



Bright Beginnings at Boringdon Chargeable Extras

At Bright Beginnings, we will always aim to be honest with parents/carers. Below is a list of Government funding we accept, and optional extras that parents/carers may wish to contribute or purchase while your child is enrolled at our preschool.

Please note as a school based preschool we operate on **term-time only** basis, following the term dates of Boringdon Primary School. Please see website for term dates in the following link [Boringdon Primary School - Term dates](#)

Currently we do not offer hot dinners for preschool children. Parents/carers are required to supply their child with a packed lunch.

We offer complimentary fruit/vegetables and cups of milk for snack in the morning and afternoon, for all preschool children if they wish to have these.

Free Childcare from the Government

At Bright Beginnings at Boringdon we accept the following funding: 15 hours for all 3 and 4 year olds, 30 hours for working parents, Universal Credit Childcare, and Tax-free childcare.

Description	Unit	Unit Price	Line Total
15 hours for all 3 and 4 year olds - from the term after your child turns 3	Weekly (15 hours)	Free	Free
30 hours for working parents (9 months to 4 years olds) - from the term after your child turns 9 months	Weekly (30 hours)	Free	Free

For more information on the childcare schemes and any other support you and your family could be eligible for, please take a look at the Best Start in Life website (link below):

[Childcare & Early Years Education - Best Start in Life](#)

We work in partnership with other settings if you wish to split your funding. Please ensure Parent Declaration forms are completed confirming how you wish to split the funding. The preschool will provide the form to parents/carers prior to Headcount Week in each term.

For those parents/carers eligible for 30-hour funding; their entitlement funding can be split between a standard provider (term term/38 weeks setting) and stretched provider (year round/47.5 week setting).

A parent/carer can claim any number of hours up to a maximum of 12 hours p/week for 47.5 weeks with a stretched provider. The total hours claimed across a standard and stretched providers must not exceed 27 hours p/week

Additional Sessions

At Bright Beginnings at Boringdon we can offer additional sessions if you require. Below is a breakdown of the costs and session times.

Description	Unit	Unit Price	Line Total
Morning sessions 9am - 12pm (3 hours)	1	£5.50 p/hr	£16.50
Afternoon sessions 12pm - 3pm (3 hours)	1	£5.50 p/hr	£16.50

Additional Settling-in Sessions

We offer one complimentary 2 hours settling-in session for each child. Settling-in sessions will take place either 9am - 11am or 1pm - 3pm.

If parents/carers feel it would be beneficial for their child to have additional settling-in sessions these can be arranged at an hourly rate of £5.50 (£11 per session). Please make the office aware on nursery@boringdon.plymouth.sch.uk you wish to arrange additional settling in sessions and these will be arranged.

Settling sessions will be itemised on your child's invoice as below.

Date	Session	Funded	Unfunded	Rate	Price
06/01/2026	Settling Session	2 hrs	0 hrs	£5.50/hr	£0.00
07/01/2026	Settling Session additional AM	0 hrs	2 hrs	£5.50/hr	£11.00
08/01/2026	Settling Session additional PM	0 hrs	2 hrs	£5.50/hr	£11.00

Optional Consumable Fee

There is an optional consumable fee of £10 payable per half term to cover the following:

- resources for special activities (e.g. mother's/father's day craft, graduation),
- fresh ingredients to make fresh playdoh/sensory play (e.g. lentils, flour, pasta shapes, shaving foam),
- seeds for growing fruit/vegetables/flowers,
- paint/paper/card,
- seasonal toys and games

This fee will be itemised on your child's invoice as below.

Description	Unit	Unit Price	Line Total
Consumable contribution fee - term 12/01/2026 - 13/02/2026	1	£10.00	£10.00
Consumable contribution fee - term 23/02/2026 - 03/04/2026	1	£10.00	£10.00
Consumable contribution fee - term 20/04/2026 - 22/05/2026	1	£10.00	£10.00
Consumable contribution fee - term 01/06/2026 - 22/07/2026	1	£10.00	£10.00

Alternatively parents can provide, please make the office aware prior to your child starting and the preschool will email those parents/carers during the term to ask if anyone can help contribute some items from home.

All parents/carers can change their mind, and if you wish to opt in or out of the consumable contribution fee please make the office aware as soon as possible.

There is no obligation to parents/carers to pay these consumable fees, however as a preschool we would be grateful for any support or contributions.

No child will go without learning or fun.