

Sessions, Fees & Funding



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Full Day	Morning	Afternoon	Consumable charges
8am – 6pm	8am - 1.00pm	1.00pm - 6pm	Meals £1.20 per hr
£ 105.85	£70.20	£62.64	Non-food consumables £1 per hr
			Extra activities £1.00 per hr

30-hour entitlement (9-23 months)

Working families may be eligible for up to 30 hours funding over 38 weeks of the year, from the term after your child turns 9 months old. We stretch this over the full year we are open, up to 22 hours per week, every week. The following fee tables reflect monthly fees before and after this funding has been applied.

Note: All half day sessions will incur a mandatory Half Day Surcharge fee of £2.80 per hour.

	FULL DAYS		MORNINGS		AFTERNOONS		FUNDED HOURS APPLIED		
	Without funding	With funding	Without funding	With funding	Without funding	With funding	Full days		
	Mornings/Afternoons								
5	£2069.37	£1182.69	£1491.75	£461.38	£1331.10	£297.63	22 hours pw	22 hours pw	
4	£1709.48	£768.83	£1215.50	£170	£1064.88	£130.05	22 hours pw	20 hours pw	
3	£1349.59	£354.96	£911.63	£127.50	£798.66	£97.54	22 hours pw	15 hours pw	
2	£899.72	£65.03	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	20 hours pw	N/A	

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 - Monthly fees are calculated using the following calculation:
(Weekly Booking × 51 weeks) ÷ 12 months = annualised monthly invoice amount.
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Nursery fees are based on the opening hours of 8am - 6pm for full days, and 8am - 1.00pm or 1.00pm - 6pm for half days.
 - The Government guidelines state that funding is not intended to cover the costs of meals, other consumables, or additional services and therefore we have to charge a voluntary consumable fee to cover all the additional aspects of nursery life at Monkey Puzzle Regent Terrace that we pride ourselves on providing.
The consumable fee is broken down into an hourly rate of £3.20 and is included in the above "With funding" fees (applied only to the number of hours of funding eligible to your booking pattern). Our above fees also include any additional private hours outside of the funded hours; there are no additional costs hidden to fees advertised for our all-inclusive offer.
Please refer to our "Fees and Funding" document for more details.
 - A non-refundable registration fee of £75 is applicable to all wraparound care places.
 - A deposit of £325 is required for all private paid sessions (excluding funded only bookings). The deposit is refunded against your final invoice when your child leaves our nursery subject to T&Cs. Please be advised that if you withdraw your space prior to your start date the deposit will NOT be refunded.
 - We require one full calendar months' notice in writing should you wish to reduce sessions; the Nursery Manager will consider your request based on availability and minimum session requirement policy.
 - As per our terms and conditions, we reserve the right to charge interest on late payment of fees at the statutory rate calculated daily, or rate of interest set by the court (whichever is higher), plus an administration charge of £25.00. Children may be excluded from the nursery if fees remain outstanding more than 14 days beyond their due date and registration may be terminated.
 - If you require a combination of days / sessions not listed above, please speak with your Nursery Manager who will prepare a quote for you based on your requirements.
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£ 102.60	£70.20	£62.64	Non-food consumables £1-£1.50 per hr
			Extra activities £1.05-£1.50 per hr

30-hour entitlement (2-3 Year olds)

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	Without funding	With funding	Without funding	With funding	Without funding	With funding	Full days		
	Mornings/Afternoons								
5	£2005.83	£1335.14	£1519.38	£757.35	£1331.10	£541.41	22 hours pw	22 hours pw	
4	£1604.63	£933.98	£1215.50	£522.75	£1064.88	£340.00	22 hours pw	20 hours pw	
3	£1308.15	£532.82	£911.63	£392.06	£798.66	£255.00	22 hours pw	15 hours pw	
2	£872.10	£206.98	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	20 hours pw	N/A	

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The consumable fee is broken down into an hourly rate of between £2.25-£2.85 depending on session attended and/or your child's age. All half day sessions will incur a mandatory Half Day Surcharge fee of £2.80 per hour. and is included in the above "With funding" fees (applied only to the number of hours of funding eligible to your booking pattern). Our above fees also include any additional private hours outside of the funded hours; there are no additional costs hidden to fees advertised for our all-inclusive offer.
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8am – 6pm	8am - 1pm	1.00pm - 6pm	Meals £1.20-£1.50 per hr
£ 100.45	£71.50	£62.64	Non-food consumables £1-£1.50 per hr
			Extra activities £0.85- £1.05 per hr

30-hour entitlement (3 & 4-year-olds)

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	Mornings/Afternoons								
5	£1963.88	£1507.31	£1491.75	£962.54	£1331.10	£801.89	22 hours pw	22 hours pw	
4	£1622.23	£1149.88	£1193.40	£712.30	£1064.88	£583.78	22 hours pw	20 hours pw	
3	£1280.74	£744.34	£895.05	£534.23			22 hours pw	15 hours pw	
2	£853.83	£400.35	N/A	N/A			20 hours pw	N/A	
1	N/A	N/A							

15 hours entitlement (3 & 4-year olds only)

If you're not eligible for the 30 hours entitlement, then from the term following your child's 3rd birthday they will automatically be entitled to Universal 15 hours of funding over 38 weeks of the year. We stretch this over the full year we are open to 11 hours per week, every week. The following fee tables reflect monthly fees before and after this funding has been applied.

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4	£1622.23	£1444.36	£1215.50	£940.95	£1064.88	£800.28	11 hours pw	11 hours pw
3	£1280.74	£1086.26	£911.63	£642.60	£798.66	£535.05	11 hours pw	11 hours pw
2	£853.83	£635.97	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	11 hours pw	N/A

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 The consumable fee is broken down into an hourly rate of £3.85 (this may vary depending in the sessions booked) with consumable fees not exceeding £4 per hour, and is included in the above "With funding" fees (applied only to the number of hours of funding eligible to your booking pattern). Our above fees also include any additional private hours outside of the funded hours; there are no additional costs hidden to fees advertised for our all-inclusive offer.
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