



15 Hours Early CHILDCARE for Terrific Twos/Rising 3s at Suffolks Primary School!

The Terrific Twos/Rising 3s funding is up to 15 hours per week for 38 weeks a year, term time only for eligible children. At Suffolks, we can offer the hours the day after your child's 3rd birthday. There are 2 eligibility criteria -

1) Your Terrific Twos/rising 3s will be eligible for funding if you receive one of the following benefits:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA)
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance (ESA)
- Universal Credit, and your household income is £15,400 a year or less after tax, not including benefit payments
- Child tax credits and, your household income is £16,190 a year or less before tax
- The guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- The Working Tax Credit 4-week run on (the payment you get when you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)

2) You may also qualify if you (and your partner, if you have one):

- ✓ are working or starting a new job
- ✓ are on sick leave, annual leave, maternity/paternity/adoption leave

Income Requirements (over 3 months) - you must each expect to earn at least:

- £2,539.68 (age 21+) (equivalent to £195.36 per week)
- £2,080 (age 18–20) (equivalent to £160 per week)
- £1,570.40 (under 18 or apprentice) ·(equivalent to £120.80 per week)

This equals 16 hours per week at minimum wage.

Please click on the [**Childcare Support Checker**](#) for more information.

[**Click here to apply for the code**](#)



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When to Apply

If my child turns 3 years old between	I can apply from	I can access the 15 hours from
1 January to 31 March	September before	Term starting on or after 1 April
1 April to 31 August	January before	Term starting on or after 1 September
1 September to 31 December	April before	Term starting on or after 1 January

How to Apply

[**Click here to complete the online form to apply.**](#)

