Pre-School Admissions Guide

When can my child start pre-school?

Children can start at Potton Pre-School the term after they turn 2½ years old.

You can apply two terms before your child's eligible start term. You do not need to wait until your child turns 2½ to apply.

Use the table below to find your child's date of birth, when they turn 2½, when they can start and when applications open.

Child's date of birth	Your child turns 2½	Eligible start term	Apply from
1 January – 30 April 2024	July – October 2026	Spring Term 2027	Spring Term 2026
1 May – 31 August 2024	November 2026 – February 2027	Summer Term 2027	Summer Term 2026
1 September – 31 December 2024	March – June 2027	Autumn Term 2027	Autumn Term 2027
1 January – 30 April 2025	July – October 2027	Spring Term 2028	Spring Term 2027
1 May – 31 August 2025	November 2027 – February 2028	Summer Term 2028	Summer Term 2027
1 September – 31 December 2025	March – June 2028	Autumn Term 2028	Autumn Term 2028
1 January – 30 April 2026	July – October 2028	Spring Term 2029	Spring Term 2028
1 May – 31 August 2026	November 2028 – February 2029	Summer Term 2029	Summer Term 2028
1 September – 31 December 2026	March – June 2029	Autumn Term 2029	Autumn Term 2029
1 January – 30 April 2027	July – October 2029	Spring Term 2030	Spring Term 2029
1 May – 31 August 2027	November 2029 – February 2030	Summer Term 2030	Summer Term 2029
1 September – 31 December 2027	March – June 2030	Autumn Term 2030	Autumn Term 2030

1 January – 30 April 2028	**July – October 2030**	**Spring Term 2031**	**Spring Term 2030**
1 May – 31 August 2028	**November 2030 – February 2031**	**Summer Term 2031**	**Summer Term 2030**

Not sure which row applies to your child? Find their date of birth in the first column and read across the row.

Please note that applying does not guarantee a place. Places are offered subject to availability and the pre-school's admissions criteria.