

## Summary of Early Years Pupil Premium (EYPP) Entitlement & Allocation (2026–2027)

**EYPP rate: £1.15 per hour**

**Maximum payable: 570 hours per financial year (April–March)**

EYPP is only paid on the **first 15 eligible funded hours**.

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### 1. Under 2s (9 months – 2 year old)– Working Parent Entitlement

**Child claims up to 30 hours with ONE provider**

- EYPP paid on **15 hours only**.

**Child claims up to 30 hours with TWO or more providers**

- EYPP is split automatically using:  $(15 \div 30) \times \text{provider's termly hours} \times \text{£1.15}$

Providers may be asked to supply parental agreements.

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### 2-Year-Old Funding (Early Learning Funding for 2YO's & Working Parent Entitlement)

EYPP can be paid for up to **570 hours a year**.

**A. Child claims Early Learning Funding for 2YO's + Working Parent Entitlement funding with ONE provider**

- EYPP paid on **Early Learning Funding for 2YO's hours only**
- EYPP **not** paid on Working Entitlement hours

**B. Child claims Early Learning Funding for 2YO's + Working Parent Entitlement funding with TWO or more providers**

- Parent must name the provider claiming **Early Learning Funding for 2YO's hours**
- EYPP paid to that provider first
- If **Early Learning Funding for 2YO's hours** are overclaimed, the Funding Team will adjust using:  $(15 \div 30) \times \text{provider's termly hours} \times \text{£1.15}$

Parental agreements may be requested.

**C. Child claims up to 15 Early Learning Funding for 2YO's hours across TWO or more providers**

- Each provider receives EYPP **in proportion to the hours claimed**.

## **D. Child claims up to 30 hours Working Parent Entitlement funding with TWO or more providers**

- Parent nominates which provider receives EYPP
- EYPP allocated using:  $(15 \div 30) \times \text{provider's termly hours} \times \text{£1.15}$

### **Important:**

If a child is eligible for EYPP, we would expect the child to also be eligible for **Early Learning Funding for 2YO's**. Providers will therefore be contacted to amend claims where necessary and may need to provide parental agreements.

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## **3 & 4-Year-Old Funding**

EYPP is only paid on **universal (first 15) hours**.

### **A. Child claims up to 15 hours Universal funding with TWO or more providers**

- EYPP paid to each provider based on **their share** of the 15 hours.

### **B. Child claims up to 30 hours (Universal + Working Parent Entitlement) with ONE provider**

- EYPP paid on **Universal hours only**
- EYPP **not** paid on Working Parent Entitlement hours

### **C. Child claims up to 30 hours across TWO or more providers**

- Parent must choose which provider is claiming the **Universal hours**
- EYPP paid to that provider
- If universal hours are overclaimed, Funding Team may adjust using:  $(15 \div 30) \times \text{provider's termly hours} \times \text{£1.15}$

Parental agreements may be requested.

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*In circumstances where a child under 3 is taking up the working parent entitlement, is eligible for EYPP and splits their funding across two or more settings, the local authority will request and use parental agreements to confirm which provider a parent has nominated to receive their EYPP entitlement. If necessary, we will then also adjust the provider's funding claim.*

*Providers are therefore reminded to ensure all parental agreements in place clearly identify which provider is to receive EYPP entitlement, should a parent be found eligible for EYPP and is accessing their funded entitlement with two or more providers.*