

# ANNEX A

## Parent Declaration Form: Early Years, Disability Access and Free School Meal funding



**Please use black ink and write in block capitals.**

All three and four year olds are eligible for a funded early education place of 15 hours a week for 38 weeks per year (term time only) or the equivalent of 570 hours stretched over the whole year.

Some two year olds are eligible for 15 hours per year subject to certain criteria – see '**Parents Notes**'.

Some three and four year olds will be eligible for 30 hours per week funded early education place (term-time or equivalent stretched). This form collects information to assess which funding you are eligible for including Free School Meals, Pupil Premium and Disability Access Fund

**Parent or Carer details: the person receiving the benefit must be listed.**

Title:	Legal Forename:	Legal Family name:											
Previously known surname:													
Address:													
		Postcode:											
Date of birth:        /        /        (i.e. 31/08/1970)	Telephone:												
Mobile phone number:	Are you a lone parent: Y/N												
Email address:													
National Insurance (NI) or National Asylum Support Service (NASS) number:													
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<i>NI - 9 digits, 2 letters, 6 numbers 1 letter. NASS - first 9 numbers only</i>													
<b>**NEW** 30 hours eligibility code</b> (e.g. 12345678912)													
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<b>**NEW** Golden ticket number</b> (for two year old funding):													
Relationship to child/ren named on this claim:													

**If you have joint parental responsibility please complete the details below:**

Title:	Legal Forename:	Legal Family name:
Previously known surname:		
Address:		
		Postcode:
Date of birth:        /        /        (i.e. 31/08/1970)	Telephone:	

NI or NASS number:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Relationship to child/ren named on this claim:
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**Child details:**

Legal Forename:	Legal family name:
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Date of Birth: / /	Gender M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	Ethnicity code:
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Address:
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Postcode:	Language spoken:
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Additional information**:	DLA <input type="checkbox"/>	EHCP <input type="checkbox"/>	LAC <input type="checkbox"/>	Adopted <input type="checkbox"/>	Residence Order / Special Guardianship <input type="checkbox"/>
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**\*\* If you have ticked any of the above your Provider may ask you to produce evidence**

Main Provider/School:
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Proposed start date:	Proposed hours per week:
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Please complete section below regarding hours per week including any other Providers/schools who may also be claiming funding.

**Setting / School and attendance details**

- You need to complete this Declaration Form for each setting / school your child attends for their early education entitlement in order to ensure that funding is paid fairly between them
- Your child can attend a maximum of three settings and if your child attends more than 1 setting you can decide how to allocate your funded hours.
- If your child is in receipt of DLA one Provider may be eligible for Disability Access Fund – to help us allocate this please nominate your main Provider: \_\_\_\_\_

**My child is attending the following settings:**

Setting / School Name(s)	Please enter total free entitlement hours attended per day*					Total number of hours per week	Number of weeks per year (e.g. 38, 51)
	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri		
<b>A</b>							
<b>B</b>							
<b>C</b>							
Total Daily Free Hours Attended							
Start Date/s							

\* You may need to discuss these hours to make sure parents and Provider agree which settings are claiming the funded 15 or 30 hours (including if stretched over the whole year)

### **Siblings (other children who you have parental responsibility for)**

	Forename	Surname	Date of birth
Child 1			
Child 2			
Child 3			
Child 4			
Child 5			
Child 6			

### **Parent/Carer/Guardian with legal responsibility declaration**

**I am eligible** for (Please refer to 'Parents Notes' and tick)

- 15 hours for two year olds (see note 1)
- 30 hours for three and four year old (see note 2)
- 15 hours for three and four year old (see note 3)
- Disability Access Fund i.e. in receipt of DLA (see note 4)
- Early Years Pupil Premium (see note 5)

I agree that the information given above is correct, and I give permission for Newcastle City Council to check my eligibility status with the relevant benefit providers, and hold my details to make further checks including Early Years Pupil Premium, Disability Access Fund and Free School Meals. I agree to inform you immediately if my benefit stops or changes.

