

Berinsfield Children's Centre

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Area Served and Who Comes  
Berinsfield.

Healthy lunches and fruit are available throughout the week. The children's cooking session continues to attract lots of families.

The local Health Visitors hold a weekly drop-in for parents to share any concerns.

The Speech and Language Therapist holds a drop-in on alternate weeks.

Local Midwives run a breast-feeding group each week offering support and advice to new mums.

Individual support is on offer at all sessions; in addition, families are visited in their homes if required. This support covers parenting, housing and debt issues.

The Early Years Workers provide a full range of activities for the children to participate in. The theme this term is Nursery Rhymes. The rhythm band and cooking sessions continue to be well attended.

Parent forums are held quarterly; parents are able to have their say and help shape service provision. Parent representatives on the stakeholders group ensure their views are shared. Children are consulted on the activities of offer, and adapted as requested.

The Family Support Worker offers advice and support on many issues; however, debt and budgeting are the most common. The centre acts as an advice and information point, signposting where appropriate.