## Appendix 1 - Summary of Important Dates 2024/2025

| Term | Summer 2024 | Autumn 2024 | Spring 2025 |
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| Funding period dates | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \text { April - } 31 \text { August } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ | 1 September - 31 December 2024 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \text { January - } 31 \text { March } \\ & 2025 \end{aligned}$ |
| Funded weeks | 13-22 | 14-18 | 11-13 |
| Max number of funded hours in funding period | 195 hours (entitlement no code needed) <br> 195 hours (entitlement code needed) | 210 hours (entitlement no code needed) <br> 210 hours (entitlement code needed) | 165 hours (entitlement no code needed) <br> 165 hours (entitlement code needed) |
| Monthly payments | 22 or 29 April 2024 <br> 20 May 2024 <br> 21 June 2024 <br> 22 July 2024 <br> 23 August 2024 | 20 September 2024 <br> 21 October 2024 <br> 22 November 2024 <br> 20 December 2024 | 20 January 2025 <br> 21 February 2025 <br> 21 March 2025 |
| Estimated Hours submission window opens in Establishment Portal | 22 March 2024 | 2 September 2024 | 2 January 2025 |
| Estimated Hours submission window closes in Establishment Portal | 28 March 2024 or 15 April 2024 | 6 September 2024 | 8 January 2025 |
| Headcount week | 13 - 17 May 2024 | 1 - 7 October 2024 | 13 - 17 January 2025 |
| Headcount - submission window opens in Establishment Portal | 13 May 2024 | 1 October 2024 | 13 January 2025 |
| Headcount - submission window closes in Establishment Portal | 17 May 2024 | 7 October 2024 | 17 January 2025 |
| Financial Statement emailed out to early years providers | Week commencing 17 June 2024 | Week commencing 4 November 2024 | Week commencing 10 February 2025 |
| Financial Statement closing date for amendments to be emailed to Early Years inbox | 3 July 2024 | 15 November 2024 | 28 February 2025 |
| EYPP and DAF lump sum payments made | 22 July 2024 | 20 December 2024 | 21 March 2025 |
| Mid-term changes submission window closes in Establishment Portal | 19 July 2024 | 31 December 2024 | 31 March 2025 |
| Mid-term change payments made by | 30 September 2024 | 31 January 2025 | 30 April 2025 |

