

# Trafford Council Childcare Sufficiency 2021



There are 14,063 children aged 0 to 4 in Trafford



There are 33,475 children aged 5 to 14 in Trafford



**76.2%**

of the working age population are in employment ([nomisweb](#))



49 children aged 0 to 4 in Trafford have an EHCP



1961 children aged 5 to 18 in Trafford have an EHCP

## 2 YEAR OLD FUNDING

963

• individual children funded in academic year 20-21

97%

• of eligible 2 year olds are taking up a place in Trafford

91%

• of children access their place in a Good or Outstanding setting

226 providers deliver 2 year old funding



## AVERAGE PRICE OF CHILDCARE

Day Nursery

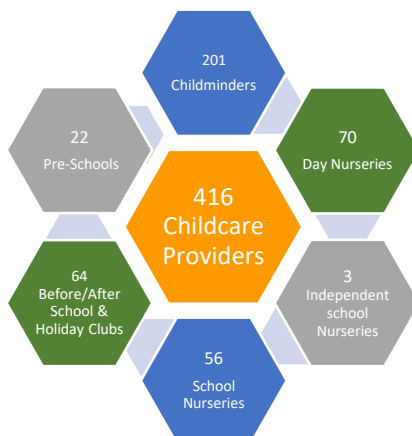
- Under 2's £46.40
- Under 3's £46.40
- 3 & 4 years £46.00

Childminder

• £40 per day

Extended Care

- After School £9.83
- Holiday Club £26.68



237 childcare providers deliver early education funding.

## AVERAGE OPENING HOURS

Childminder

Open: 7:30am  
Close: 6:00pm

Before/After School

Open: 7:30am  
Close: 6:00pm

Day Nursery

Open: 7:30am  
Close: 6:00pm

Holiday Club

Open: 8:00am  
Close: 6:00pm

## 3&4 YEAR OLD FUNDING

4747

• 3&4 year olds taking up a universal funded place in academic year 20-21

2707

• 3&4 year olds taking up an Extended funded place

95%

• of children access their place in a Good or Outstanding setting

8%

• of children received Early Years Pupil Premium

237 providers deliver 3 & 4 year old funding



97.5% of Providers are Ofsted rated Outstanding, Good or Met

## PROVIDER OCCUPANCY



Two thirds of group early education providers reported either consistent or higher occupancy than previous years, with one third reporting lower numbers due to decreased parental demand. **There are no known sufficiency issues reported.**

**28%**

Of PVI providers delivering Early Education funding have at least 1 graduate leading practice

52 children are receiving Portage

Our SEND team are currently supporting 209 children with Special Educational Needs & Disabilities

27 children received Disability Access Funding

124 children received EY SEND Funding

## Covid Impact

Whilst take up of the 2 year early education offer remained relatively high in Trafford this is lower in some areas North of the Borough



The number of childminders has dropped during this time with 18% of those currently registered choosing not to offer early education at present



Take up of universal early education places for 3 and 4 Year olds has dropped by 6% compared to the previous year



Recruitment and retention of the early years workforce is a key issue