

Facebook Feedback

Future Needs Questionnaire Early Learning and Childcare

Thank you to the parents and carers who responded.

We asked you which provider you would like to use?



50% of you said want to use a school nursery

28% of you want to use a private or voluntary provider



16% of you want to use a childminder

5% of you said you would use more than one provider

We asked if you would you prefer your provision term time only or all year round?



57% of you said you would prefer all year round

Year Round



43% of you said you would prefer term time

Term Time

The Council is committed to providing the best start in life for all our children, delivering flexible Early Learning and Childcare for parents.

We will continue to ask for your views.



60% of you who have already registered for Early Learning and Childcare found the process straight forward.

To make the registration easier you said:

“More notice of registration dates”

“More information needs to be provided”

“Wider range of days and to complete online”

“There is duplication when using two providers”

To help make the registration process easier the Council will:

Send parents a letter with the dates and information about registration

Develop online applications

The General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) means you need to register at both Early Learning and Childcare providers



You told us the main reasons for choosing an Early Learning and childcare provider were that:

- the service was close to home
- it is located at the school that you wished your child to attend and
- the service offered a quality experience for your child.