

We know that understanding nursery funding can feel a little overwhelming at first – but don't worry! We've broken down all of our funding models and fees to help you find the option that best suits your family's needs. Whether you're looking for full-year care, term-time-only sessions, or something flexible in between, we're here to support you every step of the way.

#### **Our Opening Times**

We're here to provide safe, engaging, and nurturing care for your child throughout the day. You can choose the hours that work best for your routine.

· Non-Funded Full Day: 7:30 AM - 6:00 PM

• Funded Day: 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM

· Optional Extras:

o Early drop-off from 7:00 – 7:30 AM(OR) 7.30-8.00: £10 o Extra early drop-off from 7:00 – 8:00 AM: £15 o Later pick-up from 6:00 – 6:30 PM: £10

#### Standard Daily Fees (for non-funded days)

Age Group	Full Day Fee
Under 2s	£78.50
2-3 Years	£77.00
3-5 Years	£75.00

#### Our Funding Models - Choose What Fits Your Family Best

Below are the six variations of funded sessions we offer here at Rooftops. We try our hardest to offer a variety of funding models to suit different schedules and needs. If you're unsure which one is right for you, our team is always happy to help guide you through the options.

### MODEL 1: 30 Hours Term-Time Funding - Full Year Place (Minimum 2 to 5 Days a Week)

This model is ideal for families looking for regular care throughout the whole year.

- · Funding: 30 funded hours per week for 38 weeks (term-time)
- $\cdot$  Remaining 13 weeks and bank holidays: Charged at our standard daily rate
- · Meals Package: £15 per funded day (includes all meals and snacks)
- · Extra Days: Available and charged at our standard full-day rate

# MODEL 2: 20 Hours of Stretched Funding - 2 Days Per Week (Full-Year Place)

Great for families needing just two days per week that are in receipt of 30 hours funding, with costs spread evenly across the year.

- · Funding: 20 hours per week stretched over 51 weeks
- · Christmas Week: Charged at full rate (billed in December)
- · Bank Holidays: Not charged if funded day falls on these
- · Meals Package: £15 per day
- · Additional Days: Can be booked and charged at the full-day rate

### MODEL 3: Stretched 30-Hour Funding - 3 or More Days Per Week (Full-Year Place)

Perfect for families looking for more regular childcare with maximum use of stretched funding.

- **Funding**: Around 22.5 hours per week over 51 weeks (may vary slightly by local authority)
- Typically covers 2 fully funded days + 1 additional day at a discounted rate
  Christmas Week: Charged at full rate (billed in December)
- · Bank Holidays: Not charged if funded day falls on these
- · Meals: £15 per day for funded days; third day (including meals) is £66
- · Average Weekly Cost: Around £96
- · Extra Days: Charged at the standard rate

## MODEL 4: 15-Hour Term-Time Only Funded Sessions (Limited Availability)

This is our most flexible, no-cost funded model – only available for parents in receipt of 15 hours childcare

- · Hours: 1:00 PM 4:00 PM, Monday to Friday (during term time)
- · Includes: Healthy afternoon snack at no cost
- · Additional Hours (if space allows): £10 per hour

# MODEL 5: Pre-School Only - Term Time Only 30 Hours (Limited Availability)

Designed to support children in their final years before school with longer funded days.

- · Funding: 30 hours per week for 38 term-time weeks
- · 4 Full Days: 8:30 AM 4:00 PM
- · Meals Fee: £10 per day
- · Extra Days: Available at the full daily rate



## MODEL 6: Universal 15 Hours term time funding-full year place (2 Days Per Week

This model gives you flexibility and great value with a gentle start to nursery life. For the minimum requirement of 2 full days a week you are looking at roughly £73 per week.

- · One 10-hour day: Fully funded + £15 for meals and extended care
- · One 5-hour day: Funded + £8 top-up for meals and extras
- · One half-day: £50
- · Extra Days: Charged at the standard rate

#### Meals & Extras

We pride ourselves on offering healthy, locally sourced, balanced meals and snacks that children enjoy.

· Full Day Meals Package: £15

(Includes breakfast, lunch, tea, and two healthy snacks)

· Pre-School Funded Day Meals: £10

(Lunch and snacks)

· Additional Hours (outside funding): £12 per hour

#### Things to keep in mind

- · Christmas Week & Bank Holidays: We are closed, but fees still apply for full-year contracts unless stated otherwise.
  - · If Your Child Leaves the Nursery Early: Models 1, 2 & 3 are based on full-year contracts (September to August). Leaving early may affect how funding is allocated and could result in a charge.
  - · Limited Spaces: Some models (especially term-time only options) have restricted availability please ask us early to secure your spot.
  - -Models 1,2, and 3 Christmas week and Bank holidays will be charged at full price if your child is booked in on these days.

#### We're Here to Help

If you're unsure which model is best for your family, or want to talk through your funding options in more detail, we're always happy to chat! We believe in transparent pricing and making nursery a joyful, enriching experience for your child – and simple and stress-free for you.

