

Clarence House Nursery Papworth

Fees

Fees are usually set annually – the fees below apply from April 2026.

Sessions	All ages
Full week inc. morning snack, lunch and tea (5 days, 8.30am – 5.30pm)	£258.75 Only £51.75 a day!
Full day session inc. morning snack, lunch and tea (8.30am – 5.30pm)	£54.00
Flexi Sessions minimum 3 hours between 7.30am and 6.00pm	£6.50/hour
Hourly rate (extra sessions, early start & late finish)	£6.50/hour

We are open 7.30am - 6.00pm.

Breakfast is served between 7.30am and 8.30am and is included in an early start session.

A non-refundable Registration Fee of £30 is payable for each child registered (except for the children attending Funded Only Sessions). The Registration Fee includes a free drawstring bag, t-shirt and water bottle.

Where a child's start date is more than 6 months after the date of registration, parents may choose to pay a Holding Fee of £150 to secure the place until the child starts attending the nursery. This fee will be credited against the child's standard deposit (if required) or refunded once the child starts attending if they are attending Funded Only Sessions. If the child does not start attending as agreed, the holding fee will be non-refundable. If the holding fee is not paid, the nursery will not reserve the place, and parents should contact the nursery approximately two months before the intended start date to check availability.

A monthly Administration Fee is £1.50. It will be charged on the first chargeable invoice of the month. This will not be charged on children attending Funded Only Sessions (where there is no fee due) or any extra sessions after the first chargeable invoice.

A refundable deposit of two weeks' fees is payable prior to starting. The deposit is not applicable to children attending Funded Only Sessions.

Fees are calculated on the actual sessions booked in the month – we do not charge for one week at Christmas when we are closed.

Please see the full Terms and Conditions attached to the Registration Pack for more details.

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Payments

We accept (with a deposit of two weeks' fees) payment by internet bank transfer. In exceptional circumstances we will accept payment by Bank, Credit or Debit card or cash. This might incur an additional charge. We are registered to accept payments via the Government Tax-Free Childcare Scheme as well as many corporate voucher schemes.

Early Years funding

Your child might be entitled to 15 or 30 free funded sessions per week (see the brochure). These sessions are funded only for 38 weeks in a year (school term times).

At CHDN we offer sessions that are stretched over the whole year. If your child is entitled to 15 hours of funded sessions, you can use them as 11 hours per week for the whole year. If your child is entitled to 30 hours of funded sessions a week, you can use them as 22 hours per week for the whole year.

For clients wishing to attend for more hours than their funding entitlement, your funded hours will be deducted from the sessions listed above.

Should you wish to attend FUNDED ONLY SESSIONS, here are some example session patterns:

Funded hours	Sessions
15 hours Funded Only Sessions Term Time only	3 hours x 5 days 9am to 12pm or 1pm to 4pm or 6 hours x 2 days 9am to 3pm & 1 sessions of 9am to 12pm or 1pm to 4pm
11 hours Funded Only Sessions stretched all year round over 51 weeks	5.5 hours x 2 days 9:30am to 3pm or 3.5 hours x 3 days of 9am to 12:30pm or 1pm to 4:30pm or 2.75 hours x 4 days 9:15am to 12pm or 1pm to 3:45pm
30 hours Funded Only Sessions Term Time only	6 hours x 5 days 9am to 3pm or 3 full days 8.30am to 5.30pm & 1 session of 9am to 12pm or 1pm to 4pm
22 hours Funded Only Sessions stretched all year round over 51 weeks	5.5 hours x 4 days 9:30am to 3pm or 7.25 hours x 3 days 8:45am to 4pm or 2 full days 8:30am to 5:30pm & 1 session of 9.00am to 1pm or 1pm to 5:00pm

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There are no top-up fees or compulsory extras in order for children to attend free funded sessions.

Children attending Funded Only Sessions are exempt from the Registration Fee, the Administration Fee and the deposit.

Meals and snacks are provided for Funded Only Sessions lasting longer than 3 hours. Shorter Funded Only Sessions (up to 3 hours) do not include meals due to the duration of the session.

How to book a 'show around' at our nursery

To make an **appointment to visit** the nursery please call **07864 737363** or email info@chdn.co.uk.