

Early Childhood Care & Education (ECCE) scheme Declaration Form for parents

The Early Childhood Care & Education Scheme (ECCE) provides a free pre-school year for children in the year before they start primary school. Details of the scheme are provided in the letter for parents which you should receive with this form.

Only one parent should complete the form. Parents should enter their own name, the name, PPS Number and date of birth of their child and the name of the pre-school service being attended. Parents should return the completed form (signed) to the pre-school service being attended by **Wednesday 13th January at the latest.**

Where a parent wishes to apply for an exemption from the age rule (details are set out in the letter for parents) they should attach the necessary supporting documentation to this form.

The pre-school service will forward the information provided in completed forms, in confidence, to the Office of the Minister for Children & Youth Affairs (OMCYA), which is part of the Department of Health & Children. This is to enable the information provided to be verified and the capitation fee for your child's free pre-school year to be paid to the service.

Please note that parents may claim an ECCE capitation fee for one pre-school year in respect of each child. (The free pre-school year will generally mirror the primary school year. As the starting date of the scheme is January 2010, the first pre-school year is shorter than will be the case in future years, starting from September 2010. It should also be noted that an ECCE fee cannot be claimed in addition to funding under the Community Childcare Subvention Scheme (CCSS). However, parents who choose to avail of the ECCE scheme may claim under the CCSS from the following September. (The CCSS is a support scheme which is available in community pre-school services.)

Declaration by the Parent / Guardian

Your Name: _____
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Name of pre-school service: _____
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I state that I am a parent or legal guardian of the following child/ren who attend this pre-school, and in whose name(s) I am claiming under the ECCE scheme.

Child's name (First name will suffice)	Date of Birth (d/m/y)	Child PPS Number	Sex (M/F)	Official Use Only (for use by the childcare service)			
				Full Day (5 hrs 1 min+)	Half-day (3:30-5hrs)	Short session (2:15-3:29)	Half session (<2 hrs 15)
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Please state the name of the primary school your child has applied to _____

I agree that the information given on this form may be used by the OMCYA, as part of the Department of Health & Children, to verify that my child/ren is/are eligible for the ECCE scheme at this time, to calculate the capitation fees due to my pre-school service, and for statistical purposes.

Your Signature _____ Date: _____

Declaration by Provider

I confirm that the child/ren listed above attend(s) _____ pre-school service. I will not use the information given for any purpose except to complete the Service Return as required under the ECCE scheme. When I have done so I will forward this form to the OMCYA, and will not retain a copy of it or the information contained.

Signature of Owner/ Manager/Supervisor: _____ Date: _____

An Scéim um Chúram agus Oideachas Luath-Óige (ECCE) Foirm Dhearbhaite do Thuismitheoirí

Soláthraíonn an Scéim um Chúram agus Oideachas Luath-Óige (ECCE) bliain réamhscolaíochta shaor in aisce do leanaí sa bhliain roimh dóibh tosú ar an mbunscoil. Tá sonraí na scéime le fáil sa litir do thuismitheoirí atá iniata leis an bhfoirm seo.

Ba cheart d' aon tuismitheoir amháin an fhoirm seo a chomhlánú. Ba cheart do thuismitheoirí na sonraí seo a chur isteach: ainm, Uimhir PSP agus dáta breithe a linbh, agus ainm na seirbhíse réamhscolaíochta ar a bhfuil sé/sí ag freastal. Ba cheart do thuismitheoirí an fhoirm chomhlánaithe (shínithe) a sheoladh ar ais chuig an tseirbhís réamhscolaíochta ar a bhfuil an leanbh ag freastal roimh an **gCéadaoin, an 13 Eanáir ar a dhéanaí**.

Más mian le tuismitheoir iarratas a dhéanamh ar dhíolúine ón riail a bhaineann le haois (tugtar na sonraí sa litir do thuismitheoirí), ba cheart dó/dí na doiciméid tacaíochta riachtanacha a cheangal leis an bhfoirm seo.

