PLAYWAM

Reg. Charity No: 1206675

Free Places 2026/27

Playwam is a non-profit charity organisation and as such we budget to break even each year. This enables us to keep our fees as low as possible. The amount of funding received from the government is considerably less than it costs to run a session. The fees enable us to remain sustainable and without which we wouldn't be able to continue operating.

Most families choose to opt for our part-funded / part-fee paying offer which allows their child to access our full enriched curriculum and longer morning sessions. We offer enhanced staff to child ratios, a high calibre of well-qualified staff including fully qualified teachers, a large and airy well-maintained hall and garden, and many additional activities to enhance your child's time at our setting.

Children in part-funded/part-fee-paying places enjoy a variety of enrichment activities such as:

-Weekly music lessons & end of term concert
-French lessons
-Wiggle Tiggles
-Music & movement sessions
-12.30pm finish time
-Footie Tots
-Nature Club
-Local outings
-Seasonal celebrations
-Special visitors from our community

Parents in receipt of government funding may request a completely free place. These sessions run Monday to Friday, 8:30am–11:30am, during term time only and do not include the addition time and enrichment extras listed above.

Free places will remain in place until the end of each term in which they are taken up. Parents will need to confirm they are opting out of a fee-paying place for the following term four weeks in advance of the end of each term.

All places are subject to availability and all children will join our waiting list upon registering. We also request that all parents (whether taking up a free or fee-paying place) provide their child's own snack, nappies, wipes and nappy sacks.

Families in receipt of FRAS funding (i.e. families in receipt of additional government support e.g. low income, DLA or a looked after child) or children receiving the Early Years Pupil Premium may be entitled to alternative provision including access to a discretionary bursary to cover additional costs. Please contact us for more information.