

Nursery Admissions – 2025/26



Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to share with you the application pack for a place at our new nursery, opening in September 2025. We welcome children from the term after they turn 2 years old, and we offer both funded and self-funded places, depending on eligibility.

Applying for a Nursery Place

To apply for a place at Gulworthy Nursery, please complete and return the attached application form at your earliest convenience. Places will be allocated in accordance with our Nursery Admissions Policy.

Please see the session choices below:

Session choices	Hours	Funded/bought hours
9.00am – 12.00pm	3.0	As part of the Early Years Education Funding/free childcare or bought.
12.00pm – 3.00pm	3.0	As part of the Early Years Education Funding/free childcare or bought.
9.00am – 3.00pm	6.0	As part of the Early Years Education Funding/free childcare or bought.

FUNDING OPTIONS AVAILABLE

There are several types of government-funded childcare support you may be eligible for:

2-Year-Old Funding

You may be eligible for up to 15 funded hours per week if you receive certain benefits or meet specific criteria. You can check your eligibility and apply here: [Homepage | Childcare Choices](#)

Universal 15 Hours (for All 3- and 4-Year-Olds)

All children are entitled to 15 hours of free childcare per week, starting from the term after their 3rd birthday.



30 Hours Extended Entitlement 2-, 3- & 4-Year Olds

Some working families may be eligible for up to 30 funded hours per week. To apply, visit: [Homepage | Childcare Choices](#)

Please note that you'll need to apply for and confirm your eligibility code before the start of term, and reconfirm it every 3 months.

What Happens Next?

Once we receive your completed application form, we will:

- Confirm availability and your preferred sessions
- Begin the eligibility check process (if applicable)
- Contact you with next steps, including induction details

If you have any questions about the application process, session options, or funding, please don't hesitate to get in touch with us at gulworthy@lapsw.org or call 01822 600650. We're here to support you every step of the way.

We look forward to welcoming your child to our nursery.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs M Sterry