



# Preschool Fees

## From 1st April 2025

	AM/PM 3 Hour Sessions	School Day 9am-3pm	Additional Hour	8:30am- 3:30pm	8am- 3:30pm
Under 3s	<b>£19.02</b>	<b>£38.05</b>	<b>£9</b>	<b>£47.05</b>	<b>£52.22</b>
Over 3s	<b>£17.21</b>	<b>£35.05</b>	<b>£8.50</b>	<b>£43.55</b>	<b>£48.44</b>

## Consumables and Enhanced Provision

Funding Claimed	Charge
<b>Up to 15 Hours</b>	<b>£7.59</b>
<b>Up to 30 Hours</b>	<b>15.18</b>

**Fees:** Please refer to the fee schedule ('Fee Schedule') for the breakdown of the fees (which may be amended in accordance with 'Increase in fees' in clause 8 below)

Full-time sessions shall be charged for 51 weeks, term-time sessions for 38 weeks per year. All fees for the Services shall be payable in advance by 1st of each month to a bank account allocated by us by Direct Debit. All fees quoted are per child. Please note we do not accept payment by cheque or cash.

If eligible, payment by other methods (Tax-Free Childcare transfers, childcare vouchers) are welcome. Please contact us at [accounts@paintpotsnursery.co.uk](mailto:accounts@paintpotsnursery.co.uk) for further details on how to do this.

No fees will be charged for the settings for 1-week closure between Christmas and New Year and bank holidays in England.

Invoices shall be sent to you electronically through email. It is essential that you quote your invoice reference number and the setting your child is attending for all payments and where applicable, any funding code. If paying by Tax-Free Childcare please advise us in advance of your payment reference number so we can identify your payment and credit the correct account.

For any information on fees and discounts please contact us.

**There shall be no reduction in fees for:**

- **Training:** we are closed for 2 days/year for staff in-service training days.
- **Non-attendance:** this can include without limitation non-attendance due to family holidays, sickness.
- **Lack of accessibility to funding:** if you receive funding and for any reason you no longer have access to that funding, you will be responsible to cover for any fees payable to us. Please note, your eligibility for funding may change where you have spent more than 2 weeks outside the country.

**Consumable and Enhanced Contribution**

At Paint Pots, we are committed to providing every child with a high-quality early years' experience. To achieve this, we offer an enhanced, all-inclusive environment where children can enjoy a wide range of resources, experiences, and care items that go beyond the statutory requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS).

Our invoices fully comply with the Department for Education and Local Authority guidelines for 2025–2026, including the provision for voluntary contributions towards consumables and enhanced experiences. These contributions are not a condition of accessing a funded place; your child's free entitlement hours remain completely free of charge. However, as Government funding covers only the basic cost of education and care, these voluntary contributions enable us to continue offering the additional experiences, resources, and enriching opportunities that help us deliver an exceptional early year's environment for your children.

As a registered charity, every penny of your contribution is reinvested directly into the provision for children, supporting their learning, play, and development, and not used for shareholders or owners.