



## 2024 FEES SCHEDULE

### Fee relief subsidy information

Under the NSW DET Start Strong for Community Preschools funding in 2024, eligible families (ie, those children born before 31 July 2021) are able to access fee relief from one preschool service provider. The fee relief covers the full Blue Gum fees for a 2-day program plus levies, and partly subsidise a third day attendance, effectively reducing the third day to under \$30.

If you are eligible and choose to nominate Blue Gum as your service, you must complete the relevant declaration form provided to you by Blue Gum before your child starts attendance in 2024. If you do so, your out-of-pocket fees for 2-day attendance will be \$0.

### Fees for 2.5 year olds

(defined under the funding structure as children born after 31 July 2021)

ATTENDANCE	Rate/day	Attendance hours
1-day attendance Wednesday (Note – after the child's 3 <sup>rd</sup> birthday, regardless of DOB, 2+-day attendance can be accepted at the below rates.)	\$44	8.45am – 3pm

### Fees for 3+ year olds

(defined under the funding structure as children born on or before 31 July 2021)

ATTENDANCE	Rate/day	Attendance hours
2-day attendance (Mon/Tues or Thurs/Fri)	\$44	8.45am – 3pm (Core hours) 3pm - 4.30pm (Geebungs)
Wednesday as a 3 <sup>rd</sup> day	\$44	8.45am – 3pm
<b>EQUITY FEES (children listed on parent's Low Income HCC or identifying as Aboriginal/TSI)</b>		
2-day attendance (Mon/Tues or Thurs/Fri)	\$30	8.45am – 3pm (Core hours) 3pm - 4.30pm (Geebungs)
Wednesday as a 3 <sup>rd</sup> day	\$30	8.45am – 3pm

Invoices will be generated each term and then credit from the Fee Relief Program will be applied, provided that Blue Gum has the relevant declaration form.



# BLUE GUM MONTESSORI PRESCHOOL

Encouraging Creativity, Self-confidence, Concentration  
Independence, Social Awareness, Responsibility

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## OTHER FEES

TYPE OF FEE	WHEN applied	RATE
Application fee	On application	\$40 <i>non-refundable</i>
Building Fund donation - <i>voluntary</i>	Each term	\$30 suggested donation
Materials Levy	Each term	\$50
Membership of Association	Annually	\$2
Late pick-up fee	Every 15 minutes after pick-up, or part thereof	\$25 / quarter hour

PAYMENTS TO: Blue Gum Montessori Children's House, Commonwealth Bank.  
BSB – 062 507, Account number – 1011 2383  
*Please provide your child's name on each deposit made.*