



Nursery Funding Information



15 hours of Universal Free Early Education for
3 and 4 year olds



All 3 year olds become entitled to 15 hours of Free Early Education from the Government from the beginning of the term after their third birthday. Your childcare provider will register for this on your behalf.

As a rule, this is when children start in either Ladybirds or Butterflies at Little Badgers Nursery- if there is space!

Ladybirds - All day Monday and Tuesday, 9am - 3pm, and Wednesday morning, 9am - 12pm

Butterflies - Wednesday afternoon, 12pm - 3pm and all day Thursday and Friday, 9am - 3pm

We will also consider a child starting in the nursery immediately after they turn 3 but only **if** there is a space **and** if parents are willing to pay in advance 15 hours for each week remaining in the term.

| Child born between | Can have a free place from |
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| 1 September 2014 to 31 December 2014 | January 2018 (Spring) |
| 1 January 2015 to 31 March 2015 | April 2018 (Summer) |
| 1 April 2015 to 31 August 2015 | September 2018 (Autumn) |

30 hours of Free Early Education for 3 and 4 year olds



There are a limited number of places available in Little Badgers Nursery to those children whose parents qualify for the 30 hours of free childcare being offered by the Government.

This means that your child would attend Nursery full time on a Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9am - 3pm (Bumblebees)

If you are interested in this option please follow this link for more information and to see if you are eligible.

<https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/people-and-community/family-information-service/choosing-childcare-for-children-and-young-people/paying-for-childcare/free-early-education-for-3-and-4-year-olds>

15 hours FEET funding for 2 year olds

We can also accommodate a small number of 15 hour places for 2 year olds starting in the term after their second birthday. If you think you might be eligible for FEET funding please follow the link for more guidance or call into the Sure Start Centre for more information.

<https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/people-and-community/family-information-service/choosing-childcare-for-children-and-young-people/paying-for-childcare/free-early-education-for-2-year-olds-feet>

In the event that our 2 year old places cannot be filled by FEET funded children, they will be offered as 15 hour paid places to children of this age. This is to be paid termly in advance.