Early Years Pupil Premium







Additional funding for your child

Your childcare provider may be able to claim an additional £302 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 their understanding of your child's needs and preferences.

The money could help your child to:

- Benefit from extra resources and equipment 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 you 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 your household income must be less than £7,400 a year after tax not including any benefits you get

Or if your child:

- Has been in local-authority care for 1 day or more in England or Wales
- Has been adopted from care in England or Wales
- Has left care under a special guardianship order or residence order in England or Wales

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.

