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Dear Parents

From September 2017 we have decided to offer parents the full 30 hours of childcare in our nursery provision (FS1).

Many working parents of 3 to 4 year olds will be eligible for the new 30 hours of free childcare – rather than the current 15 hours.

To qualify for the full 30 hours of free childcare,

- Your child will be aged 3 when the scheme starts in September 2017
- Both parents must be working – or the sole parent is working in a lone parent family
- Each parent earns, on average, the equivalent of 16 hours on the national minimum wage per week (currently £107 per week), and no more than £100,000 per year.
- Self-employed parents and parents on zero-hours contracts will be eligible if they meet the average earnings threshold.

Families where one parent is not in paid employment (or neither parent works) will usually not be eligible for these additional hours.

Parents who are studying or in training will not be eligible unless this is combined with paid work which meets the minimum average earnings threshold.

If you are not entitled to the 30 hours free childcare, your child will remain entitled to 15 hours of free early education per week during term time, regardless of the employment status of their parents.

For those parents who wish their child to attend our Nursery for the 30 hour provision and are not entitled to the full free entitlement, we will introduce a charging system based on the number of sessions you attend and lunch time arrangements.

If you are interested in your child attending our nursery, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Kind regards,  
Helen Piercy  
**School Business Manager**

