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Who can apply for Free Childcare for Training and Learning for Work?

The handy checklist below will help you see if you can take part in the scheme.

- You're a parent of a child or children aged 14 or under (18 or under for children with disabilities)
- You are not in any type of paid employment
- Your household income is £20,000 or under in the previous tax year
- You are in a family where your partner works full time or over 16 hours per week

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- **Visit direct.gov.uk/freechildcareforlearning**

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We've just made learning much easier

We know being a parent is a highly skilled job. However, we also know that many parents would welcome the opportunity to learn new skills or build on existing ones to help create a better future for their family.

But trying to do both hasn't always been easy – until now.

Free Childcare for Training and Learning for Work is a new government scheme that pays for free Ofsted registered childcare for parents wanting to learn new skills or train for a better job.

Quite simply, this scheme can help increase employment prospects. And it is offered to parents with a child or children aged 14 or under (18 or under for children with disabilities).

Anything is possible – just get in touch today

Check the back of this leaflet to see if you can apply for Free Childcare for Training and Learning for Work, then call us for a chat on **0800 121 89 89** or visit direct.gov.uk/freechildcareforlearning

You choose the course

There are lots of great courses to choose from and many of them are free. So whether you want to brush up on your maths, train for something specific like nursing, or turn an interest such as DIY into a new career, we can help. For free impartial advice on suitable courses and training opportunities, call the Careers Advice Service on 0800 100 900.

Most courses will fit easily around your day-to-day life. There is also no minimum or maximum length for each course. And when one finishes, you can do another to help you find a job that's just right.

You choose the childcare

We also want to ensure you have total peace of mind while you learn or train. That's why we let you choose the childcare you trust, based on the individual needs of your child or children. Also, to make it easier, we'll pay the childcare provider directly.

Up to £175 per child per week (£215 in London boroughs) will be paid to your chosen childcare provider to ensure your children enjoy the experience as much as you do.

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