



Information about After-School Care (PAL) and After-School Club (PAL Club)

Our operations follow the Swedish Education Act, Chapter 14, Section 5.

Information about PAL/PAL Club at ISGR

- For your child to be entitled to a place at after-school care or an after-school club, you must be working or studying. You can also apply for a place if your child needs special support in their development due to physical, mental, or other reasons.
- You can apply for a place at our after-school care/after-school club by sending an email to pal.applications@staff.isgr.se Processing time: approximately 2 weeks.
- The number of children in the household enrolled in preschool or school-age childcare, whether in public or private settings, affects the fee. The youngest child is always considered "child 1."
- For children with regular alternating custody (e.g., every other week) between parents who do not live together, there is an option for a split invoice. This means that half of the fee is charged based on each household's gross income.
- In the case of uninterrupted absence due to illness, a fee exemption is granted from the 22nd calendar day until the end of the illness period. A doctor's note must be provided.
- Fees are paid for 11 months. Vacation, public holidays, or other leaves do not affect the fee. The guardian must pay for the entire month, regardless of the start and end dates.

Opening Hours

- PAL at ISGR is open from 7:00 AM to 6:00 PM.
- The PAL Club at ISGR is open Monday to Friday from 2:20 PM to 6:00 PM. During school breaks, the club is open from 8:30 AM to 6:00 PM.
- During weeks 28–31 and between December 24th and January 1st, PAL/PAL Club is closed.

Notice Period for Guardians

The application is binding. If you wish to terminate your child's place at PAL/PAL Club, a one-month notice period applies. [24-25 Withdrawal \(1\).pdf](#) The fee is paid during the notice period, regardless of whether the place is used or not.

During Parental Leave and Unemployment

Children in after-school care whose guardians are on parental leave are allowed to keep their place for one month after the sibling's birth or earlier if desired. If the guardian continues to work or study instead of taking parental leave, the older sibling may keep their place. You must submit a certificate from the employer or school showing the scope of work or studies.

Children in after-school care whose guardians are unemployed may keep their place for one month after the guardian becomes unemployed.



Unpaid After-School Care Fees

After an unpaid monthly fee, the school will notify about the termination of the place. If the debt is not settled or an agreement for installment payments has not been made during the notice period, the place will be terminated. The combined notice and termination period is two months. If a new payment default occurs within six months after the previous warning, no new warning is required before the decision to terminate the place is made. If guardians have outstanding debts to ISGR for after-school care fees, children in the family may not take up a new place until the debt is settled. A new place will be offered if the entire debt has been paid, either directly or through a payment plan with the collection agency. In case of termination of after-school care placement due to unpaid invoices, ISGR may make a report to social services.

Fees

PAL

Child 1 2% of gross income

Child 2 1% of gross income

Child 3 1% of gross income

PAL Club

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For children enrolled in the PAL Club with a need for morning care, the same fee applies as for PAL.

The fee is calculated as a percentage of the household's total taxable gross income, including the non-biological parent, per month (income before tax). If the household's total income exceeds a certain amount, the highest fee is charged. You pay for the entire month, regardless of the start date.

Exact amounts can be found on the City of Gothenburg's website, Fees and Charges for After-School Care.

Update Your Income

As a guardian, you are responsible for providing the correct income information; it is not updated automatically. In case of changes, send an email to pal.applications@staff.isgr.se