

CHANGES FROM 2024



Free childcare from when your child is two-years-old (and younger) Are you eligible?

At present some families are eligible for free childcare for their two-year-olds. From April 2024 this will extend to some working families. From September 2024 this offer will extend to some nine-month-olds.

To find out more about the working parent entitlement, scan this QR code or visit Childcare Choices website. You must apply for two-year-olds from 2 January to 31 March 2024.



The Government hasn't yet announced when you can apply for nine-month-olds for September 2024.

If you are on a low income, for your two-year-old, you may be eligible for the disadvantaged entitlement. Discuss this with your provider.



Register your details with Newcastle City Council and we will send you information about how and when to apply, plus answer any questions you may have.

