



Free Early Education Places

When is my Child Eligible?

This table refers to children who are eligible for Early Education Funding.

Child born on or between:	Autumn 2023	Spring 2024	Summer 2024
01 Sep 18 – 31 Dec 18	DF		
01 Jan 19 – 31 Mar 19	DF	DF	
01 Apr 19 – 31 Aug 19	DF	DF	DF
01 Sep 19 – 31 Dec 19	UH3&4/WP3&4	UH3&4/WP3&4	UH3&4/WP3&4
01 Jan 20 – 31 Mar 20	UH3&4/WP3&4	UH3&4/WP3&4	UH3&4/WP3&4
01 Apr 20 – 31 Aug 20	UH3&4/WP3&4	UH3&4/WP3&4	UH3&4/WP3&4
01 Sep 20 – 31 Dec 20	2YE	UH3&4/WP3&4	UH3&4/WP3&4
01 Jan 21 – 31 Mar 21	2YE	2YE	UH3&4/WP3&4
01 Apr 21 – 31 Aug 21	2YE	2YE	2YE/2WP
01 Sep 21 – 31 Dec 21		2YE	2YE/2WP
01 Jan 22 – 31 Mar 22			2YE/2WP

Key

DF (Deferred) - Up to 15 hours per week or an additional 15 hour if entitled to the working parent entitlement for children with a deferred school place. If you are a school you must make sure you identify in your MIS that the child's year group is adjusted. These children should not be included on your school census.

UH3&4 – Universal hours for 3&4 year-olds. Up to 15 hours per week

WP3&4- Working Parent Entitlement for 3&4 year-olds (must have an eliglbe code) Up to an additional 15 hours per week.

2YE- Up to 15 hours per week for families on specific benefits [Free early education for 2 year olds | Oxfordshire County Council](#)

2WP – Working parent entitlement for up to 15 hours per week. Must have an eliglbe code

For further information on early education funding, please contact:

- ▶ Your child's nursery or pre-school
- ▶ Oxfordshire Families Information Service 01865 323332
- ▶ E-mail: Earlyeducation@Oxfordshire.gov.uk
- ▶ <https://www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/cms/public-site/early-years-education>