



Fees and Funding 2026

At YMCA Stepping Stones, we believe high-quality childcare should be affordable and accessible. We welcome a range of government funding options and offer flexible sessions to meet your family's needs.

All meals are chargeable on top of fees, for all price bands

- Breakfast: £0.50p per day
- Lunch: £2.75 per day
- Tea: £1.25 per day

'The **Funded Early Education Entitlement (FEEE)** is a UK government scheme that provides eligible parents with access to funded childcare hours for children aged from 9 months up to when they start school. The aim is to give children a strong start in life and help parents with the cost of childcare. Visit <https://beststartinlife.gov.uk/>

Funded Prices

Session	Weeks	Funded hours per week	Non-Funded hours pw	Hourly rate	Discount	Weekly package
Full Time 8.00am - 18.00pm	48	12 hrs	38 hrs	£7	30%	£266
Full Time 8.00am - 18.00pm	48	24 hrs	26 hrs	£7	30%	£182
3 x 8.00am - 18.00pm	48	24 hrs	6 hrs	£10		£60
5 x 9.00am - 15.00pm	48	24 hrs	6 hrs	£10		£60
4 x 9.00am - 15.00pm	48	24 hrs				£0
5 x 9.00am -12.00pm	38	15 hrs				£0
5 x 12.00pm -15.00pm	38	15 hrs				£0
2 x 9.00am - 4.30pm	38	15 hrs				£0
5 x 9.00am - 15.00pm	38	30 hrs				£0



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Quality childcare & education

Standard Non-funded Prices

Session	Weeks	Hours per week	Hourly rate	Discount	Weekly package
5 x 8.00am - 18.00pm		50 hrs	£7	30%	£350
3 x 8.00am - 18.00pm		30 hrs	£9	10%	£270
2 x 8.00am - 18.00pm		20 hrs	£9	10%	£180
5 x 9.00am - 15.00pm		30 hrs	£10		£300
3 x 9.00am - 15.00pm		18 hrs	£10		£180
2 x 9.00am - 15.00pm		12 hrs	£10		£120

Ad hoc sessions for all price bands	Rate
Full Day 8.00am - 18.00pm	£90 per day (10% discount)
Additional hours	£10 per hour

* 7.30am drop-off available on request, at a charge of £5.00

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YMCA enables people to develop their full potential in mind, body and spirit. Inspired by, and faithful to, our Christian values, we create supportive, inclusive and energising communities, where young people can truly belong, contribute and thrive.

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