RE: Increase in nursery fees from 1st April 2019

As you are aware, we conduct a review of fees of each year. The table below shows the new fees to be applied from April 2019. The funded figures are based on the government funding rate applied to the current year. Should this rate change, the funded fees will be amended accordingly.

| | Day* | Monthly Charge | With funding (3,4 yrs) |
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| 2 days | m,f | £443.33 | £290.19 |
| | m,mid | £448.00 | £294.86 |
| | mid, f | £462.00 | £308.86 |
| | mid x 2 | £466.67 | £313.53 |
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| 3 days | m,mid,f | £676.67 | £485.24 |
| | m,mid x 2 | £681.33 | £489.91 |
| | mid x 2,f | £695.33 | £503.91 |
| | mid x 3 | £700.00 | £508.58 |
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| 4 days | m,mid x 2,f | £910.00 | £718.58 |
| | m,mid x3 | £914.67 | £723.24 |
| | mid x 3,f | £928.67 | £737.24 |
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| 5 days | all wk | £1,143.33 | £951.91 |

We are making you aware of the forthcoming changes to fees now, in order for parents to have sufficient time to make the necessary arrangements regarding funding sources such as Universal Credits.

To support parents with childcare costs for children of all ages the Government introduced the Tax-Free Childcare scheme which is available to around 2 million households. You can open an online account which you can pay into to cover your cost of childcare, for every 80p you pay in the government will top up your account with an extra 20p.

To find out more about this scheme please go to:

https://www.tax.service.gov.uk/childcare-schemes-interest-welcome

15 hours childcare

For those parents with children aged 3 & 4 years the 15 hours childcare scheme is available.

At this point we as a Provider cannot check eligibility for you; to find out more about whether you may be eligible and how to apply please go to: https://childcare-support.tax.service.gov.uk/par/app/applynow

If you need help with any information on support with your childcare fees or applications please do get in touch.

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