

Dear Families

24th June 2022

As the year has progressed, we have seen a significant increase in our operational costs, and we have come to the decision to implement a fee increase across all our age groups at Smart Tots Childcare.

Fee increases are necessary to ensure that the centre can continue to cover the rising costs of general running expenses and staffing wage requirements as per Government Regulations. We have worked hard to minimize passing on any additional costs to our families over the last 12 months and have valued your ongoing support of our centre.

We understand that Covid has impacted our families and the community, and we will continue to work with our families by providing a range of session hours, so you can optimise your requirements and subsided hours; in line with this increase the CCS increase is anticipated to be released in the same week as the increase to our fees, which will decrease the impact to our families.

Our centre has an ongoing commitment in providing a high-quality standard in all areas from resources and environments, programming and planning and qualified professional staff. We aim to continue this professional standard and in turn provide all children with an enriched Early Learning Environment.

Room	9hr	10hr	12hr
Nursery and Toddlers	\$112.00	\$113.50	\$115.00
Junior Kindy	\$110.00	\$111.50	\$113.00
Senior Kindy, Kindergarten	\$107.00	\$108.50	\$110.00

The above fee structure will be effective from Monday 11th July 2022. If you would like further information on your new weekly gap fee, please do not hesitate to come and see me.

Regards,

Leanne Nehring

Nominated Supervisor Smart Tots Childcare

