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My Early Learning eligibility checking system has now been replaced with the new **Early Years Checker**. Please visit the new Early Years Checker on www.walthamforest.gov.uk/eychecker to carry out the eligibility checks for the 2 year old funding. Please encourage parents/carers and partners to use the new checking system as well.

User Guide

A guide on how to perform eligibility checks for Free Childcare Entitlement for 2 years old via the Early Years Checker and a sample eligibility letter produced by the system can be downloaded from the documents link below.

Please note that there will be no public facing checker for Early Years Pupil Premium. Providers are encouraged to perform these checks via the Pupil Register section on the Early Years Provider Hub (eyp.walthamforest.gov.uk). Please visit our "[Using the Pupil Register](#)" to find out more.

Validating 2YO eligibility codes:

Eligibility codes produced by the new Early Years Checker

- The New Early Years Checker generates eligibility emails and letters that a parent/carer can download after they have performed their eligibility check. Please ask the parent to provide you with the email or letter produced by the Early Years Checker as the proof of child's eligibility.
- You can find the eligibility code on the letter produced by the Early Years Checker system (sample letter can be downloaded below).
- There is no need to validate the code on the letter. The letter itself is a proof of child's eligibility for the FEEE for 2 YOs. Please keep the letter/copy of the letter for your records. You will still need to enter the code to your termly headcount returns to receive the funding.

Manually generated Codes (prefix LBWF):

- Families without internet access or who are eligible under one of the non-income based criteria (e.g. child with SEN plan) can contact the Childcare Team and be provided with a manually generated code. You can only validate these codes by contacting us on childcare@walthamforest.gov.uk ([link sends e-mail](#)) or 0208 496 3566.

My Early Learning codes (with prefix AF)

- It is not possible to validate the AF codes on myearlylearning.co.uk anymore as the website is not live. Please contact us in order to validate any AF codes.

Remit: [Early Years](#)

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