



# The Playden

Out of School Club

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Dear Parent/Carer

## Fee changes with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2021

I am writing to inform you of fee increases which will take effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2021. The Trustees of The Playden have conducted a detailed review of fee rates in order to notify customers in advance of increases required for the beginning of the new financial year.

A number of additional factors have been identified impacting on the budget over the coming year, some known increases (e.g. increases to National Minimum Wage 2.6%) and some yet to be identified (e.g. the impact of Covid19 and Brexit and the knock-on effect to our suppliers).

As a consequence, with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2021, the main rates that will apply are:

	Current Fees	Fees for 2021/22
After School Club	£9.75	<b>£10.00</b>
Breakfast Club	£4.75	<b>£5.00</b>
Holiday Club	£27.00	<b>£28.00</b>

During this past financial year, financial investment has been made to improve the quality of care provided at the Playden. As the Playden is a charity, Trustees ensure that any surplus funds generated are reinvested into the club.

An Assisted Places scheme is available to support families subject to certain criteria. Although this is designed specifically for families on low incomes, please bear in mind that applications can be made to this fund when families suffer sudden financial changes that can lead to hardship. The current Assisted Place rate fee is available on application and you are welcome to speak to the manager who will guide you through the process.

More information about government funding is available via the childcare choices website at [www.childcarechoices.gov.uk](http://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk)

If you have any queries you are always welcome to contact us, please call 07788983658 or email [playden@yorkchildcare.co.uk](mailto:playden@yorkchildcare.co.uk)

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'SH' or 'Sarah Hall'.

Sarah Hall  
Chair of Trustees