

Our Fees



(Current as of 1st April 2019)

Day Nurseries

	Long am 8 – 12:45	Long pm 1:15 - 6	Full day 8 – 6	Preschool AM / PM session	School day 9-3	After School 3 – 6
0-36 mths	£35.50	£35	£58	£17.25*	£39.50	/
Over 36 mths	£33.50	£32.50	£55	£17.25	£38.25	£12**

* Only available to children claiming 2 year old funding

** After School sessions are open to children aged between 5 – 8 years old only, who attend the local school or who have siblings attending the setting – please ask the nursery manager for further details.

After-School sessions are available at the following nurseries -

Nursery	Collection From
Burgess Road	Basset Green School
Howard Road	Springhill School
Quob Lane	St James

All prices for under 3's include nappies, wipes and nappy sacks.

Prices for unfunded sessions include all applicable meals -

Full Day	lunch, tea, morning and afternoon snack
AM	lunch, morning snack
PM	tea, afternoon snack
School Day	lunch, snacks
Preschool Sessions	snacks

Meals for funded sessions are charged as extras

Prices for additional items

	Additional Hour	Lunch	Lunch + 1 hour	Breakfast + ½ hour	Breakfast + ¼ hour	Tea
All ages	£5.25	£3.15	£8.40	£3.95	£2.60	£1.35

The nurseries are open for 51 weeks of the year. We are closed for 1 week between Christmas and New Year and bank holidays, for which no fees are levied.

We are also closed for 2 staff in-service training days. There is no reduction in fees for these closures, for family holidays or for non-attendance due to sickness.

Long morning, afternoon and full day sessions run all year.

Preschool sessions and school days run term time only but it is sometimes possible to buy extra days in the school holidays. Preschool session times vary between nurseries, please see our application form for details.

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Preschools

	AM / PM 3 hour session	School day (9 – 3)	Hourly rate additional time
Under 3s	£13.25	£26.75	£4.75
Over 3s	£12	£24.75	£4.25

Note: Children staying for “lunch club” need to be provided with their own lunch box. We encourage healthy eating. Our team will be pleased to share our healthy lunch box ideas with you – please ask.

Out-of-School Clubs

Before School	£5
After School	£12

Sessions are available Monday – Friday during school term-time.

Before School (*Portswood School Only*) 7:40 – 9:00
After School 3:30 – 6:00

General

Government Funding: From the term after your child is 3 he/she is eligible for up to 570 hours of “universal” government funded care with us. This may be taken as 15 hours per week for 38 weeks of the year in all of our preschools or 11 hours “stretched” across 51 weeks in our day nurseries, according to availability.

Paint Pots provides additional “extended” 570 hours funded care for eligible children aged 3 years and over from working families.

Terms and conditions apply for both our universal and extended hours offerings – please ask regarding eligibility, available booking patterns and consumables charges for unrestricted sessions.

In our preschools, we offer the option of 30 hours a week across 38 funded weeks – according to the timetable on the information page of our website.

The option for term-time only provision is limited in our day nurseries. The choice of hours and days of stretched sessions is subject to availability.

Carers are responsible for payment for any meals and consumable items provided and for any additional hours taken outside of funded sessions. For example, there is no charge for the 6

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hour education element of a funded school day but a charge of £3.15 is payable should a nursery lunch be required.

Consumables Charges

The charges below are levied in respect of all unrestricted government funded sessions booked for eligible children aged 3 years and above.

	Universal (‘15 hours’)	Extended (‘30 hours’)
Term Time Only Bookings, 38 weeks a year	£5	£10
Full Time or Stretched Bookings, 51 weeks a year	£4	£8

Standard Payment Terms: Fees are invoiced monthly in advance and are due for payment by the 1st of the month. A £20 charge is levied to cover administration for any payments received after this date without prior notification.