



# Paying for Care

Indigo Montessori aims to provide every child in its care with a high level of care, lots of fun, friendship and a stimulating learning environment. To do this, we focus on having great educators, interesting educational curriculums, high quality centres and lots of great facilities.

There are significant costs associated with achieving these aims. To meet these costs, we cannot afford to carry bad debts.

The vast majority of parents pay on time all the time and we thank you for this.

However, we still have accumulated a lot of bad debt over time from non-paying customers and we cannot afford to continue to do this.

As explained on the enrolment form:

*Prior to commencing care we require an upfront payment for the first two weeks of your child's care*

\*\* If your child attends for one day per week, you must pay for that day's care + the follow week in advance of that day.

\*\* If your child attends for several days per week, you must pay for those days + the days for the following week in advance of that week.

*All fees must be paid on the due date and must always be one week in advance for weekly paying families and a fortnight in advance for fortnightly paying families*

*Parents with fees in arrears will have their accounts closed. Unfortunately, their children will not be able to attend the centre until overdue amounts are paid (they can then re-attend if there is still a position available).*

We hope this does not cause you any undue inconvenience. As explained above, we have to do this to control our bad debt levels.