

Children from Other Communities

If you live in a community outside of the town of Halle (Saale) and wish to send your child to one of Halle's day nursery schools, before registering your child you must clarify the financial aspect with the authorities of your place of residence as well as the rural district authority.

According to paragraph *3b KiFöG LSA i. V. m. § 5 SGB VIII* the right of choice and selection must be taken into consideration. This means that within the scope of free capacity, parents have the right to choose either one of the day care centres located within the area of their place of residence or a facility elsewhere.

Notice:

In accordance with paragraph *3b Absatz 3 Satz 2 KiFöG LSA*, or for after school care centres paragraph *16 KiFöG LSA*, the six month time limit for placing applications must be observed with some communities strictly demanding that these rules are complied with.

Procedures

In accordance with paragraph *5 Absatz 1 Ahtes Sozialgesetzbuch (SGB VIII) i. V. m. § 3b Kinderförderungsgesetz des Landes Sachsen-Anhalt (KiFöG LSA)*, parents first select a facility of their choice for the care of their child within the area of the town of Halle (Saale) and enquire about available places.

If there are still places available in the facility chosen, it will in principle be possible to take care of the child in a facility belonging to the town of Halle (Saale).

In accordance with paragraph *11 Absatz 5 KiFöG LSA*, parents must now clarify the financing of the child's care in the selected facility in Halle. This must be carried out by the parents themselves by applying for approval and the taking over of the costs for the child's care. Applications must be placed with the authority of the community of the parents place of residence and also with the responsible rural district.

The community of the parent's residence and the responsible rural district will direct an enquiry to the Halle (Saale) authority for children, youths and families to ask about the proportional costs to be taken over for the facility selected in accordance with paragraph *11 Absatz 5 KiFöG LSA*.

On this basis the community of the parent's residence will check and decide whether the child's parents are entitled to non-local care for the child and if so decide upon the proportion of costs to be taken over in accordance with paragraph *11 Absatz 5 KiFöG LSA*. The community will also check on the possible entitlement of whole-day care in accordance with paragraph *3 KiFöG LSA* and accordingly make a decision on the taking over of additional costs from the reduced parents contribution due to the regulation for siblings.

In the case of a positive decision being made about the non-local care and the taking over of the proportional costs in terms of paragraph *11 Absatz 5 KiFöG LSA*, the Halle (Saale) authority for children, youths and families is to be informed by the parents. As soon as this has been carried out nothing will be left standing in the way of the child being able to visit the facility chosen.

If the application for non-local care is turned down and for this reason the proportional costs in terms of paragraph *11 Absatz 5 KiFöG LSA* are not taken over by the community of the parent's residence, then the financial risk for the cost proportion not covered will remain with the facility provider in the case of the child still being registered with the facility of the parents choice.