

HETTY Chargeable Snack and Consumables Policy

We charge a consumable fee depending on your child's hours per week for funded and none funded hours to ensure that our costs are covered for your childcare place.

We do not want any child to miss out on their Early Education due to financial considerations and therefore we offer some bursary places where the consumables' cost is covered by HETTY. However, these places are limited.

Wipes, suncream, Sudocrem, Piriton, Calpol and bedding (washed in-house) are just some of the items considered as consumables within the setting.

We have several parties at HETTY; Christmas sing along, Graduation (school leavers only) and events throughout the year which are included within your consumable charge and additional childcare for these sessions are at no extra cost.

Children also go on trips into our local community such as to the shops to buy ingredients for baking. We often take part in forest activities where outdoor waterproof suits are provided. The children also partake in gardening activities as part of the EYFS and all resources and equipment are provided by HETTY.

HETTY celebrates cultural festivals and provides different foods for the children to try.

Snacks

All children are offered a mid-morning healthy snack which could be fresh fruit, vegetables, dips, rice cakes, bagels, crackers, etc.

Breakfast- served from 7.45am to 8.45am choice of cereals and milk/water.

Lunch - You can provide your child with a healthy packed lunch which we kindly ask follows our healthy food policy. Due to the food standards agency compliance, we are unable to reheat-

prepared meals from home. You can however order a hot lunch provided by the school kitchen.

All children are offered an afternoon healthy snack within the school afternoon which could be fresh fruit, vegetables, dips, rice cakes, bagels, crackers, etc.

After school snack is served at 4.00pm which could be sandwiches, toast, wraps, crumpets or fresh fruit.

Opt-Out

Should you prefer not to pay our consumables charge, and have unsuccessfully applied for our Bursary places, you will need to provide the following daily items, clearly labelled: packaged wipes, suncream, Sudocrem.

You must also provide all snacks for your child's time with us, following the guidance from our Healthy Food Policy. Please ensure all food is labelled and packaged to comply with our allergens policy. We are unable to provide additional refrigerated storage and ask that you provide items with a freezer pack. Due to Food Standards Agency compliance, we are unable to reheat pre-prepared meals from home. If you don't send these items or they are not clearly marked they will not be given to your child and you will be charged an extra charge.

HETTY tries to keep payments as low as possible to support our families. Our aim is to give every child that attends HETTY the best start in life and for us to deliver the high-quality Early Years Education they deserve. This consumable list is not exhaustive and does not cover the full cost of consumables for HETTY to be sustainable and continue to offer our services. We rely heavily on the snack and consumables payments. HETTY has not increased prices since 2024 and hopes to continue with the pricing structure we have in place.

Bursary places

If you would like to apply for a consumables bursary, please contact the manager:

hettymanager@hooleceprimary.cheshire.sch.uk

There is more information about our pricing structure on our website www.hettypreschool.co.uk

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To Aid:	Staff, parents

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