Early Years Pupil Premium



Did you know that when your child is 3 your childcare provider may be able to claim extra funding to support your child?



Additional funding for your child

Your childcare provider may be able to claim over £340 to spend on enriching your 3 or 4 year old's learning.

How could this help my child?

Providers will use the money in ways they think will support your child's learning and development. This should be informed by a shared understanding of your child's needs and interests.

The money could help your child to:

- Benefit from extra resources or support suited to their needs
- Enjoy a range of new play, learning and activity experiences
- Be prepared for starting school

Do I qualify?

If you receive one of the following benefits, your childcare provider may be entitled to claim funding for your child:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided they are not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on, which is paid for 4 weeks after they stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit household income must be less than £7,400 a year after tax not including any benefits you get

Or if your child:

- is currently being looked after by a local authority in England or Wales
- has left care in England or Wales through: an adoption order, a special guardianship order or a child arrangements order

What do I do next?

If you think you qualify, talk to your childcare provider today. Once your child enters a school reception class, they will no longer be eligible for the EYPP, but may become eligible for the Pupil Premium.

