

10.15 Schedule of Fees 2026

Deposit/Booking Fee:

£100.00 - This fee is payable on registration to reserve your child's place, cover admin costs and settling in visits, and applies to all bookings.

Daily rate examples (no Early Education Funding):

Our standard day (Monday to Friday) is 8:45am – 16:15pm

Busy Bees: £74.29 daily including food (0-2 years)

Caterpillars and Butterflies: £71.51 daily including food (2-5 years)

Daily Fees not covered by childcare support:

Non-funded extra hours, hourly rate: £9.63

Food charges: for funded places – Lunch @ £3.50 and snacks @ £2.00 each – No packed lunch due to allergies.

e.g., 2x snacks and lunch in a day = £7.50 per day

Consumables charge: for funded hours @ £1 per funded hour. So 15 hours per week @ £1 per hour = £15.00 etc.

Early starts if required (Monday-Friday): Available every day from 8am including breakfast £10.00

Late finishes (Tuesday, & Wednesday): Up to 5.30pm £13.00 including tea.

Other charges:

Unusual hours with no funding:

e.g. 10 – 2 is 4 hours charged at the hourly rate of £9.63 plus lunch and snack = £44.02

12 – 4.15 is 4.25 hours charges hourly@ £9.63 plus lunch and snack = £46.43

Term Time places: (not funded places): we have a retainer fee of £10 per day booked. So if your booking is for 2 days per week you will be charged £10 per day to hold the place during the holiday breaks rather than the full day rate. £20 instead of £143.04 in the main rooms, or £148.54 in the Busy Bees baby room.

Late payment fee: £70, plus daily interest of 3% above Bank of England base rate charged on the outstanding amount.

Funded Childcare Places:

Where your child has a Early Education Funding place – 15 or 30-hours term time, 11 or 22 hours stretched across the year – depending on your claim you will be charged for meals taken each session, and a voluntary contribution for consumables. Consumables cover wipes, sun cream, sudacrem, use of the minibus, trips out with a high ratio of staff, extra-curricular activities, ice creams/lollies in the hot weather, paddling pools, hot chocolate on trips to the woods, equipment, tables and chairs, and many other items not covered by the childcare support funding or in the EYFS (Early Years Foundation Stage).

Bank Details for payment: Woodpeckers Nursery Ltd

Woodpecker Nursery Ltd - Account: 51313371 - Sort code: 40-43-23

Jeff and Deirdre are more then happy to discuss the above details.