



Little Wombat Preschool & Wombat wrap-around care

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Fees Policy January 2026

Little Wombat is committed to providing an open and transparent Fees Structure for parents to be clear on what they are paying and when, including what these covers.

Nursery Fees Policy

1. Funded Places

Children accessing funded early education hours (as provided by government schemes) are entitled to receive these hours free of charge. These funded hours cover childcare and education only.

2. Voluntary Consumables Charge

The nursery applies a voluntary charge to cover consumables used during your child's sessions within the preschool hours. This is charged at £1 for 3 hours or less and £1.50 for 3 hours or more.

These may include, but are not limited to:

- Snacks and meals This includes morning snack including fruit and another item and a larger afternoon snack /light tea – as per menu.
- Wipes, and creams
- Suncream

Prices are worked out as £0.60p per child per AM snack £1 per PM snack a day 20p wipes/cream 20p for suncream. The difference is if doing half a day they get only 1 of the snacks.

This charge is voluntary; however, if parents choose not to pay, they will be required to provide all necessary consumables for their child each day.

3. Additional Hours

Any hours attended outside of a child's funded entitlement will be charged at a rate of **£7.50 per hour**. These hours will be invoiced accordingly and must be paid in line with the nursery's payment terms.

4. Payment Terms

Invoices for additional hours and any agreed consumables charges will be issued regularly and must be paid by the stated due date. Late payments may incur additional charges or affect your child's booked sessions.

5. Agreement

By accepting a funded place at the nursery, parents agree to the terms outlined in this policy regarding voluntary consumables and paid additional hours.

6. Registration Fees/Deposits

Currently we do not charge for either of these.

If you have any questions regarding fees or funding, please speak to a member of the team.