



## From mountain to sea

### Applications for Early Years and P1 for the 2024/25 session

- Nursery**

Children aged 3 or 4 years of age have a right to approximately 30 hours of free early learning (nursery) or childcare per week

| Children born between:   | Can start nursery from:          |
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| 1 <sup>st</sup> March 2020– 31 <sup>st</sup> August 2021       | 20 <sup>th</sup> of August 2024  |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> September 2021 – 27 <sup>th</sup> October 2021 | 28 <sup>th</sup> of October 2024 |
| 28 <sup>th</sup> October 2021 – 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2022   | 6 <sup>th</sup> of January 2025  |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2022 – 13 <sup>th</sup> April 2022     | 14 <sup>th</sup> of April 2025   |

The application form for 2024/25 early years (nursery) places will be available from Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2024 to Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024.

To apply, click this link:

<https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/social-care-and-health/childcare-and-early-learning/3-and-4-year-olds/>

If you need help, contact your local nursery or email [earlyyears@aberdeenshire.gov.uk](mailto:earlyyears@aberdeenshire.gov.uk)

- Pre-school early learning**

Some children aged 2 years have a right to free early learning (nursery) or childcare.

If you qualify (on benefits / low income etc), and your child was born between 1<sup>st</sup> March 2022 and 28<sup>th</sup> February 2023, you may be able to access a nursery place. <https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/social-care-and-health/childcare-and-early-learning/2-year-olds/>

If you need help or advice, email [Eligible2andCensus@aberdeenshire.gov.uk](mailto:Eligible2andCensus@aberdeenshire.gov.uk)



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- **School**

If your child was born between 1st March 2019 and 28th February 2020, you can register them in January 2024 to start attending school in August 2024.

The registration period for school places for term 2024/25 is open from Monday, 15<sup>th</sup> January to Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> January 2024. If you miss it, please contact your chosen primary before the end of February.

Click this link to apply: <https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/schools/school-info/admissions/primary-school-registration/>.

If you need an interpreter to assist with your child's application, contact [eal.service@aberdeenshire.gov.uk](mailto:eal.service@aberdeenshire.gov.uk)