

Rules for placement of second and subsequent children

1. In order for a child to be considered a second child, priority will only be given if a brother or sister use the childcare provided at de Kattekop and if both use the childcare for at least four months.
2. In principle, second and subsequent children always take priority over the regular children on the waiting list. No maximum applies here.
3. For second and subsequent children, the normal placement rules apply, such as placement according to order of registration and the age structure of the group.
4. Second and subsequent children only qualify for the priority regulation if they have been registered in the fourth month of pregnancy at the latest. If they are registered later (thus from the fifth month) they will be placed on the regular waiting list.
5. From the point of view of an efficient placement policy and due to the fact that second and subsequent children take priority over other children on the waiting list, the parents of these children can be required to accept a place one month before their requested date of commencement. In other words, if a place is available from the desired date of commencement or a month before, the parents will have to pay for this place even if they do not wish to make use of it at that time. If the parents do not agree to this, their priority position expires and the child will be placed on the normal waiting list according to the date of registration. Exceptions to this rule are permitted, namely in the case of medical circumstances. The management will decide on this.
6. No later than two months before the desired date of placement, the parents will hear from the management whether placement from the requested date will be possible.