



## FEES WITH EFFECT FROM SEPTEMBER 2019

Fees will be reviewed no later than 1<sup>st</sup> September 2020

### TERMLY FEES for eligible 3-5 year olds with grant funding\*

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| 5 mornings a week                | £ 2,225 |
| 5 mornings and 3 afternoons      | £ 3,580 |
| 5 full days with 15 hour funding | £ 4,485 |
| 5 full days with 30 hour funding | £ 3,535 |

### TERMLY FEES without grant funding

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| 3 mornings a week (first term only) | £ 2,860 |
| 5 mornings a week                   | £ 3,175 |
| 3 afternoons a week                 | £ 1,885 |
| 5 full days a week                  | £ 5,435 |

### AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES (per term)

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| One afternoon a week until 4 p.m. | £ 465 |
| Occasional afternoon until 4 p.m. | £ 52  |
| One lunch a week until 1:30 p.m.  | £ 140 |
| Occasional lunch until 1:30 p.m.  | £ 16  |
| Specialist clubs until 3 p.m.     | £ 380 |

### SPECIALIST CLUBS

A list of the clubs on offer will be provided by your Head Teacher during the preceding term. The cost may vary slightly depending upon the type of club and number of sessions. There are typically 10 sessions per term. Extended specialist club options to 4pm are also available on a regular or ad hoc basis.

Children are expected to attend at least one afternoon or specialist club per week in their final year in preparation for their move to main school.

### \*15 HOURS FREE CHILDCARE FOR 3-5 YEAR OLDS

Kensington and Chelsea Council provide funding for a nursery education place for up to 15 hours per week to all 3-5 year olds. **Children are eligible for the funding from the term after they turn 3. The child's 3rd birthday needs to occur on or before March 31st, August 31st and December 31st to be eligible for the funding from the following term.** Families that meet stricter government criteria are eligible for up to 30 hours of funded childcare. We offer 30 funded hours only to children doing 5 full days a week.

The Kindergartens will apply to the council on behalf of parents once a child is eligible. The funding provided by RBKC does not cover the total cost of placing a child at Pooh Corner, therefore we charge an additional hours and services package as shown above. The additional services charge is due to the cost of providing qualified staff of a high calibre; maintaining a smaller teacher to child ratio; the provision of peripatetic staff to deliver extra curricular activities including sport, music/drama and dance, in addition to Forest School, snacks and other consumables. The funded hours are offered between 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. each day, and the additional hours charge is for the additional time per session.

**The Registration Fee** is £125 and non-refundable.

**The Payment of Fees** are due by the end of the preceding term.

**An Administration Charge** of £200 is made for all fees remaining unpaid 14 days after the beginning of term. Pupils may be excluded if fees remain unpaid at half term.

**The Acceptance Deposit** is £1,750. When parents accept the offer of a place the Acceptance Deposit shall be paid to The Kindergartens Limited. The Acceptance Deposit is returned to the parents, without interest, after the end of the child's final term, taking into account any balance due.

**Notice of the withdrawal** of a pupil must be given in writing to the Principal on or before the first day of the term at the end of which the pupil is to leave, otherwise the following term's fees are payable in lieu of notice. For more information with regard to cancellation and withdrawal please see Section 7 of The Kindergartens' Terms and Conditions.

**Uniform** The children are required to wear the standard smock. You will be given details of how to order the smock and a book bag before your child's first term. All children in Upper Kindergarten who attend Forest School will also be required to purchase The Kindergartens Forest School kit.

**Principal Carol Evelegh**

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