

## ST JOHN'S PRIORY SCHOOL

## Nursery &amp; Prep School Fees, Funding and Wraparound Care

2026 - 2027

## Nursery Admissions & Early Education Funding

We welcome children from 3 years old. Our nursery operates term time only for 34 weeks of the year, Monday to Friday from 8:00am to 5:30pm. We accept Early Education Funding (EEF), including 15 funded hours for all eligible children and 30 funded hours for eligible working families with a valid funding code.

Funded hours are provided in accordance with government early education funding guidance and Oxfordshire County Council requirements. Funded hours are separate from additional services or childcare sessions that families may choose to access.

### Funded Session Options

| Session                          | Funded provision                                                                                                 | Optional / additional charge                                                   |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Morning: 8:00am - 12:30pm        | Funded early education session for eligible children.                                                            | Optional lunch provision: £7 per session, including lunch and supervision.     |
| Afternoon: 12:30pm - 3:30pm      | Funded early education session for eligible children.                                                            | No additional charge stated for this funded session.                           |
| Full funded day: 8:00am - 3:30pm | Funded early education session for eligible children.                                                            | Optional lunch provision: £7 per session, including lunch and supervision.     |
| Wraparound: 3:30pm - 5:30pm      | Remaining 30-hour entitlement may be used where available, subject to availability and the needs of the setting. | If funded hours are unavailable, the session is charged at the published rate. |

Families may choose whether to access optional lunch provision. Optional charges are not a condition of accessing funded hours.

### Additional Nursery Sessions Outside Funded Hours

| Session                            | Private session charge |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 8:00am - 12:30pm (including lunch) | £45                    |
| 12:30pm - 3:30pm                   | £30                    |
| 8:00am - 3:30pm (including lunch)  | £75                    |
| 8:00am - 5:30pm (including lunch)  | £90                    |

These charges apply only to hours additional to a child's funded entitlement, or where a child is not eligible for funded hours.

### Funding Information for Families

- Funded hours are available to eligible children only and are subject to eligibility criteria and, where applicable, receipt of a valid funding code.
- Parents accessing 30 hours funding must reconfirm their eligibility with HMRC every 3 months.
- Parents will not be charged for the funded hours their child is entitled to receive.
- Early Education Funding covers childcare provision only and does not include additional services or consumables.
- Any additional charges for meals, snacks, consumables or extra sessions will be clearly communicated in advance and identified separately from funded hours.
- Funded sessions are subject to availability and the school's admissions policy.
- The setting operates term time only and does not offer stretched funding across the year.
- Funded hours cannot be converted into a cash payment or used as a discount against additional fees.

- Families will receive clear information about their funded entitlement, how hours are allocated and any additional costs before their child starts.

## Registration Fees & Deposits

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- Nursery Registration Fee: £75 (non-refundable, not applicable to funded sessions only).
- Prep School Registration Fee: £175 (non-refundable and inclusive of a complimentary school blazer).
- A deposit of £1,000 is required to secure a child's place for admission to the Prep School. Further details are available in the school's terms and conditions.

## Prep School Fees 2026 - 2027

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All Prep School fees shown below are inclusive of VAT.

| Year group                      | Fee per term |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Lower Prep (Reception - Year 2) | £5,191       |
| Upper Prep (Year 3 - Year 6)    | £5,748       |

Fees are payable in advance. A discount may be applied where fees are paid in advance in accordance with the school's fee policy. Please contact the school office for details of advance payment arrangements and applicable discounts.

## Wraparound Care & Holiday Club

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- After School Club runs daily from 3:30pm - 5:30pm and is charged at £10 per hour.
- A variety of after school clubs and activities is offered throughout the term; details are shared with parents each term.
- Children in Years 3 - 6 may attend After School Prep free of charge to complete homework or classwork in a supervised environment.
- Holiday Club operates during the Easter, Summer and Christmas holidays and is charged at £38 per day. Discounts may be available for full-week block bookings and siblings.

## Tax-Free Childcare & Childcare Vouchers

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We accept Tax-Free Childcare payments and childcare vouchers through approved providers where applicable. Parents are responsible for ensuring payments are made in sufficient time to meet fee due dates. Please contact the school office for information regarding accepted providers and payment arrangements.

## Important Notes

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- Fees for non-funded sessions are payable in advance.
- Late collection charges may apply.
- Families requiring childcare beyond their funded entitlement may purchase additional childcare hours.
- Please speak with a member of the team if you have questions about funded hours, session availability, additional sessions or charges.