

CHILDREN'S NURSERIES

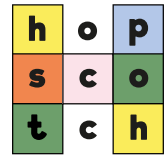
Nursery Fees and Funding September 2025

Hopscotch Brighton & Hove

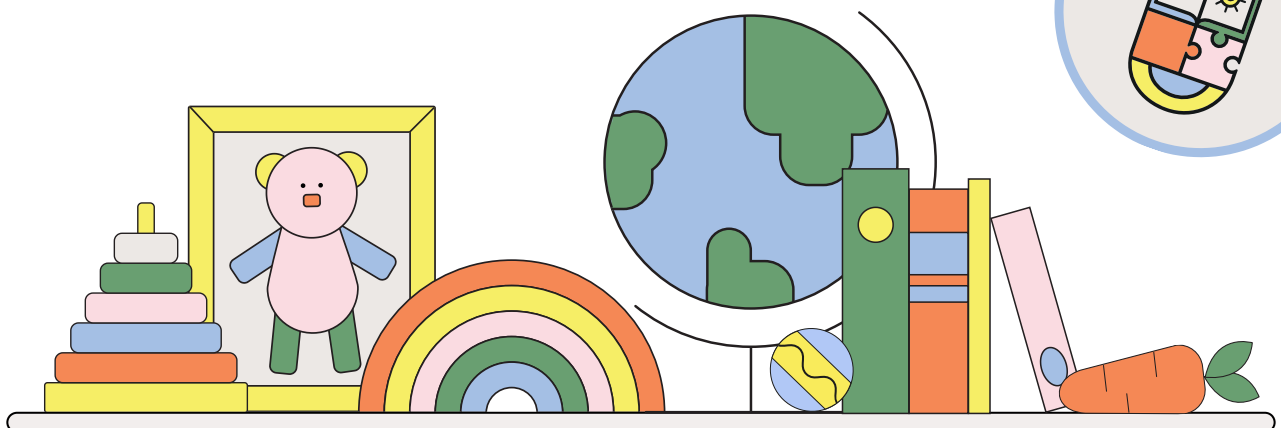
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Nurturing happy and independent children for over 35 years



With over 35 years of childcare experience, we know what activities children enjoy. We have finessed our curriculums to reflect modern teaching techniques whilst incorporating all our knowledge and experience. From messy play in the baby room to science experiments in preschool, our children always have the chance to learn through play. At Hopscotch children learn, play and smile every day and caring for children is at the heart of everything we do.



Our Fees

- Fees include breakfast, formula, organic milk, morning and afternoon snacks, nappies, creams, sun cream, Hopscotch Explorers trips Boogie Mites, and extracurricular activities/resources above the core EYFS
- Hot Lunch and Hot Tea can be added for £4.16 per meal per day
- Places are all year round for 51 weeks per year
- We are closed on all Bank Holidays & Christmas week for which no fees are charged
- Fees are due for all other absences, including holidays and sickness
- Any non-standard sessions may be charged at an individual rate
- As per our Terms and Conditions, we reserve the right to change our fees with one months notice.

Children aged 0 to under 5 years (no funding applied)

Session	Time	Fee	Weekly Fee
Full day	8am to 5.30pm	£69.00	£345.00
<i>Full morning*</i>	8am to 12.30pm	£37.00	£185.00
<i>Full afternoon*</i>	1.30pm to 5.30pm	£34.00	£170.00

Additional Sessions – Only available at some settings.

Please enquire at your chosen nursery

Session	Time	Fee	Weekly Fee
Early start	7.30am to 8am	£9.00	£45.00
<i>Extra lunch hour*</i>	12.30pm to 1.30pm	£9.00	£45.00
Late finish	5.30pm to 6pm	£9.00	£45.00

**Only available for existing bookings.*

New bookings are Full days only – consistent, developmentally better for under-5s



Funding

We know that funding for childcare can be complicated, and we're here to help and answer any questions you have. The government's hourly funding only covers basic nursery care and doesn't meet the full cost of providing quality childcare, activities, and resources at Hopscotch.

For funded sessions, we charge a small enrichment fee per funded hour. This is optional but helps us give your child the full Hopscotch experience and covers items like breakfast, morning and afternoon snacks, sun cream, nappies, creams and wipes, and extra programs like tooth brushing and Hopscotch Explorer trips.

Eligibility

Working Family Funding From September 2025 - Up to 30 hrs funded childcare for children 9mths+.

Universal Funding 3yr olds only - If not eligible for Working Family Funding you can claim up to 15 hour funded childcare for all 3yr olds from the term after their 3rd birthday.

Please visit www.childcarechoices.gov.uk for more information on how to apply and more about the eligibility criteria.

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The standard 15 or 30 hours funding is only applied to 38 weeks of the year.

From September 2025 we will be stretching the funding over 51 weeks up to a maximum of 11 or 22 hours per week depending on eligibility.

