

Funded Kindergarten Program

Statement of Fees – Kindergarten Services

This kindergarten service is an approved kindergarten program provider under the Queensland Kindergarten Funding Scheme (QKFS).

Kindergarten Program – details

Service type: Kindergarten		
Service name: Stafford Heights Kindergarten Association Inc.		
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Education Program – details

Queensland Kindergarten Learning Guidelines
Early Years Learning Framework

Kindergarten Fees (information current as at: January 2020)

Total daily rate Kindergarten Program: (list the minimum cost of the kindergarten program as a rate per day)	Group 1 (M, Tu & W): \$35.83 per day Group 2 (Th, F): \$44.75 per day
Total daily rate OHC. Permanent Full-time; Permanent Part-time and casual bookings	OHC Permanent bookings Group 1: F/T \$20 per day; P/T \$25 per day OHC Casual rate: Group 1 \$30 per day
Inclusions in the total daily rate: (list inclusions, e.g. food, sunscreen)	Kindy Portal and documentation, sunscreen and insect repellent.
Enrolment conditions: (list commitment required of child to participate in the kindergarten program)	Commitment to enrol in one of four options for a term of 10/11 weeks: Group 1: 3 days per week (8am to 2:00pm) Group 1 plus OHC: 8:00am to 6:00pm Group 2: 2 days per week (8am to 3:30pm)
Application of QKFS subsidy to reduce out-of-pocket expenses: (detail how the QKFS Plus Kindy Support and SEFIA Subsidy (if applicable) is passed on to eligible families)	Please note as of July 2018 families enrolled in community run kindergartens programs like ourselves are no longer eligible to claim through the family assistance office under the child care subsidy scheme. Instead we receive QKFS funding from the government which is factored into the cost of our termly fees for all <u>age eligible</u> enrolments. <i>Families allocating their 15 hours of approved care (QKFS funding) to another centre will be charged at the full rate as the QKFS subsidy can not be applied.</i>
Child Care Subsidy on OHC	SHK is applying to the Australian government to be CCS eligible, from January 2020. [CL1]. <i>Should approval for CCS be granted, the amount of subsidy you can get depends on your family's circumstances, please contact Centrelink</i>

Additional fees or levies

Item and purpose	Cost/frequency	Tax deductible Y/N
Building Fund (Voluntary)	\$25.00 per term	Yes
Membership	\$100.00 per year	No
Resources Levy	\$80.00 per term	No
Maintenance Levy (potential \$75 refund)	\$50.00 per term	No
Termly Incursions and Yearly Excursion	Incurred at cost value (\$6 - \$30)	No
Pay-on-time incentive	\$25.00 per term	No

Provider information does not represent the official position of the Queensland Government.

Approved Kindergarten Program Providers

As an approved provider, this service holds a current Queensland service approval for a centre based service, under the Education and Care Services National Law (National Law) or the Education and Care Services Act 2013, and an appropriate public liability insurance of at least \$10 million. To be eligible to receive funding the service must provide a kindergarten program:

- To children who are at least 4 years of age by 30 June in their kindergarten year
- Delivered by a qualified early childhood teacher
- Aligned with the Queensland Kindergarten Learning Guideline, or other education program approved by the Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority
- For at least 15 hours a week, 40 weeks a year or a minimum of 600 hours over 37 weeks for services operated by non-state schools.

The Australian and Queensland Governments are providing subsidies to support the delivery of kindergarten programs. For more information, please visit the Department of Education website at <https://qed.qld.gov.au/earlychildhood/>.