

Kidz Day Nursery

Catterick Nursery Fees April 2025



Paid Sessions

A minimum of 2 sessions are required, using a minimum of 5 hours per session on two separate days.

Fully paid sessions include all meals and snacks.

<u>Session</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>0-2 years</u>	<u>2-3 years</u>	<u>3-5 years</u>
Full week (Discounted)	7.30 am till 5.30 pm	£320.74	£310.95	£307.82
Daily Rate	7.30 am till 5.30 pm	£71.84	£69.10	£66.98
School Session	8.30 am till 3.30 pm	£53.20	£52.75	£51.55
Morning Long	8am till 1pm	£47.73	£45.08	£43.90
Afternoon Long	1pm till 6pm	£47.73	£45.08	£43.90

<u>Additional on top of a fixed session</u>	<u>All ages</u>
7 am – 7.45 am	£7.25
7am – 7.30am	£6.70
5.30 pm – 6 pm	£6.70
5.45pm – 6pm	£3.40
Per Hour rate	£9.10

ALL SNACKS, DRINKS & HOT LUNCHES ARE INCLUDED IN THE ABOVE PAID SESSIONS

Stretched Funded Sessions

As we are open 51 weeks of the year to meet the needs of local families we offer our funded places as a stretched option. We stretch the funding **across 50 weeks of the year**, instead of limiting it to 38 weeks, term time only. This allows families to access more childcare than they would otherwise be able to if we used the restricted term time structure. (For more information and how it works, please see our Funding Policy).

This means there is one week at Christmas when we are closed, we do not charge for this week and there is an additional week with no funding allocated to it.

Parents whose child/children are on stretched booking patterns can choose which week they do not wish to attend **(Minimum of 1 months' notice required)**, if you do not wish to take a week off, then paid sessions will be allocated.

The requirements (stretched):

As a nursery we have a minimum session requirement for funding, this is of benefit for all involved especially the children as it allows consistency, smoother transitions and a good amount of time for the children and practitioners to bond and be comfortable around each other

Minimum session requirements for stretch funding:

Full Day Sessions			
Session	Times	9 months to 2 years (30 hours stretched)	2 years – 5 years (30 hours stretched)
Full Day	7.30am till 5.30pm	3	3
School Session	8.30am till 3.30 pm		5
Morning Long	8am till 1 pm		
Afternoon Long	1pm till 6pm		

Term time only Places 3 +

We do offer limited term time only funded sessions, these where possible, are reserved for children in receipt of disadvantage 2-year-old funding, splitting the funding between 2 settings, siblings at school or receipt of EYPP. We limited the amount of funded hours you can use up to 6 hours for part day sessions, and 10 hours for Full day sessions. These places are very limited therefore if these places are full, we will only be able to offer funded places as a stretched offer (Ask in nursery for availability).

In the interest of clarity and transparency

Early Years Funding is intended to cover the delivery of childcare only.

For children aged 9 month to 3-year-old your meals are included in your session price.

Parents need to be aware that they may be paying additional charges for meals and snacks and additional hours before choosing their sessions.

All additional charges will be payable for all sessions booked including sick days or nonattendance etc.

Additional Costs for children over 3 years

Some of our sessions do have some additional costs on them to cover the food we provide. The low funding rate we receive from Local government does not cover the cost of this. These additional costs are voluntary and for parents who do not want to pay these there are other sessions that might meet your requirements better, please ask in the setting.

We would like to give parents the option to bring their own food, **Unfortunately**, we have no provision to store this correctly. In addition, with the increasing number of children with allergies and intolerances we would find it extremely challenging to ensure that food brought in from outside was allergen free and this would increase the risk to all children in our care.

