

Early Education and Childcare Funded Term Dates and 2026/2027

School and Early Years term dates can be found at www.havering.gov.uk/termdates

The Early Education and Childcare funded term dates are set against a financial calendar year from 01 April – 31 March, for a maximum of 38 funded weeks, as follows:

- Up to 570 hours per year for eligible families receiving services 2 year olds, universally funded 3 and 4 year olds
- Up to 1,140 hours per year for (30 hours) working parents of 9+ month olds, 3 and 4 year olds

Your provider will confirm if funding is available as a term time or stretched offer.

Spring Term 2026	Term Dates (11 funded weeks)	Maximum Funding
Early Years dates	Monday 05/01/2026 – Friday 27/03/2026	15 hours x 11 weeks = 165 hours (universal funding)
Stretched delivery dates	Thursday 01/01/2026 – Tuesday 31/03/2026	
School dates	Monday 05/01/2026 – Friday 27/03/2026	30 hours x 11 weeks = 330 hours (extended funding)
Half Term	Monday 16/02/2026 – Friday 20/02/2026	
Summer Term 2026	Term Dates (13 funded weeks)	Maximum Funding
Early Years dates	Monday 13/04/2026 – Monday 20/07/2026	15 hours x 13 weeks = 195 hours (universal funding)
Stretched delivery dates	Wednesday 01/04/2026 – Friday 28/08/2026	
School dates	Monday 13/04/2026 – Monday 20/07/2026	30 hours x 13 weeks = 390 hours (extended funding)
Half Term	Monday 25/05/2026 – Friday 29/05/2026	
Autumn Term 2026	Term Dates (14 funded weeks)	Maximum Funding
Early Years dates	Wednesday 02/09/2026 – Tuesday 15/12/2026	15 hours x 14 weeks = 210 hours (universal funding)
Stretched delivery dates	Wednesday 02/09/2026 – Thursday 31/12/2026	
School dates	Wednesday 02/09/2026 – Friday 18/12/2026	30 hours x 14 weeks = 420 hours (extended funding)
Half Term	Monday 26/10/2026 – Friday 30/10/2026	
Spring Term 2027	Term Dates (11 funded weeks)	Maximum Funding
Early Years dates	Monday 04/01/2027 – Thursday 25/03/2027	15 hours x 11 weeks = 165 hours (universal funding)
Stretched delivery dates	Monday 04/01/2027 – Wednesday 31/03/2027	
School dates	Monday 04/01/2027 – Friday 25/03/2027	30 hours x 11 weeks = 330 hours (extended funding)
Half Term	Monday 15/02/2027 – Friday 19/02/2027	