If eligible I agree to complete local Sure Start registration form (two year olds only)

Parent Signed:	Date:
Childcare Provider Signed: Print Name:	Date:

**Data privacy:** The General Data Protection Act May 2018 puts in place certain safeguards regarding the use of personal data by organisations, including the Department for Education (DfE), local authorities and schools. The Act gives rights to those (known as data subjects) about whom data is held, such as pupils, their parents and teachers. This includes:

- the right to know the types of data being held;
- why it is being held; and
- to whom it may be communicated.

Should you have any concerns in relation to how your information or the information relating to your child/ren is being or will be used, please contact your provider or the Early Years Sector Support team on 0191 277 4674

Please note that information about whether a child is in receipt of Disability Living Allowance is sensitive personal data which should be handled appropriately. Providers are asked to pay particular note to advice from the ICO on holding personal data including sensitive personal data available: <https://ico.org.uk/for-organisations/guide-to-the-general-data-protection-regulation-gdpr/principles/>

## Parent Notes:

**Note 1:** To be eligible for 15 hours for my two-year-old I must be in receipt of one of the following:

- Income Support/ Income Based JSA, Income related ESA
- Child Tax Credit (with or without Working TC) and combined income of less than £16,190
- Universal Credit
- The Guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act
- Child in receipt of DLA
- Child is Looked After, has left care through Adoption, Special Guardianship or Residence Order

**Note 2:** To be eligible for 30 hours for my three-or-four-year-old I must earn less than £100,000 and meet one of the following criteria:

- Single parents who works at least 16 hours or earns more than £120 / £112.80\*
- Couple - both parents work at least 16 hours/week or each earn more than £120 / £112.80\*
- Working will include those on statutory sick pay, parental, adoption, maternity or paternity leave
- One parent is employed and the other parent is in receipt of specific carers' benefits, or specific disability or incapacity benefits.

\* These weekly amounts are based on working 16 hours at the National Living/Minimum Wage which is different for different ages i.e. at 25 years you need to earn at least £120 per week, for 21 to 24 year olds this will be at least £112.80 per week and a lower rate again for under 21's

**Note 3:** All three-and-four-year-olds are entitled to 15 hours early education. If you are not entitled under note 1 or note 2 you can choose to pay for additional hours yourself and you may get support from the Government through Tax/Universal Credit or through Childcare Vouchers.

**Note 4:** Three- and four-year old children who are in receipt of child DLA and are receiving the free entitlement are eligible for the Disability Access Fund (DAF). DAF is paid to the child's setting as a fixed annual rate of £615. See - <https://www.gov.uk/disability-living-allowance-children/overview>

**Note 5:** Early Years Pupil Premium (EYPP) is an additional sum of money paid to childcare providers for children of families in receipt of certain benefits including

- Income Support/ Income Based JSA, Income related ESA
- Child Tax Credit (but not Working TC) and combined income of less than £16,190
- Universal Credit
- The Guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act
- Child in receipt of DLA
- Child is Looked After, has left care through Adoption, Special Guardianship or Residence Order

This funding will be used to enhance the quality of their early years' experience by improving the teaching and learning and facilities and resources, with the aim of impacting positively on your child's progress and development. For more information please speak to your childcare provider.

### Child Ethnicity codes:

Ethnicity Category	Code	Ethnicity Category	Code
White - British	WBRI	Asian or Asian British - Pakistani	APKN
White - Irish	WIRI	Asian or Asian British - Bangladeshi	ABAN
Traveller of Irish Heritage	WIRT	Asian or Asian British - Any other Asian Background	AOTH
Gypsy / Roma	WROM	Black or Black British - Caribbean	BCRB
White - Any Other White Background	WOTH	Black or Black British - African	BAFR
Mixed - White and Black Caribbean	MWBC	Black or Black British - Any Other Black background	BOTH
Mixed - White and Black African	MWBA	Chinese	CHNE
Mixed - White and Asian	MWAS	Any Other Ethnic Group	OOTH
Mixed - Any Other Mixed background	MOTH	Refused	REFU
Asian or Asian British - Indian	AIND	Information Not Yet Obtained	NOBT