Funded Hours Only - 3 +				
Session	Times	Additional Cost per Session (Meals, Snacks and Drinks Only)	Funding per day	Minimum of days
Full Day Sessions	7.30 am till 5.30pm	£8.50 (discounted)	10	3
Morning Long Session	8 am till 1pm	£4.85	5	5
Afternoon Long session	1pm till 6pm	£4.10	5	5

Paid only and funding mixed Sessions - 3 +					
<u>Session- Based on Term time only</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>Additional Cost per Session</u> (Meals, Snacks and Drinks Only)	<u>Cost of the paid childcare</u>	<u>Funding per day</u>	<u>Minimum of days</u>
School Session	08.30am till 3.30 pm	£5.95	£7.36 (discounted)	6	5
Additional Hour on top of a session		Dependant on the time- see details below	£9.10	Paid session only	

(The above sessions are based on term time only, if you choose to stretch less funding hours will be allocated to each session which will mean parts of the session will become paid)

As explained above Early Years Funding is intended to cover the delivery of childcare only therefore these charges are to cover Meals, Snacks and Drinks. These additional costs are voluntary and for parents who do not want to pay these there are other sessions that might meet your requirements better, please ask in the setting.

The additional costs will show on your invoices separately as **Meals, Snacks and Drinks** and are made up as followed:
(These vary dependant on what session you are doing.)

- Breakfast- £1.50 (7am-8.30am)
- Snacks - £1.10 (10am and 2.30pm)
- Dinner – £3.75(11:45am - 12:45pm)
- Tea- £3 (4:30pm)



'Tax Free' Childcare

Working parents of children aged under 12 can use Tax-Free Childcare, through the childcare service account, to pay for registered childcare. The Government top-up the money that parents pay into the account i.e. for every £8 parents pay in, the Government will add an additional £2. Parents can received £2,000 per child per year, or £4,000 if disabled. We advise parents to ensure they have read all the advice in relation to what is best for them and whether they should move from an existing scheme.

Please visit the childcare choices website for more information on the support that is available.

<https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/>

Late Collection Charge

We charge £15.00 late collection charge for the first 15 minutes and then and additional £1.00 per minute there after

Additional Hours and Sessions (Not on booking pattern)

We will try and accommodate any additional hours or sessions not on booking pattern, but these will be charged at the additional hourly rate, not the session rate. Meal charges will be added when required.

Absences

If your child is ill or if you choose to take them on holiday you will still be charged your child's full fees for those days.

Closures

We are closed all Bank Holidays and over the Christmas period, we do not charge for these days. Parents whose child/children are on stretched booking patterns can choose which week they do not wish to attend (**Minimum of 1 months' notice required**), if you do not wish to take a week off, then paid sessions will be allocated.

Late payment charges

Invoices are sent out on or around the 26th month with payment due on or before the 1st Month Late payment charges will be added to your account for persistent late payments

Administration fee

A £100 administration fee is required for all children. £50 of which will be refunded when your child's contract ends.

Key Terms and Conditions

Kidz Day Nursery is open Monday to Friday, - 7.00 am - 18.00 Every day except Bank Holidays and Christmas when we will close Christmas Eve until 1st Week in January .

We reserve the right to make a charge for children collected after their booked session end time.

Monthly fees are based on booking pattern and sessions falling in a calendar month. Full fees are payable including additional costs for absence due to illness, or for your holidays. Fees are invoiced by the 26th of the preceding month and are due in advance on the 1st Month to which they apply. A late fee is payable on accounts not cleared by the due date. We do not accept cheques.

Term time only fees are charged for school term weeks only, and for all booked sessions whether your child attends or not. Booking patterns cannot be changed once set for the month.

All additional costs are voluntary and therefore if you wish to opt out of these, please speak to your nursery manager who will offer more information on this.

Once signed a parental contract agreeing to pay all fees, this is **ALL FEES** and therefore if you wish to opt out of voluntary fees, we will require months' termination of the contract notice and it will be subject to availability if we can offer your child/children an alternative place.

There is a four-week notice period for changes to the booking pattern. Days cannot be swapped once booked.

Non funded places are payable 51 weeks per year.

Bookings for Holiday Club cannot be cancelled or changed once booked and will be charged at the booked rate.

Sickness policy - Any child who has suffered from diarrhea, sickness, high temperature/fever must be kept away from the setting for a period of 48 hours after such condition has ceased. You will still be charged.