



Headteacher: Mrs J. Tyers
**ST. PAULS C.E. PRIMARY
SCHOOL**

Nevile Road,
Kersal, Salford,
M7 3PT

Telephone: 0161 792 9474

Fax: 0161 921 2067

Date 10/11/2021

Dear Parent,

As you may be aware the government introduced an additional 15 hours of free childcare for 3 and 4 year old children of working families from September 2017.

If you have accepted a full time equivalent place in a maintained primary school from September 2021, you will be able to use your 30 hour childcare voucher with the school.

If you are currently accessing 30 hours with a childcare provider could we request that you provide your current '30 hour eligibility code', to the school as soon as possible in readiness for the autumn term.

If you have not yet applied for this voucher, you can check if you would be eligible via the Childcare Choices website <https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk>

You will need to register for a government gateway account **if you do not have one already** and follow the instructions to apply/access a 30 hour eligibility voucher. If you are having problems the HMRC helpline telephone number is **0300 1234097**

It is important that the school receive your eligibility code as this will support their early year's budget, which will support your child's learning and development

Yours sincerely

Tracy Kehoe
School Business Manager