

SUMMARY OF EARLY YEARS PUPIL PREMIUM (EYPP) ENTITLEMENT & ALLOCATION INFORMATION 2025-2026

EYPP Rate payable is £1.00 per hour for 2025-2026. This will be payable for a maximum of 570 hours per annum (April to March) to eligible children as follows:

Under 2's Working Family Funding

Child eligible and claiming up to 30 hours per week Under 2's Working Family funding with one provider

EYPP payable only on 15 hours Working Family funding claimed

Child eligible and claiming up to 30 hours per week Under 2's Working Family funding with two or more providers

EYPP will be automatically allocated on the following basis:

(15 divided by 30) x providers termly hours x £1.00 (EYPP rate for 2025/26)

We may also request copy parental agreements when required from providers to support the allocation of EYPP.

2YO Funding

EYPP for eligible 2-year-olds accessing either 2YO Families Requiring Additional Support (FRAS) or 2YO Working Family funding is payable up to a maximum of 570 hours per financial year. Depending upon how funding is claimed for child, EYPP will be allocated as:

Child eligible and claiming up to 30 hours per week 2YO FRAS and 2YO Working Family funding with one provider

EYPP payable on FRAS hours only. EYPP not payable on Working Family funding

Child eligible and claiming up to 30 hours per week 2YO FRAS and 2YO Working Family funding with two or more providers

Parent must nominate on parental agreement which provider is claiming FRAS funded hours. EYPP then paid to provider claiming FRAS funded hours. In the event of an overclaim of FRAS funded hours, Funding Team where necessary will amend headcount claims and allocate EYPP based on the following calculation:

(15 divided by 30) x providers termly hours x £1.00 00 (EYPP rate for 2025/26)

We may also request copy parental agreements when required from providers to support the allocation of EYPP.

Child eligible and claiming up to 15 hours per week 2YO FRAS funding with two or more providers

Each provider will be paid EYPP based upon number of weekly funded hours they are claiming.

Child eligible and claiming up to 30 hours per week 2YO Working Family funding with two or more providers

Parent must nominate on parental agreement which provider is claiming EYPP. EYPP will then be allocated based on calculation below:

(15 divided by 30) x providers termly hours x £1.00 00 (EYPP rate for 2025/26)

However, if eligible for EYPP, child should be eligible for FRAS funding and providers will be contacted. Once 2YO FRAS eligibility is confirmed, it will be necessary to amend headcount to claim both FRAS and Working Family funded hours. Copy parental agreements may therefore be request from providers to support how many FRAS funded hours are to be allocated to each provider and their claim for EYPP.

3&4 YO Funding

Child eligible and claiming up to 15 hours per week Universal funding only, with two or more providers

Each provider will be paid EYPP based upon number of weekly funded hours they are claiming.

Child eligible and claiming up to 30 hours per week Universal and Working Family funding only, with one provider

EYPP payable on Universal hours only. EYPP not payable on Working Family funding

Child eligible and claiming up to 30 hours per week Universal and Working Family funding only, with two or more providers

Parent must nominate on parental agreement which provider is claiming Universal funded hours. EYPP then paid to provider claiming Universal funded hours. In the event of an overclaim of Universal funded hours, Funding Team where necessary will amend headcount claims and allocate EYPP based on calculation below:

(15 divided by 30) x providers termly hours x £1.00 00 (EYPP rate for 2025/26)

We may also request copy parental agreements when required from providers to support the allocation of EYPP.

Early Years Funding Team September 2025