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## Become a Registered Nursery Inspector

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### About the role

Do you have a good understanding of how young children learn and develop? Are you confident in judging standards of 3- and 4-year-old children? Can you identify strengths and shortcomings in provision and leadership appropriately?

Are you good at explaining things without using jargon and putting people at their ease? Are you able to gather evidence quickly and evaluate its importance accurately? Do you write clearly and succinctly and make sure that what you wish to convey is easily understood by others?

If the answer is yes to these questions, why not consider becoming a Registered Nursery Inspector.

### Eligibility

You'll be able to inspect through the medium of English and/or Welsh, and will be:

- a qualified teacher with at least 3 years' experience of teaching children of 3- to 4-years of age or have worked as an advisory teacher (with QTS) supporting non-maintained settings for at least 2 years.

If you've applied to become a Registered Nursery Inspector before but you weren't invited to the training, we'd be happy to consider a new application if you feel your experience now meets our requirements.

### Selection and training

We'll be in touch about the outcome of your application by **6 January 2023**. The training will be available in English and Welsh, and will include:

- **Part one**  
An online meeting on **8 February 2023**.
- **Part two**  
This includes oral and written assessments, which will be held on **14-16 March 2023** (location TBC).

- **Probationary inspection(s)**

You'll be deployed on an assessed inspection, and the lead inspector will grade your performance. You need an A or B grade to pass.

The training is totally free of charge, and we'll pay for your travel and subsistence and accommodation (if you're eligible) in line with our [travel and subsistence policy](#).

## Disclosure and Barring Service check

If you're invited to the training, we'll ask you to have a Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check. It should be an enhanced certificate, no more than three years' old, and should include the child workforce category. You'll need this check to become a fully Registered Nursery Inspector.

## Deployment

Registered Nursery inspectors submit tenders for work with us. There is no limit on how often they might inspect for us during the academic year.

Every year, we invite all inspectors to attend update training; you must attend this training to carry on as an inspector. There's no charge for the training, but we're not able to pay supply cover or travel and subsistence costs.

## How to apply

**Online application form:** <https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/8S8L8K/>

**Closing date:** 3 January 2023, 10am

We'll contact everyone with the result of their application by **6 January 2023**.

Any fields marked with \* are mandatory, so you won't be able to submit the form without entering a response for these fields. If they don't apply to you, please enter 'N/A'.

## Contact details

This pack contains all of the information you need about the role and the application process, but if you have any questions please email us at [events@estyn.gov.wales](mailto:events@estyn.gov.wales) or call us on 02920 446510.

We look forward to receiving your application.