

## Preschool Optional Charges

Our vision at Shine is to provide an optimum learning environment for your child / children and to help us achieve this goal we rely heavily upon your support with optional charges. These charges help cover the following aspects of Curriculum at the Centre:

- Ongoing Montessori training & equipment for current Teaching staff
- ‘Special visitors’ to the Centre
- Some excursions
- Updating children’s profiles online
- E-Profiles online
- Atrium Programme – Christian Values Program
- Transition to School Programme - Eagles
- Morning & Afternoon teas
- After hours Parent Interviews
- High Staff / Child ratios 1:7 (between 9-3pm)
- Extra large premises – over and above the Ministry’s requirements

All above expenses incurred by the Centre are not covered by Operational funding from the Ministry of Education.

\*NB: You should be entitled to claim back a portion of your childcare expenses, for more information please contact your local IRD office.