



County Durham Families Information Service



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Brandon Happytimes Daycare Limited

We offer '30 hours childcare for working parents'

We offer sessional childcare and an out of school club located in Brandon Primary School, Durham.

We cater for 2 year old funded places.

30 hours funded places can be used in conjunction with other providers.

To find out more about help with childcare costs please visit www.durham.gov.uk/childcarecosts

When is it on?

Time of day	Morning Afternoon Evening
Session information	Day nursery: 8.00am - 6.00pm Monday to Friday. Out of school club: 7.45am - 9.00am and 3.00pm - 6.00pm Monday to Friday during term time only.

Who to contact

Contact name	Julie Dougherty
Contact position	Daycare Co-ordinator
Telephone	0191 378 9890
E-mail	happytimesdaycare@btconnect.com

Where to go

Name	Brandon Primary School
Address	Carr Avenue Brandon Durham County Durham
Postcode	DH7 8NL

Other details

Cost description	Please enquire.
Age range	From 0 years 0 months to 11 years 0 months

Availability

Childcare availability	Closed bank holidays Before school Term time School holidays After school
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Free 3/4 yr places Yes

Free 2 yr places Yes

Will be providing 30 hours Yes

30 Hours	Brandon Primary School
Partner Details (These are details of any other childcare provider(s) that this provider will work with to offer the 30 hours entitlement)	Funzone breakfast and after school clubs

Vacancy details

Other information Please contact us for details as vacancies change on a weekly basis.

Other details

School drop off/collection	Brandon Community Primary School
Further drop off/collection details	Transport not provided therefore pick up and drop off only from Brandon Community Primary School (on site)
Last Ofsted inspection grade	Good
Ofsted report	Click here to view the latest Ofsted inspection report

Local Offer

Contact name	Julie Dougherty - Pauline Jamieson
Contact telephone	0191 378 9890

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Planning is done on an individual basis by key persons so all learning experiences and activities are provided for the needs of each child.

What specialist services and expertise are available at or accessed by the early years setting?

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Our staff have worked with a wide range of disabilities and learning challenges. They have developed very good relationships with outside agencies and professionals and have a good knowledge of recent legislation and strategies for learning.

What training have the staff supporting children with SEND had, or are having?

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Staff attend regular training courses provided by Durham County Council and have had specific in house training for Autistic Spectrum disorder and speech and language difficulties.

How accessible is the early years setting environment? (indoors/outdoors)

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Our setting is all on one level with disabled toilet access and wide doors for easy wheelchair access.

How will the early years provision prepare and support my child(ren's) transition to their next educational establishment?

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We are connected to Brandon School Nursery Unit and have excellent relationships and links with them and their staff. Transition visits are organised between staff when the child is known to be moving into the new setting and information is shared. Parents are informed of transitions and invited to discuss concerns and arrangements with staff from Happytimes and school nursery well before transfer date.

We also provide this service when a child is moving to another nursery as far as is possible.

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