



CROWN HOUSE  
PREPARATORY SCHOOL

## Pre-School Fees Schedule 2023/24

Whilst we receive Early Years Funding (EYF), we also raise a charge for consumables in order to sustain the Pre-school.

Consumables covers items such as specialist teaching for French, PE, music, drama; home reading books; wide range of art materials e.g. clay, sequins, paint etc.; guest speakers such as authors, midwives, police etc.; access to themed weeks e.g. science week, DT day; whole school events e.g. Fairy Tale Ball, Fun days, Bouncy Castle; trips to rye, fire station etc.; parent training sessions; laminated photos, handmade gifts for Easter, Father's Day etc.; Christmas Fair & gift from Santa; all stationery; a personalised Learning Journey; Pre-School graduation ceremony; snacks; milk; cooked lunch; spare clothes for accidents; wipes, tissues, hand gel.

Additionally, the Pre-school is open for an extra half an hour beyond the 3 hour funded session each morning and afternoon.

For parents wishing to access their funded hours only, we have very limited places available. The 15 hour place is available over 5 sessions and the 30 hour place is available over 9 sessions. These very limited places are denoted as Standalone places and the charge for these places is £0. These Standalone places are allocated on a first come first served basis. If you wish to add your name to the waiting list for these places, please inform the Registrar.

Please note that Crown House School is open for 34.4 weeks per academic year. Therefore, parents will not be accessing their full entitlement of 38 weeks x 15 hours = 570 hours or 38 weeks x 30 hours = 1140 hours. The unused element per term can be accessed at another setting during each relevant term.

Children must be age-eligible for Early Years Funding. The relevant dates are: -

- Children turning 3 between 1st January and 31st March - the start of the subsequent summer term
- Children turning 3 between 1st April and 31st August - the start of the subsequent autumn term
- Children turning 3 between 1st September and 31st December - the start of the subsequent spring term

The Preschool fee per term is £3,610. Please see the next page for a list of the EYF fees.



Please find below a table of the Pre-School EYF fees **per term**. Minimum sessions are 4 per week.

Morning sessions are from 8.30am to 12pm and exclude lunch. Afternoon sessions are from 12pm to 3.30pm and include lunch. Full day sessions are from 8.30am to 3.30pm and include lunch.

SESSIONS	15 hours	30 hours
4 sessions	£ 778.96	£ 778.96
5 sessions	£ 973.70	£ 973.70
6 sessions	£ 1,334.70	£ 1,168.44
7 sessions	£ 1,695.70	£ 1,363.18
8 sessions	£2,056.70	£1,557.92
9 sessions	£2,417.70	£1,752.66
10 sessions	£2,778.70	£1,947.40

**Breakfast Club**

7.45am – 8.25am: £6.00 Breakfast is served between 8.00am and 8.15am

**Late Club**

Until 5.30pm: £7.35 including a snack tea and varied activities

**Activity clubs** at various costs

**Registration Fee** per child £250. This registration fee does not apply to a child accessing their funded hours only i.e. the Standalone places.

**Deposit** per child £1,500 refunded after the final account has been cleared. For a child accessing their funded hours only i.e. the Standalone places, this deposit is returned after 6 weeks.

**Humanitas charity donation - optional:** £10 per term

**Methods of Payment.**

Payment is due by the first day of each term by bank transfer. Due to money laundering regulations we are unable to accept cash in payment of school fees. A monthly standing order scheme to spread the cost throughout the year is available over 12 months from May to April.

Childcare vouchers (CCV) and the Tax Free Childcare (TFC) Account can be used for Pre-School fees and Breakfast/Late/Holiday/Activity Clubs but not for educational visits.