Seolfaidh an tseirbhís réamhscolaíochta an fhaisnéis a chuirtear ar fáil sna foirmeacha comhlánaithe, faoi rún, chuig Oifig an Aire Leanaí agus Gnóthaí Óige (OALGÓ) atá ina cuid den Roinn Sláinte agus Leanaí. Déantar é seo d'fhonn an fhaisnéis a dheimhniú agus d'fhonn an táille chaipitíochta le haghaidh bliain réamhscolaíochta shaor in aisce do linbh a íoc leis an tseirbhís.

Tabhair faoi deara go bhfuil sé de cheart ag tuismitheoirí táille chaipitíochta ECCE a éileamh i leith bliain amháin réamhscolaíochta maidir le gach leanbh. De ghnáth, is mar a chéile an bhliain réamhscolaíochta shaor in aisce agus scoilbhliain na mbunscoileanna. Toisc gurb é Eanáir 2010 dáta tosaigh na scéime, is giorra an chéad bhliain réamhscolaíochta ná mar a bheidh sna blianta i ndiaidh Mheán Fómhair 2010. Tabhair faoi deara freisin nach féidir táille ECCE a éileamh má táthar ag fáil cistithe faoin Scéim Fóirdheontas um Chúram Leanaí Pobail (CCSS). Os a choinne sin, na tuismitheoirí siúd a roghnaíonn leas a bhaint as an scéim um Chúram agus Oideachas Luath-Óige (ECCE), féadfaidh siad éileamh a dhéanamh faoin CCSS ó Mheán Fómhair dár gcionn. (Seirbhís tacaíochta is ea CCSS a bhíonn ar fáil i seirbhísí réamhscolaíochta pobail.)

Dearbhú ó Thuismitheoir / ó Chaomhnóir

D'ainm féin: _____ Ainm na seirbhíse réamhscolaíochta: _____

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Dearbhaím gur mise tuismitheoir nó caomhnóir dlíthiúil an linbh/na leanaí seo a leanas atá ag freastal ar an réamhscoil seo, agus a bhfuil éileamh á dhéanamh agam ina (h)ainm/ina n-ainm faoin scéim um Chúram agus Oideachas Luath-Óige.

Ainm an linbh (Is leor an céadainm)	Dáta Breithe (lá/mí/bliain)	Uimhir PSP an Linbh	Inscne (F/B)	Úsáid Oifigiúil Amháin (le húsáid ag an tseirbhís cúram leanaí)			
				Lá Iomlán (5:01 +)	Leathlae (3:30-5:00)	Seisiún gairid (2:15-3:29)	Leath-Sheisiún (<2 uair 15)
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Tabhair ainm na bunscoile ar chuir an leanbh isteach uirthi: _____

Aontaím gur féidir le OALGÓ, mar chuid den Roinn Sláinte agus Leanaí, an fhaisnéis a thugtar san fhoirm seo a úsáid d'fhonn a fhíorú go bhfuil mo leanbh/leanaí incháilithe don scéim um Chúram agus Oideachas Luath-Óige ag an tráth seo, d'fhonn na táillí caipitíochta atá dlíte do mo sheirbhís réamhscolaíochta a ríomh, agus chun críocha staidrimh.

Do Shíniú _____

Dáta: _____

Dearbhú ón Soláthraí

Dearbhaím go bhfuil an leanbh/na leanaí a liostaítear thuas ag freastal ar an tseirbhís cúram leanaí seo _____ . Ní úsáidfidh mé an fhaisnéis a thugtar anseo ar aon chúis ach amháin chun an Tuairiscéan Seirbhíse a chomhlánú mar is dual faoin scéim um Chúram agus Oideachas Luath-Óige. Nuair a bheidh sé sin déanta agam seolfaidh mé an fhoirm seo ar aghaidh chuig Oifig an Aire Leanaí agus Gnóthaí Óige agus ní choinneoidh mé cóip di ná cóip den fhaisnéis atá inti.

Síniú an Úinéara/Bhainisteora/Mhaoirseora: _____ Dáta: _____