

# 30 hours free childcare for working parents of 3 and 4 year olds



Check if you're eligible

[www.gov.uk/30-hours-free-childcare](http://www.gov.uk/30-hours-free-childcare)

If you, or your partner, are on maternity, paternity or adoption leave, or you're unable to work because you are disabled or have caring responsibilities, you could still be eligible.

Use the **online childcare calculator** for types of support available.

Apply now at

Childcare  
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[www.childcarechoices.gov.uk](http://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk)

HMRC help line number:  
**0300 123 4097**

Child turns 3 yr old between	Child can start	When is best to apply
1 September - 31 December	January term	15 Oct - 30 Nov
1 January - 31 March	April term	5 Jan - 28 Feb
1 April - 31 August	September term	15 June - 31 July

If you're eligible a 30 hour code is issued and an online childcare account is created.

Give these details to your childcare provider

- 30 hour code   - your National Insurance number   - child's date of birth

Reconfirm your details every 3 months or your code will expire