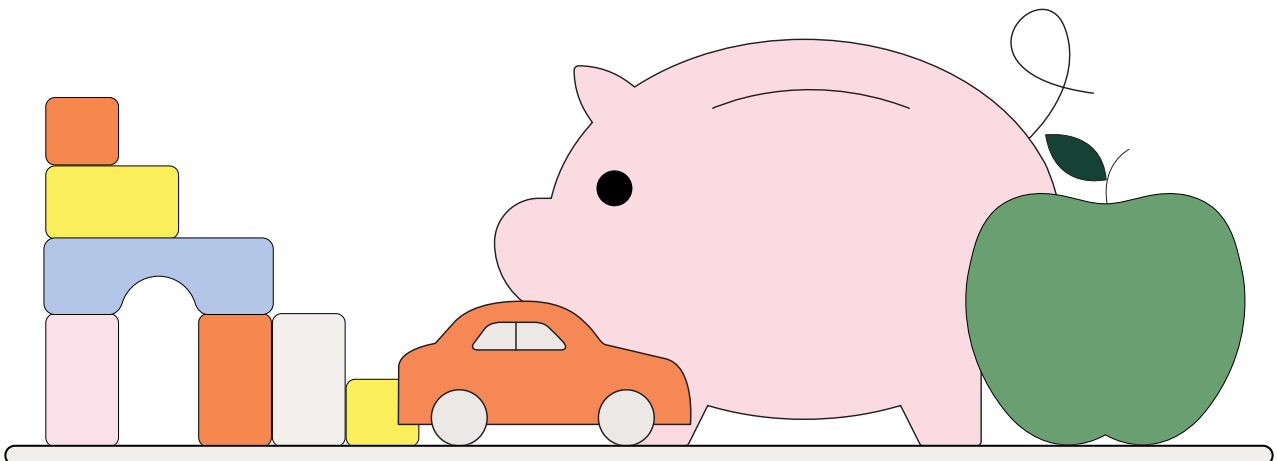
This means funding is applied more consistently across the year.

Applying for Funding

- Apply for a working parents code via [Childcarechoices.gov.uk](https://childcarechoices.gov.uk)
- Send us the 11 digit code and your national insurance number.
- Complete the mandatory Parent Declaration Form - we will send this to you via Funding Loop prior to the start of the term.

Some families may be entitled to funding for 2 year old children due to low income or for reasons such as adoption.

Please speak to your nursery manager if you think you may be eligible and they can advise on how to proceed via your local council.



Funded Hours & Enrichment Fee

Funded hours are applied to your booked sessions up to the maximum funded hours per week of 11 or 22 over 51 weeks.

Enrichment Fee = £1.50 per funded hour Non-funded hours = Session rate / number of hours per session
Example 3 day booking = 9.5hrs x 3 days = 28.5hrs 22 x £1.50 per funded hour enrichment fee 6.5 x £7.26 per hour non-funded fee Total weekly fee = £80.19
11 hours = Core funded hours 8.00–5.30pm (9.5hrs) + 8–9.30am (1.5hrs) 22 hours = Core funded hours 8–5.30 (9.5hrs) + 8–5.30 (9.5hrs) + 8–11am (3hrs)

Enrichment Fee to ensure full Hopscotch experience includes:	
Food Items	Fresh and healthy snacks, breakfast and a variety of milks, cooking activities.
Non-Food Consumables	Nappies, wipes/sacks, creams, suncream, bedding, bibs, hats, toothbrushing programme.
Activities	Hopscotch Explorers, Boogie Mites music, art and cultural workshops. Highly trained graduate led staff and enhanced curriculum. Extra support for trips and transitions. Priority booking for Hopscotch events.
No surprises. No packing lists. Just the quality care your child deserves, every day	

Please speak to your nursery manager if you wish to discuss opting out of the enrichment fee. One calendar months notice in writing required. Hopscotch reserves the right to apply additional administration and clawback fees if required items are persistently forgotten or opt out protocol is not adhered to. This will be:

- £5 per forgotten item after two initial reminders (without charge)
- £1 administration fee per forgotten item to cover staff time

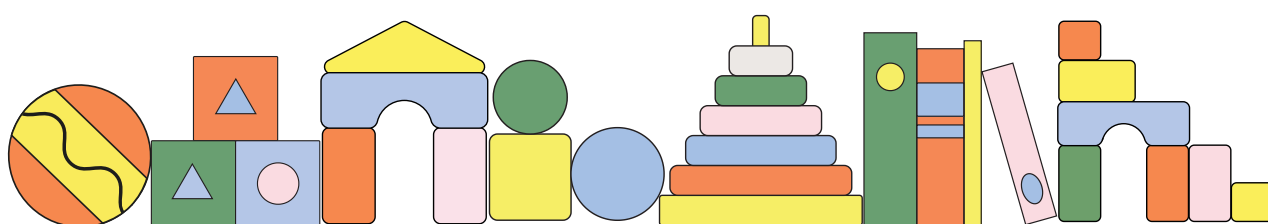
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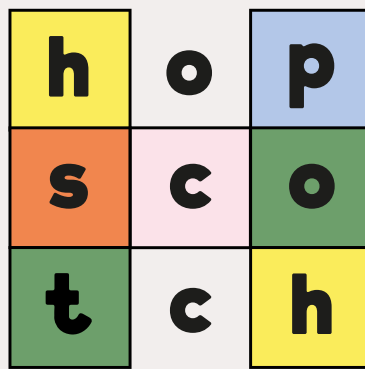




Registration & Deposit

- To secure your nursery place, we require a non-refundable registration fee of £75.00, and a deposit of £250.00 for a booking of 1-3 days or £550.00 if you require 4 or 5 days a week.
- Please note deposits are only refundable on receipt of 2 months written notice to leave Hopscotch and are deducted from your final and/or penultimate invoice.
- For children opting out of enrichment fee and not taking up further paid hours, a deposit of £100.00 will be required and will be refunded the following month after start date.
- Deposits are non-refundable if for any reason you choose not to start at Hopscotch.
- Our full [Terms and Conditions](#) are available on our website.
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Any questions?

Please follow the link to [Book a Visit](#)

Or any other questions please email
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