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Where is my local Sure Start Children's Centre?

Westy Children's Centre
(next to Alderman Bolton Primary School)
01925 570870

Lymm Children's Centre
(in Lymm Library)
01925 264927

The Cygnets Children's Centre
(next to the Cobbs Infant School)
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The Orchard Children's Centre
(next to Brook Acre Primary School)
01925 816912

Woodlands Children's Centre
(next to Birchwood CE Primary School)
01925 852910

Butterflies Children's Centre
(next to Woolston Leisure Centre)
01925 852910

Meadow View Children's Centre
(next to Culcheth High School)
01925 852910

Sandy Lane Children's Centre
(next to St. Stephen's Catholic Primary School)
01925 425580

Sunshine Children's Centre
(next to Beamont Junior School)
01925 628680

Little Star's Children's Centre
(next to Dallam Primary School)
01925 636856

Sankey Valley Children's Centre
(next to Sankey Valley St. James CE Primary School)
01925 572153

Callands Children's Centre
(next to Callands Primary School)
01925 240807

Services vary from centre to centre with general access to:

- Early parenting information, advice and support
- Information, advice and support
- Play and learning facilities for children
- Information on childcare and school transitions
- Books for children and adults to borrow
- Information on childcare
- Health services for young children and their families
- Family support workers
- Outreach programmes, for example, providing activity sessions in local community venues



Sure Start
Children's Centres
Warrington

Free Childcare for 2 year olds

Don't let your child miss out on the best start in life.

Give them the opportunity to make new friends, learn through play and have lots of fun.



To see if your child is eligible for a place contact the **Families Information Service** on **01925 443322**.

Start building your child's future today!

IS my child entitled to a free place?

You can claim a free place for your child if you receive one or more of the following:

- Income Support
- Income based Jobseekers Allowance
- Income related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit or Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income below £16,190 (as assessed by Her Majesty's Revenue & Customs) Families in receipt of Working Tax Credit must submit a copy of their current TC602 form received from HM Inspector of Taxes dated within the last 12 months.
- Working Tax Credit 'run-on' the payment someone may receive for a further four weeks after they stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit.
- If the 2 year old has a current statement of SEN or an Education Health and Care Plan
- If the 2 year old attracts Disability Living Allowance (families must submit copy of their current award letter received from Department of Work & Pensions dated within the last 12 months).
- If the 2 year old is looked after by their Local Authority.
- If the 2 year old has left care through special guardianship or an adoption or residence order.

Children are also eligible if they or their family are receiving support or services from Children's Targeted Service social work teams.



When is my child entitled to a free place?

If your child's 2nd birthday falls between:

1 January - 31 March

1 April - 31 August

1 September - 31 December

He/she will become entitled to a free place from:

1st April

1st September

1st January

How do I know my child will be well looked after?

The free places will only be available from childcare providers who are proven to offer the highest possible standards of care for two year olds.

How do I apply?

- 1** Complete the form on the next page. Please note, any applications that do not have the parent's date of birth and national insurance number cannot be processed. Please check that these details have been entered correctly on to the form.
- 2** If you are eligible we will send you a voucher to give to your chosen childcare provider – we will also send a list of approved childcare providers where your child can take their place.
- 3** Contact your preferred childcare provider and arrange to visit Check if they have a place at the times you need. You may find it useful to contact Warrington Families Information Service (FIS) or visit www.warringtonchildren.org for advice on what questions to ask childcare providers.
- 4** Give your voucher to your chosen provider and provide a copy of your child's birth certificate.
- 5** Once you have secured a place, your childcare provider will ask you to complete a registration form and contract.

What else do I need to know?

Completing the application form does not guarantee a funded nursery place. We cannot guarantee that places will be available at your first choice provider and all places are subject to availability.

If you can't find a suitable provider or need further support, contact Warrington Families Information Service:
Tel: 01925 443322
Email: fis@warrington.gov.uk



Application Form

Please complete the details below to find out if your child is eligible. Please only use full legal names when completing this form, including middle names.

Applicant's details:

Title:..... Relationship to child:.....

First name(s):.....

Last name:.....

Address:.....

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..... Postcode:.....

Home Telephone:..... Mobile:.....

Date of Birth:..... National Insurance No.:.....
(or National Asylum Support Services (NASS) reference number)

Partner's/carer's details:

Title:..... Relationship to child:.....

First name(s):.....

Last name:.....

Date of Birth:..... National Insurance No.:.....
(or National Asylum Support Services (NASS) reference number)

Child's details:

First name(s):..... Middle names:.....

Last name:.....

Date of Birth:..... Gender: Male Female

Does the family have access to transport? Yes No

I/We certify that the information on this form is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I/We understand that the council may check with the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) and/or Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs regarding my eligibility. We may need to use this information for enquiries under Section 29.3 of the Data Protection Act - amended 1998 - Detection and Prevention of a crime.

I/We understand that the information recorded on this form, and any relevant information gained, will be shared with other agencies, stored and used for the purposes of providing services to me and/or my family.

Signature: Date: