

# EARLY YEARS CHILDCARE SUFFICIENCY

## 2023



### 2 YEAR OLD FUNDING

2 YR OLD'S FUNDING	ELIGIBILITY CH	TAKE UP %
NATIONAL	168000	74%
REGIONAL	26263	79%
ST HELENS	662	83%

**74%**  
OF CHILDREN ARE ACCESSING A TWO YEAR OLD PLACE IN ENGLAND

**83%**  
OF CHILDREN ARE ACCESSING A TWO-YEAR-OLD PLACE IN ST HELENS



### AVERAGE PRICE OF CHILDCARE

- DAY NURSERY - £52.00 PER DAY
- CHILDMINDERS - £37.00 PER DAY
- CHILDMINDER AGENCY - £42.00 PER DAY
- SCHOOL PRE-SCHOOLS - £12.00 PER SESSION
- PRIVATE PRE SCHOOLS - £18.50 PER SESSION
- SCHOOL MAINTAINED NURSERIES - £12.00 PER SESSION
- BREAKFAST CLUBS - £4.20 PER SESSION
- AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS - £7.40 PER SESSION
- HOLIDAY CARE - £38.00 PER DAY

### AVERAGE OPENING HOURS



<b>DAY NURSERY</b> 7.30AM - 6.00PM	<b>CHILDMINDER</b> 8.00AM - 6.00PM	<b>PRE-SCHOOL</b> 8.45AM - 4.00PM
<b>BEFORE/AFTER SCHOOL</b> 7.30AM - 6.00PM	<b>HOLIDAY CLUBS</b> 8.00AM - 6.00PM	<b>SCHOOL</b> 8.45AM - 3.30PM



### 3 AND 4 YEAR OLD FUNDING

3 AND 4 YR OLD'S FUNDING - 15 HOUR ENTITLEMENT	ELIGIBILITY CH	TAKE UP %
NATIONAL	1276100	94%
REGIONAL	166041	97%
ST HELENS	3946	95%

**94%**  
OF CHILDREN ARE ACCESSING A 3 & 4 YEAR 15-HOUR PLACE IN ENGLAND (NATIONALLY)

**95%**  
OF CHILDREN ARE ACCESSING A 3 & 4 YEAR 15-HOUR PLACE IN ST HELENS

### HEADLINE DATA - ST HELENS

**662**  
CHILDREN ARE ACCESSING A 2YR OLD, FUNDED PLACE.

**3,946**  
CHILDREN ACCESSING A 3-AND 4-YEAR-OLD 15 HOUR FUNDED PLACE.

**105**  
CHILDREN ACCESSING PORTAGE IN ST HELENS, **42** ON THE INFANT AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME, **32** ENGAGING IN A SOCIAL COMMUNICATION PROGRAMME AND **31** ATTENDING THE PORTAGE GROUP.

**33**  
CHILDREN HAVE AN EHCP AND **304** HAVE SEN SUPPORT AND ARE ACCESSING 15 HOURS OR FUNDED EDUCATION ACROSS ALL AGE RANGES.

**39**  
CHILDREN CURRENTLY RECEIVING DISABILITY ACCESS FUND (DAF)

**427**  
CHILDREN CURRENTLY RECEIVING EARLY YEARS PUPIL PREMIUM (EYPP)

**9659**  
CHILDREN ARE AGED 0-4 YEARS IN ST HELENS

**28,794**  
CHILDREN AGED 5-18 YEARS IN ST HELENS



**3** YEAR OLDS  
**135**

**2** YEAR OLDS  
**94**

**PROVIDERS DELIVERING FUNDED PLACES**

**100%**  
OF PROVIDERS ARE GOOD OR OUTSTANDING

