## 30 Hours Extended Entitlement – Eligibility Checking Process

## Parents & Carers

Parent applies for 30 Hours extended entitlement funding using HMRC online system and receives eligibility code

(Apply prior to start of academic term - see pink table below)



Parent chooses provider that offers extended entitlement, and has a suitable place available, and presents eligibility code.

Child is offered a place with provider



Parent reconfirms eligibility every three months using HMRC online system (text and email reminders will be sent).

If still eligible, funding continues.

If no longer eligible, grace period begins (see below for details).

## **Apply Online**

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## **Grace Periods**

Date parent receives ineligible decision on reconfirmation	Grace Period end date
1 January - 10 February	31 March
11 February - 31 March	31 August
1 April - 26 May	31 August
27 May - 31 August	31 December
1 September - 21 October	31 December
22 October - 31 December	31 March

Parents apply and get a code with 'Eligible from' date before:↓	for a place in→	the following academic term $oldsymbol{\psi}$	Eligible date of birth range for term $\psi$
31 <sup>st</sup> December 2021		Spring Term 2022	01/01/2017-31/12/2018
31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022		Summer Term 2022	01/04/2017-31/03/2019
31st August 2022		Autumn Term 2022	01/09/2017-31/08/2019
31 <sup>st</sup> December 2022		Spring Term 2023	01/01/2018-31/12/2019