30 Hour Free Childcare

The Government are offering 30 Hour free childcare to families who are eligible.

**You may be eligible if your family meet the following:**

* both parents are working (or the sole parent is working in a lone parent family) **AND**
* each parent earns, on average, a weekly minimum equivalent to 16 hours at national minimum wage or national living wage, **OR**
* one or both parents is either on maternity/paternity or adoption leave; or where one parent has substantial caring responsibilities and is in receipt of carers allowance, or where one parent is employed and one is disabled or incapacitated based on receipt of specific benefits.

If you feel you are eligible please follow the link below to apply. There is also a lot more information on the website. When you have registered and have a valid code, please complete the details overleaf and return to school as soon as possible.

[**https://www.gov.uk/30-hours-free-childcare**](https://www.gov.uk/30-hours-free-childcare)

**When to apply**

You can apply from when your child is 2 years and 36 weeks old.

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| **When you child turns 3** | **Whey they can get 30 hours from** | **Recommended time to apply** | **Deadline to apply** |
| 1 September to 31st December | Term starting on or after 1st January | 15th October to 30 November | 31st December  |
| 1st January to 31st March | Term starting on or after 1st April | 15th January to 28th February  | 31st March |
| 1st April to 31st August  | Term starting on or after 1st September  | 15th June to 31st July  | 31st August |

**Please remember to apply in time as we will not be able to offer 30 hours without a valid code.**

Many thanks

Mrs Simcott

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* My Child is entitled to 30 hours free childcare funding and the details are below :

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| Child’s Name: | Child’s Date of Birth: | Postcode: |  |
| Parent’s Name: | Parent’s Date of Birth: | Parent’s National Insurance Number: | 30 Hour Code: |
| Parent’s Contact Number: | Parent’s Email Address: |

**\*All of the information above is required in order to proceed with your claim\***

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Carer) Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_