

The Four Villages Children's Centre Sea Mills

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Availability	Open throughout the year except for all bank holidays, between Christmas and New Year and for 4 staff training days.
Hours	Mon-Fri 8.00 to 6.00 (Day Care): 9.00 to 5.00 (office)

Costs

Costs are dependant on the age of the child attending. Each child has to attend two core sessions

Time	0-2 year olds	2-3 year olds	Age 3 +
8am-9am	£3.90	£3.60	£3.30
9am-1pm core session	£15.60	£14.40	£13.20
1pm-5pm core session	£15.60	£14.40	£13.20
5pm-6pm	£3.90	£3.60	£3.30

Fees are subject to 6 monthly reviews in April and September.

Summary of Services

Sea Mills Children's Centre offers family support, education and in conjunction with Sea Mills Infant School offers child care for children aged from 3 months to 5 years.

The Children's Centre also has additional support available from the following specialists: speech and language therapist, advice and guidance officer, childminder support officer, family community worker, job centre plus, and health visitor support through a weekly baby clinic.

Summary of Activities

We offer PEEP groups (term time only). These are early year's education programmes where children, parents and carers can learn together. In each session a range of activities take place, including singing, reading, discussion and craft activities. The groups are intended to help children have a flying start later on at school; each different age group is catered for. Baby PEEP is for 'bumps' and babies under one. PEEP 1 is a group for mobile babies and one year olds. PEEP 2 is for two year olds and a PEEP 3 group for three year olds.

We also offer:

Stay and Play, a weekly drop in (term time only) for dads, mums, grandmothers, grandfathers, carers and children, taking place in Sea Mills Community Centre.

A Breakfast Club once a month where you can meet your friends and their children over tea and toast.

A weekly Breastfeeding Café with a health visitor to offer support and advice.

A 6 week baby massage group is to start later in the year.

Bumps and babes group for parents under 21 and their children, with health visitor support and a light lunch.

Additional Info

Sea Mills Children's Centre also has a parents constituted fund raising group called SPANA. This stands for Sea Mills Play and Nature Area. SPANA consists of a group of local parents and friends, who are fund raising, clearing weeds, digging, laying top soil, turf and planting in order to turn a piece of waste ground attached to the children's centre into a safe stimulating play area for young children and their families. The group hold coffee mornings, fetes and mini bazaars to support their fund raising and are always looking for new membersso if you are interested, please contact the Centre.