

# Information to all parents with children in kindergarten in Frøya municipality

## **Parents payment**

From 1 May 2015, no household shall pay more than 6 percent of their income for a stay in the kindergarten. Parents pay is also limited by the maximum price, as of 1 January 2018 is 2 910 NOK pr. month.

The scheme is subject to regulations on parents payment in kindergarten. The aim of the amendments is to introduce a better social profile of payments in kindergarten, and facilitate more people the opportunity to use kindergarten through lowering the cost for low-income families. The municipality authority is responsible for this scheme, but the changes in the regulation covers both municipal and non-municipal kindergartens.

#### Free core

Ministry of Education has decided that from 1 August 2015 all 4- and 5-year olds and children with postponed school, who live in low-income households entitled to receive 20 hours of free time spent in daycare per week.

From 1 August 2018, this will also include 3- year old children. The scheme applies to families of households whit a total income of less than 533 500 kroner.

### Calculation.

If a household last year had annual income of 350 000 NOK, parental payment should not be more than 350 000NOK \* 6 percent= 21 000 NOK per year. With 11 payments months in the kindergarten, parents payment per month should at the maximum be 1909 NOK per month.

If the household has more than one children in kindergarten, it shall obtain reduction for the other children. For second child the pay is 70 percent of what is paid for the first child. For the third ore more children, the household should pay 50 percent of what is paid for the first child.

## How to apply

Use a separate application available from the municipality website

### www.froya.kommune.no

Application forms contain information required attachments and where the application shold be sent.

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