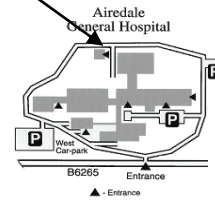


# Nightingales Day Nursery

## HOW TO FIND US:

We are here



## SALARY SACRIFICE SCHEME

Parents who use Nightingales Day Nursery and are employed by Airedale NHS Foundation Trust are able to commit part of their salary to pay for childcare, which is then non-taxable.

## NURSERY EDUCATION GRANT

From the school term following their third birthday, children are eligible to receive up to 30 hours per week state funded nursery care for 38 weeks of the year. For these children an additional charge will be incurred to cover meals.

## MATERNITY WORKSHOPS

Maternity workshops are held monthly for staff at Airedale Hospital and include information and advice on maternity regulations, working tax credits, health and safety at work, general childcare options, working and breastfeeding, and settling your child into childcare.

## FEES FOR 2021 - 2022

| Monday to Friday  |                   |                                |                                       |
|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 9 hours, full day | 10 hours full day | 7am - 1.30 pm morning half day | 11.30 am - 6.00 pm afternoon half day |
| £42.50            | £47.00            | £26.50                         | £26.50                                |

The core day is 9 hours, and the maximum time your child may stay in any one day is 10 hours, however, you will be charged an additional hourly rate for the additional hour or part thereof.



To find out more please contact:

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at Airedale Hospital



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**We welcome every child and accept them for who they are. We work together to help children achieve their potential by learning through play.**

## AIMS OF THE STAFF TEAM ARE:

- To provide affordable day care that fits in with parents/carers work patterns.
- To ensure that Nightingales Day Nursery is a safe, welcoming and happy place where all children can learn through play and develop their confidence.
- To value children as individuals and as members of the nursery.
- To understand that parents and carers are the main educators of their children at this stage in their lives.

The positive attitude of the staff creates a caring, learning environment in which children develop their own self-esteem and consideration for others. Staff are role models of courtesy and respect and use praise to develop high standards of behaviour



Cultural and religious backgrounds of all children are respected and celebrated.

## OUTDOOR PLAY AREAS

We offer 3 extensive, well-equipped outdoor areas, providing a rich and stimulating environment where children can explore and learn through play. As required in the Early Years Foundation Stage children have equal access to the education programme both indoors and outdoors on a daily basis.

Nightingales Day Nursery provides an attractive, well-resourced environment in which children can learn with enjoyment and interest. Staff have high but realistic expectations, helping children to achieve their potential.



Identification and support for special educational needs are monitored in accordance with the Code of Practice. The well-being of the children is, and always will be, our top priority.



Each child has an assigned primary and co-key person whose role is to help ensure that care is tailored to meet their individual needs.

This helps the child become familiar with the setting, develops a secure relationship and builds a trusting relationship with parents/carers.

Based in the grounds of Airedale Hospital, the nursery offers full or part-time places for pre-school age children, from age 10 weeks to 5 years. Children can join the nursery as a baby, toddler or pre-school child.

- The nursery is registered with Ofsted to offer 108 places.
- Open 5 days a week from 7 am to 6pm (6.30 pm by prior arrangement) for 52 weeks of the year. Weekends and bank holidays by arrangement – conditions apply).
- All our staff are fully qualified and have enhanced DBS checks.
- All drinks, meals and snacks are provided and we offer a healthy, well-balanced diet in accordance with nutritional guidance from our own dietetics team. Most special diets, including food allergies, can be catered for.

Nursery places are offered to staff employed by Airedale NHS Foundation Trust (both parents / carers and grandparents). Applications are also welcomed from employees of all other NHS Trusts, GP practices, dentists, emergency services, social services, local education and any other organisation working in partnership with Airedale NHS Foundation Trust.

## CHILDREN ARE CARED FOR IN THE FOLLOWING PLAY AREAS:

Ducklings (0-18 months)  
Staff-child ratio 1:3

Fledglings (18-24 months)  
Staff-child ratio 1:3

Wagtails (2-3 years)  
Staff-child ratio 1:4

Kingfishers (3-5 years)  
Staff-child ratio 1:8



You are welcome to visit our nursery and see for yourself the excellent environment we create for children and their families.

