



2026 FEE AND PAYMENT INFORMATION

CHILDCARE

Childcare Bond: \$200 per child (must be paid at the time of enrolment, and a direct debit must also be set up for paying fees)

Childcare 0-3 Years

Full Day: Permanent \$166 or Casual \$171

Half Day: Permanent \$88 or Casual \$93

(Morning: 7:30am-12:30pm or Afternoon: 1:00pm-6:00pm)

Childcare 3-5 Years

Full Day: Permanent \$156 or Casual \$161

Half Day: Permanent \$83 or Casual \$88

(Morning: 7:30am-12:30pm or Afternoon: 1:00pm-6:00pm)

PRESCHOOL

All children aged 3-5 years in NSW, enrolled in an approved early childhood education program are eligible for Start Strong funding. If parents/carers choose to allocate their Start Strong fee relief to our Preschool, BDCS will waive the full cost of Preschool fees for that child. This means the child can attend 2 days per week, completely fee-free, for the entire year. To access this, a Fee Relief Declaration Form must be completed. If fee relief is allocated to another service, the below fees will apply.

3 Year Old:

Eligible for equity loading \$70 or not eligible for equity loading: \$100

4 Year Old and above:

Eligible for equity loading \$30 or not eligible for equity loading: \$60

ABSENCES

BDCS provides a fee discount for absences with at least two weeks' written notice.

LATE COLLECTION FEES

Late Fee: \$50 every 15 minutes

Please ensure you arrive in time to discuss your child's day prior to the service closing. If a child has not been collected from the service prior to the closing time, the late collection fee will apply (Preschool after 5pm and Childcare after 6pm).

MOBILE PLAYGROUP AND TOY LIBRARY

It is free to attend Mobile Playgroup and to borrow resources from the Toy Library.

OVERDUE FEES

Parents and carers with overdue fees are encouraged to speak with the Director to discuss payment difficulties and arrange a suitable plan. If no arrangement is made, or agreed payments are not maintained, the account may be referred to a debt collector and the child's enrolment suspended until all outstanding fees are paid.