

## Teddy Wilf's @ Shopwyke

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Ofsted Registration No: To Be Confirmed

# Teddy Wilf's @ Shopwyke Prices from 1st September 2025

Teddy Wilf's @ Shopwyke is open Monday - Friday, from 8:00am - 5:30pm, 50 weeks per year. We close for two full weeks at Christmas, all Bank Holidays and 5 Inset Days per the year. You will not be charged for these days and we will not claim any Early Years Entitlement Funding on these days.

We do not offer Term Time Only places at Teddy Wilf's @ Shopwyke so children attend throughout the school holidays. This means children become settled in a consistent routine and do not have large breaks in their nursery attendance (which they often don't understand and beg to go in anyway!) and it also avoids the unsettled periods following the school holidays. Full Nursery fees are payable at all times to maintain a child's place. However, families will be permitted two weeks (of their normal attendance) as holidays each academic year, during which they will receive a 50% discount on their fees.

If families are in receipt of 15 hour funding:

Instead of claiming 15 hours per week over 38 weeks, families will be able to access 12 hours per week over 48 weeks.

If families are in receipt of 30 hour funding:

Instead of claiming 30 hours per week over 38 weeks, families will be able to access 24 hours per week over 48 weeks.

Teddy Wilf's @ Shopwyke Registration Fee

A one-off fee to register your child with Teddy Wilf's

£ 50.00

Please note: This is not applicable to children who are ONLY attending Early Years Entitlement Funded sessions & are not paying for any sessions.

## **Session Prices**

Full Day	8:00am - 5:30pm	9.5 hours of EYE Funding + + £5.00 Voluntary Consumables Charge *	OR	£ 75.00
Half Day AM	8:00am - 1:00pm	5 hours of EYE Funding + £2.50 Voluntary Consumables Charge *	OR	£ 40.00
Half Day PM	1:00pm - 5:30pm	4.5 hours of EYE Funding + £2.50 Voluntary Consumables Charge *	OR	£ 40.00

## \* Voluntary Consumables Charge - For those children in receipt of Early Years Entitlement Funding

This charge helps us to cover the costs of your children's breakfast, snacks, nappies, wipes and suncream whilst they are at Teddy Wilf's, which West Sussex County Council have made clear are not covered by the Early Years Entitlement Funding. The Voluntary Consumables Charge will be automatically added to your invoice and will equate to £2.50 per core session (AM and PM). In return we will provide all nappies, wipes, sun cream, a mid-morning and mid-afternoon snack and for children at Teddy Wilf's Nurseries.

If you would prefer not to pay the additional £2.50 per session then families will be welcome to provide the nappies, wipes, sun cream and mid-morning and mid-afternoon snacks for their child – please just let our Head Office Team know so your invoice can be amended accordingly.

### Meals at Teddy Wilf's Nurseries

We ask all of our children to bring a packed lunch to nursery so our Team can concentrate on supporting lunchbox skills which will benefit them as they progress on to school. Additionally, we know that children will have something that we know they will enjoy!

For those children at Nursery between 4:30pm and 5:15pm we offer a freshly cooked evening meal which is prepared on site. Over the years we have found that the majority of our families have a hot evening meal at home, so this was more familiar for many of children. Additionally, as working Mummies ourselves, we have always liked the idea of our children going to bed with a full tummy in the hopes of getting a goods nights sleep!

# Term Dates from September 2025 - August 2026

<u>Autumn Term</u>	Spring Term	<u>Summer Term</u>
Wednesday 3rd September 2025 -	Monday 5th January 2026 -	Monday 13th April 2026 -
Friday 19th December 2025	Friday 10th April 2026	Friday 28th August 2026
Inset Days: To Be Confirmed	Inset Days: To Be Confirmed	Inset Days: To Be Confirmed

# **Financial Support for Parents**

## Local Authority 2 Year Funding – for eligible 2 year olds

If your family is in receipt of certain benefits, your child is adopted, under a Special Guardianship Order, receives Disability Living Allowance or has an EHCP then your child may be able to access 15 hours per week of free childcare during term time. Children are eligible from the term following their 2<sup>nd</sup> birthday (1<sup>st</sup> September, 1<sup>st</sup> January or 1<sup>st</sup> April). You must apply to West Sussex County Council for this funding and they will confirm your eligibility. Once you have been awarded this funding it cannot be removed, even if your circumstances change.

### 15 hour Early Years Entitlement Funding for Working Families - for eligible children from 9 months

If any Parents living in the household are working at least 16 hours per week at minimum wage, all year, then you are eligible for 15 hours per week during term time. Children are eligible from the term following them turning 9 months old (1<sup>st</sup> September, 1<sup>st</sup> January or 1<sup>st</sup> April). You will have to apply online for this funding via www.childcarechoices.gov.uk and they will confirm your eligibility. You will then need to log in and reconfirm your eligibility every 3 months otherwise you will lose the funding.

**PLEASE NOTE** From September 2025 the Early Years Entitlement Funding for eligible children from 9 months will increase from 15 hours per week during term time to 30 hours during term time. This is likely to lead to increased demand on places in the Early Years so we recommend contacting nurseries as soon as possible to secure your place.

## 15 hour Universal Early Years Entitlement Funding – for ALL 3 & 4 year olds

All children aged 3 or 4 years old are entitled to 15 hours per week of free childcare during term time. Children are eligible from the term following their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday (1<sup>st</sup> September, 1<sup>st</sup> January or 1<sup>st</sup> April). You do not need to apply for this funding – we claim it on your behalf, we just need you to complete a 'Parent Declaration' which we will give you once your child eligible.

## 15 hour Extended Early Years Entitlement Funding for Working Families – for eligible 3 & 4 year olds

If any Parents living in the household are working at least 16 hours per week at minimum wage, all year, then you are eligible for an additional 15 hours per week during term time, bringing the total to 30 hours per week. Children are eligible from the term following their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday (1<sup>st</sup> September, 1<sup>st</sup> January or 1<sup>st</sup> April). You will have to apply online for this funding via wwwchildcarechoices.gov.uk and they will confirm your eligibility. You will then need to log in and reconfirm your eligibility every 3 months otherwise you will lose the funding.

Tax Free Childcare – for eligible children aged 0 – 11 years old - If you are working at least 16 hours per week at minimum wage, all year, and you are paying for childcare – the Government could help you by paying up to £2000 per year. For every £8.00 you pay into your Tax Free Childcare account, the Government will top it up by £2.00. Please note, this cannot be used in conjunction with Universal Credit.

Universal Credit – for eligible children aged 0 – 16 years old - If you are in receipt of Universal Credit, you could be entitled to support with your childcare costs. This is dependent on your individual circumstances but could be worth £ 1,031.88 per month for one child or £ 1,768.94 per month for two or more children.

**Support Whilst you Study** - There is various financial support for Parents who are studying (Care to Learn, Discretionary Learners Support and Childcare Grants) as well as financial support from individual learning providers (e.g. Chichester College will, in certain circumstances, help pay for childcare whilst you study).

For more information we recommend you visit www.childcarechoices.gov.uk or the West Sussex County Council Website.

## **IMPORTANT**

Please don't forget that the Early Years Entitlement Funding for Working Families MUST be applied for a term in advance. Unfortunately, if families miss this deadline we will be unable to claim any funding for your child and you will either need to delay their start date or cover the cost of the childcare yourself.

Any claims for the Autumn Term must be made before midnight on the 31st August, claims for the Spring Term must be made before midnight on the 31st December and claims for the Summer Term must be made before midnight on the 31st March.