

Early Years Funding

Bourton On The Water Day Nursery is able to offer all elements of funding from the term after a child turns nine months old if they are eligible.

It is the parents responsibility to ensure that they are regularly reviewing and checking that their codes are still valid and ensuring that they update the nursery if there are any changes.

The nursery management team will work with parents to seek solutions should they become ineligible to allow them to continue to access care.

Here at Bourton On The Water Day Nursery, we are unable to offer term time only spaces, and in order to ensure that parents do not then receive any large bills we stretch our funding over the whole year. We are able to split funding and will work with parents on a case by case basis to ensure they get the best value for the funding that they receive.

We will offer funded spaces within all of our core sessions (8am-1pm, 1pm-6pm or full days), with a higher priority for these sessions being when numbers are lower.

We have **voluntary** food charges for funded sessions of

£7.50 for a full day

£4.30 for a morning

£3.25 for an afternoon.

This covers the supply and preparation of all meals, including provisions for those who have specific dietary needs. Here at Bourton On The Water Day Nursery we will work with parents in relation to dietary needs and discourage lunchboxes due to the high number of children with allergies.

We do offer an extra curricular music session on a Monday morning that carries a **voluntary** £1 a week charge.

We do offer an early start for a limited amount of children that would not be covered by funding.

Children accessing fully funded sessions will not be charged any holding fees, and those who do chose to access more than the funded sessions any holding fees are then deducted from their first invoices.

Sessions

Here at Bourton On the Water Day Nursery we offer sessions Monday – Friday (excluding bank holidays). Session times are 8am-1pm, 1pm-6pm or 8am-6pm.

Funding can be accessed during all of our sessions and is stretched across the whole year. For example, if a child attends three mornings each week and is entitled to the 30 hours funding would be allocated for all the child's sessions.

If a child attends three full days (30 hours) the funding is stretched to cover 22.35 hours each week. The remaining sessions are then chargeable at our usual hourly rates.