

*These notes refer to the Childcare Funding (Wales) Act
2019 (c.1) which received Royal Assent on 30 January 2019*

CHILDCARE FUNDING (WALES) ACT 2019

EXPLANATORY NOTES

POLICY BACKGROUND

5. The Act reflects a commitment in the Welsh Labour manifesto, *Together for Wales (2016)*, to provide 30 hours per week of government funded early education and childcare to the working parents of eligible three and four year olds in Wales for up to 48 weeks per year.