

Fees

£20 for half day session*

£35 for full day session. *

*Subject to change

These fees apply to Parents who are not eligible for Funding, or any extra hours over the Government 15 hours if you are not eligible for 30 hours.

Funded Early Education

We are registered with Havering Council to offer funded early education. If your child is funded, you will need to complete and sign the Parental Declaration Form to confirm that funded entitlement can be claimed on your behalf, with relevant copies of identification such as birth certificate and passport.

At Chandlers Chatters we offer the following entitlements:

Funded Early Education for two-year-olds.

Families receiving additional forms of Government support can apply for 15 hours Funding

Eligible working parents of 2-year-olds can access 15 hours funded early education and childcare from the term after their child's 2nd birthday

Funded Early Education for 3–4-year-olds.

3–4-year-olds are eligible for Free Government funding for 15 hours from the term after their child's 3rd Birthday. Working Families can apply for 30-hour funding if they meet the eligibility criteria.

From Sept 2025, the offer will be rolled out in full, with eligible working parents of children aged 9 months and above able to access 30 hours funded early education and childcare (over 38 weeks a year) from the term following their child turning 9 months. **(However, we only accept children from 2 years of age)**

To check what you are entitled to please visit

www.childcarechoices.co.uk

Early Years Pupil Premium

EYPP provides additional funding to settings to support children's learning and development. This can be used for extra equipment, resources, or additional training for staff. Your child may be eligible if you are in receipt of some income related benefits or if your child is looked after by the local authority, adopted from care, has left care through a special guardianship arrangement, or has left care and is subject to a child arrangement order.

If you think you may be eligible, you can use the EYPP application form on page 3 of the funded early education declaration form. You will be asked to sign this form each funded period to access your funded entitlement with your early year's provider. All you need to do is fill in this page of the form and (Provider Name) will then process the details. Any information you share will be completely confidential and this will not affect any benefits you.

Tax-Free Childcare

At Chandlers Chatters Playgroup/Preschool we accept Tax-Free Childcare. Parents can check eligibility and apply for Tax Free Childcare via www.childcarechoices.gov.uk. Tax Free Childcare is the system that is has replaced the previous childcare voucher scheme.

You can get up to £500 every 3 months (up to £2,000 a year) for each of your children to help with the costs of childcare. This goes up to £1,000 every 3 months if a child is disabled (up to £4,000 a year).

Parents can check eligibility and apply for Tax Free Childcare via www.childcarechoices.gov.uk. You'll need to set up an online childcare account for your child. For every £8 you pay into this account, the government will pay in £2 to use to pay your provider.

You can get Tax-Free Childcare at the same time as funded childcare if you're eligible for both.

This is only for paid childcare and not funded. If you accept payment via childcare vouchers (where a working parent's employer is signed up to a scheme), or if you are registered with HMRC to be paid by Tax-Free Childcare, let parents know that they can pay you using these methods. Payments via Tax-Free Childcare can be used until a child is 11 years old!

Notice Periods

We require a 4 week notice period in writing from Parents to cancel their childcare place or reduce their childcare hours. If 4 weeks' notice is not given Funded and non-funded children will be asked to pay the terms fees.