



*Bright Start, Bright Future
Chances to explore, discover
and grow'*

Atherstone Maintained Nursery School

Charging Policy

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Aims

This statement sets out the Schools approach to charging, describes each type of activity which will be charged for and explains when charges will be made.

Principles

- All nursery education provided within school hours will be free. This includes materials and equipment provided in school hours by the LA or the school. 'School hours' are those when the Nursery School is actually in session.
- All parents will be informed about school hours in the School Prospectus.
- The Schools invite parents and others from time to time to make voluntary contributions towards any part of the planned activities and to permit the provision of activities, which might not otherwise be possible. For example a suggested voluntary contribution of £1.50 per week provides for healthy snack times, baking, visitors, and additional 'special' resources and activities.
- General fundraising and sponsorship will also be used to permit additional activities. Parents will be informed of the decision to ask for contributions at the planning stage of activities.
- No pupil will be left out of any activity provided in school time because his or her parents cannot or will not make a contribution of any kind if asked to contribute.
- No charges will be made which exceed the actual cost when divided between the participants.
- When parents accompany pupils on an out of school activity, they will be asked to make a contribution towards the cost of transport and/or the activity, how much is dependant on availability of school funds to subsidise.
- Children eligible for Early Years Pupil Premium will receive a reduction in the price of out of school activities such as trips.
- Both Schools sell extended care places upon request and availability. There is no requirement to purchase any extended hours to access the free entitlement.

Extended Day

Atherstone Nursery School offer an Extended Day, delivered in 3 hour block (12.30 – 3.30pm). The charge for a 3 hour session is £16.20 Payment by direct debit attracts a 10% discount with a lower charge of £14.60. This can be combined with the addition of lunch club...

Lunch Club

Atherstone Nursery School - The Schools offers a lunch club. This runs from 11.45 to 12.30 each day. **This session falls outside the 15 hours free entitlement and is charged at £4.00 a session. It is part of the entitlement for children who attend 30 hours.**

30 hours

The school makes no additional charge to access 30 hours were entitlement termly code is acquired. Families at Atherstone Nursery School may purchase additional time at the end of their 30 hour session from 2.45 – 3.30pm at a cost of £4.00.