

# Nursery & Pre-School Fees Terms & Conditions 2024-25

This document outlines Embley's Nursery & Pre-School Terms & Conditions and should be read in conjunction with the school's standard United Learning Terms & Conditions.

#### Admission

Admission is at the discretion of the Headmaster and entry is competitive and based on the potential of the child to benefit from the academic education that the school provides.

### **Acceptance deposit**

Once sessions are confirmed and a place is offered, acceptance of a place comprises a deposit of £250 and completion of the acceptance form. A confirmation deposit paid for entry into the Nursery and Pre-School is not refundable if the child leaves before or at the end of Reception. Thereafter, the deposit will be repaid by means of a credit after the child leaves the school. In practice, we do not offer a place to a child in Nursery and Pre-School if parents have not made the financial commitment to continue into Reception.

#### **Childcare vouchers**

We accept childcare vouchers and are registered with the Tax Free Child Care Scheme. Please contact the Bursary for more details.

# Early Years Education (EYE) Scheme

Embley participates in the Government's Early Years Education (EYE) scheme.

2-year-old EYE funding Eligible working families of two-year-olds can access up to 15 hours of funded

childcare. To check your eligibility, please use <u>the Government's website</u>. Each parent must expect to earn on average at least £167 per week. It is not possible to claim the 15 hours childcare if either parent individually expects to earn £100,000

per year adjusted net income or more.

3- & 4-year-old EYE funding All children from the age of three can claim up to 15 hours per week of Government

funded childcare. This entitlement starts from the term after a child reaches their

third birthday and runs for six consecutive terms.

Government funded (EYE) sessions can be used from 13:00 to 16:00 each day, including Afternoon Club, based on a full day's booking.

Embley is open for 34 weeks of the year. Parents selecting the 48-week provision will be able to use their child's full 38-week EYE entitlement at Embley.

### **Notice**

Regular weekly sessions must be booked in advance for an entire term. A term's notice must be given in order to change weekly sessions and before a pupil is withdrawn from the Nursery and Pre-School.

# **Nursery & Pre-School hours**

Embley's Nursery & Pre-School is open from 08:00 – 18:00, Monday to Friday, for 48 weeks of the year. It is not open on Bank Holidays. The school offers the options of registering a child for a provision of term time only (34 weeks per year) or for the full year (48 weeks per year). The full-time provision allows for two weeks' unpaid time during non-term time, provided that six-weeks' notice is given.

## **Registration fee**

A child will be registered with Embley when a completed registration form and a non-refundable registration fee of £100 is received by the school.

#### Sessions

We offer two types of sessions each day. All sessions include lunch:

Full day 08:30 – 15:30 (7 hours) Half day 08:30 – 13:00 (4.5 hours)

Nursery (under 3s) A minimum of three sessions per week is required up to the age of three. Following

a child's third birthday, this requirement increases to three full days or equivalent

per week.

Pre-School (over 3s) A minimum of three full days or equivalent per week is required. In the final term at

Pre-School before joining Reception class, children are required to attend for a

minimum of four full days per week.

A half day is one session, a full day equates to two sessions.

# 2024-25 Fees

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Daily rate } (08:30-15:30) & \mbox{$\pounds 64.75$ / session} \\ \mbox{Morning session with lunch } (08:30-13:00) & \mbox{$\pounds 54.35$ / session} \\ \mbox{Breakfast Club } (08:00-08:30) & \mbox{$\pounds 6.20$ / session} \\ \mbox{Afternoon Club } (15:30-16:00) & \mbox{$\pounds 4.50$ / session} \\ \mbox{After school crèche } (16:00-18:00) & \mbox{$\pounds 8.70$ / hour} \\ \end{array}$ 

Our fees include all specialist French, Music, PE and Natural Sciences teaching, a freshly prepared lunch each day, and morning and afternoon snacks (where applicable).

Fees are charged in advance, together with any extra charges incurred during the previous term. Fees are due on or before the first day of term. Late payments are charged at Barclays Bank's base rate plus 4% on the unpaid balance.

Fees are reviewed annually, and parents are informed of any changes in advance. A discount of 5% is available for a second child and 10% for the third and any subsequent child entering the school.

Example of weekly costs for a 34-week provision:

	Without EYE funding	With EYE funding		Without EYE funding	With EYE funding
3 mornings	£163.07	£163.07	3 days	£194.21	£111.07
4 mornings	£217.42	£217.42	3 days + 1 morning	£248.56	£165.42
5 mornings	£271.78	£271.78	3 days + 2 mornings	£302.92	£219.78
1 day + 1 morning	£119.09	£91.38	4 days	£258.94	£148.09
2 days	£129.47	£74.04	4 days + 1 morning	£313.30	£202.44
2 days + 1 morning	£183.83	£128.40	5 days	£323.68	£185.11

This document was written in 2024 following guidance from Hampshire County Council (HCC). Our terms, conditions and pricing will be reviewed annually and on any change in legislation or interpretation of the rules by HCC. The school reserves the right to withdraw from both the Nursery & Early Years schemes at any time with one term's notice.