Nursery Charging Policy



School vision and values

FROM ALPHA TO OMEGA



'Life in all its fullness'

(JOHN 10:10)

At Emmanuel Church of England School, broad opportunities are provided for individuals to develop their full potential and allow them to be healthy, happy and secure.

Building on our Christian ethos and in partnership with the whole school community, we provide a stimulating and caring environment where individuals are valued and nurtured morally, spiritually and academically.

It is a primary aim of our school that every member of the school community feels cared for, valued, respected, and that each person is treated fairly and well. This is promoted through our school values; where children learn to be respectful, to forgive and to move on so that they can experience:

'Life in all its fullness' - John 10:10

Guidance

The Governors are committed to a comprehensive education which ensures equality of access and opportunity to all pupils. Until 2017, the London Borough of Camden offered enhanced free 30-hour Nursery Places in all its community and voluntary schools, and Emmanuel was a beneficiary of this scheme.

In 2017/18, the Government adjusted the way that Nursery funding was distributed, which meant that Camden was no longer in a position to offer free 30-hour places. All Nursery providers now receive universal funding for each pupil for a 15-hour place only.

Working parents who meet the eligibility and income criteria can obtain 30-hour provision through the government enhanced offer on production of a code via HMRC.

In addition, Camden runs its own enhanced offer for parents on low income, who if eligible, will also qualify for 30 hours nursery provision. Eligibility is checked through the Camden early years team.

Funding for both schemes are paid to the school termly from Camden once school has completed the necessary information on the Nursery portal.

Contact details and application forms for both schemes (HMRC 30 hours childcare and Camden Enhanced Offer) can be found online.

Governors have agreed that parents who do not qualify for either of the schemes above will in future need to pay top-up fees if they wish to top-up to 30 hours.

The fee for 2022/23 is £140 per week, rising to £150 per week for 2023/24, payable termly in advance. Parents will be invoiced before the start of each term. No credit is awarded for absence owing to sickness or non-attendance.