



THE COTTAGE NURSERY and NURSERY SCHOOL

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Nursery Fees Update April 2026

Children in Receipt of the 30 Hour Working Parents Grant (Up to 3 Years Old)

Please note these fees apply from the term after your child turns 9 months old up to including the term in which your child turns 3 years old.

Session	Private Hrs Per Week	Chargeable Extras Per Week	Total Fees Per Week
Full Time	£174.00	£32.00	£206.00
Full Time Term Time (38 wks)	£152.50	£42.00	£194.50
2 Days	£0.00	£28.00	£28.00
3 Days	£65.25	£32.00	£97.25
4 Days	£130.00	£32.00	£162.00

Children in Receipt of the 30 Hour Working Parents Grant (Over 3 Years Old)

Please note these fees apply from the term after which your child turns 3 years old.

Session	Private Hrs Per Week	Chargeable Extra Per Week	Total Fees Per Week
Full Time	£151.50	£32.00	£183.50
Full Time Term Time (38 wks)	£152.50	£42.00	£194.50
2 Days	£0.00	£28.00	£28.00
3 Days	£65.25	£32.00	£97.25
4 Days	£124.25	£32.00	£156.25

Children in Receipt of the 15 Hour Early Years Grant (Over 3 Years Old)

Please note these fees apply from the term after which your child turns 3 years old.

Session	Private Hrs Per Week	Chargeable Extras Per Week	Total Fees Per Week
Full Time	£244.00	£16.00	£260.00
Full Time Term Time (38 wks)	£256.75	£21.00	£277.75
2 Days	£70.75	£16.00	£86.75
3 Days	£147.50	£16.00	£163.50
4 Days	£205.25	£16.00	£221.25

Children Not in Receipt of Any Grant

Session	Fees Per Week
Full Time	£312.00
Full Time Term Time (38 wks)	£360.00
2 Days	£155.00
3 Days	£237.50
4 Days	£285.00
Extra Ad Hoc Day Session	£79.00

Notes on Fees

1. All Fees are per week unless otherwise stated.
2. Rates for more complex places are available upon request.
3. Chargeable extras are fully explained in our Chargeable Extras Policy, which you received upon admission to the nursery. It is also available by request from the office.
4. Only one type of place can be taken, different places cannot be mixed.
5. The full time place may be taken as term time subject to availability. No other places can be taken as term time.
6. Children become eligible to receive the grant from the term after which they turn 9 months old. Parents must apply for the grant with the government and complete the grant form provided by the nursery with their eligibility information for us to claim the grant.
7. If you are not eligible for the 30 hours grant, then you will automatically receive 15 hours universal grant the term after which your child turns 3 years old.
8. 30 hours free childcare as provided by the government for 38 weeks of the year (means tested). This is stretched over the 50 weeks the nursery is open and so provides 22.8 hours per week. Except for the term time place which is not stretched and so is 30 hours per week. This is 11.4 hours per week for the 15-hour grant when stretched over the 50 weeks.

Chargeable Extras for Grant Places

At Clarendon Cottage School we strive to deliver high quality childcare filled with enriching educational experiences and enhancements, whether that be in a child's funded time with us or during any privately paid hours. Section A1.32 of Department of Education Statutory guidance specifically states that in all instances "Government funding is not intended to cover costs of meals, other consumables, additional hours or additional services". A1.33 further states that charges can be made for the following extras in connection with the hours; consumables to be used by the child, meals and snacks, extra optional activities such as events, celebrations, specialist tuition or other activities not directly related or necessary for the effective delivery of the EYFS statutory framework.

As such the nursery makes the following charges for the funded hours (22.8 hrs per week for an all-year-round place or 30 hours per week for a term time place, 11.4 per week for a 15-hour place). These charges are already included in the weekly total.

- Food £9.00 per day (includes breakfast, snack, lunch and light tea)
- Extra Curricular Activities £2.50 per day (includes Jo Jingles, Lingotots, Gym Club)
- Additional Services £2.50 per day
- Total chargeable extras £14.00 per day for grant funded days

Please refer to the Chargeable Extras Policy for a detailed breakdown.