## Free childcare for 2 year olds

## Did you know that your 2 year old could qualify for up to 15 hours of free childcare each week?

Quality early years care can help your child:

- Learn
- Play together with friends
- Experience new activities
- · Get ready for school

It can also:

- · Give you more time
- Help you take up a College course
- Help you go back to work
   Give you ideas of how to help your child play and learn

## Is it free for all 2 year olds?

If you are in receipt of certain benefits or have an income below around £16,000 per year, then you may be eligible.

## Are you eligible?

Is your child 2 or going to be 2 in the next school year?

Do any of the following apply to you?

You get one of the following benefits:

- Job Seekers Allowance
- Income Support
- Employment and Support Allowance

You have a household income of less than about £16,000 per year

Your 2 year old has a special educational need or disability

You may well qualify for free childcare for your 2 year old.

Contact your Council to check and find out more

To find out more information visit: www.solihull.gov.uk/familyinfo or call: 0800 389 8667

