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Tax free childcare scheme

Dear Shrewton Families,

If you believe that you may be entitled to be part of the Government Tax free childcare scheme we would advise that you visit their website: <https://www.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare> This scheme allows you to pay 80% of your childcare fees, to which the government then top up the additional 20%.

Once on their site you are able to check to see if you are eligible. If you are, please complete the form in the following link to set up a childcare account:

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-tax-free-childcare?step-by-step-nav=d78aeaf6-1747-4d72-9619-f16efb4dd89d>

Once this is set up, you should then be able to transfer money into the account, just as you would with a bank account. Once you have paid in, the top-up will take place. You should then be able to 'Set up a new payment' and select Shrewton CE Primary School from the list of childcare providers.

The Government account is not linked to arbor as the Childcare scheme sends a payment directly to our school account. We are not able to access the statement until the end of the month and there can therefore be a delay in updating arbor with the payment that has been made, so please be patient.

If you require any further information please email finance@shrewton.dsat.org.uk

Best wishes,

Yours sincerely



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