birthday	Term funding starts from
January1- March 31	April 1
April 1- August 31	September 1
September 1- December 31	January 1

You do not have to do anything to apply for this funding but you will need to fill in our funding declaration form, which will be sent to you by the nursery.

### SFF Additional 15 hours

On top of the 15 hours you can also apply for an additional 15 hours, through the government childcare funding scheme, totalling a 30 hour funded place at the nursery. This additional funding is dependent on your working and financial status. It is up to the parents to contact the HMRC to find out if they are eligible for this additional funding at <https://childcare-support.tax.service.gov.uk/>.

If parents are eligible they will be given a unique eligibility code. This code, along with our funding declaration form, are needed before a funded space can be confirmed. This code will need to be reconfirmed by yourselves every three months to check eligibility. You will receive an email to remind you. There is a grace period however, failure to reconfirm eligibility is the responsibility of the parent and full fees will be charged if not successful.

### New Funding for Eligible Working Parents

From April 2024 we will be offering 15 hour funded places for 2 years olds of eligible working parents. A government funded scheme similar to the 30 hours funded places for 3 &4 years olds. The scheme will also include those from 9 months as of September 2024. To see if you are eligible please follow the link <https://childcare-support.tax.service.gov.uk/>.

### Additional Costs

The funding does not include additional classes such as yoga, spanish and music. The 30 hour funding does not include consumables such as meals. These costs have been added to the monthly fee stated.