



Questionnaire to the parents with children aged under three years (born after the 31st of December 2017)

Please fill in only **one questionnaire per child!**

Please fill in the questionnaire by pen and try to tick boxes/fill in numbers as accurately as possible. Thank you in advance for returning the completed questionnaire to the city of Waldkraiburg **before Thursday, the 14th of January 2021** in the envelope supplied to you with this questionnaire!

Questions regarding your person and household

1. Which city district do you live in? (Mandatory answer!)

- Waldkraiburg
- Waldkraiburg Süd including Föhrenwinkel
- Niederdorf including Asbach, Moos, Stockham, Holzhausen, Lindach
- Pürten including St. Erasmus, Innthal, Au, Hart and Hausing
- Ebing including Wörth

2. What is your child's date of birth? (Mandatory answer!)

Month of birth

Year of birth

(Please fill in the blanks!)

3. What kind of (income generating) employment do you work in?

Extent of

employment

- YES, a fulltime job
- YES, a part-time job with ___ hours a week
- Parental/maternity leave
- YES, minimal employment/minijob
- NO employment
- Other:.....

4. What kind of family situation/marital status are you presently living in?

- single
- married/civil partnership
- divorced/separated
- common-law relationship

5. What language/s do you speak within your family?

- German** only
- Other language/s **including German**
- Other language/s **but no German**

12. When will you need child care to start?

Month

Year 2 0

13. Until when will you presumably need child care?

Probably until transfer from nursery/day care center to kindergarten/preschool:

Month

Year 2 0

I/we don't know (yet)

14. Do you require or would you like child care to be located outside of Waldkraiburg?

YES, at my place of work, in

YES, outside of Waldkraiburg, in

NO

15. Do you require or would you like child care to be located outside of your city district?

YES, in a different district, in

NO

16. Have you already enrolled your child in a child care facility?

YES

NO

17. If "YES", where is your child care slot/facility located?

in the city of Waldkraiburg

at my place of work

outside of Waldkraiburg, in.....

18. If "YES", what kind of child care facility does your child currently attend?

A nursery/day care center

A kindergarten/preschool

An in-home daycare provider

Other:

19. If "NO", why haven't you enrolled your child in a child care facility (yet)? *(You can choose more than one answer.)*

Because of the facility's inconvenient opening hours.

Because of the earliest possible starting date when the child can attend the facility.

Because of the facility's concept in pedagogical, religious (or other) regards.

I/we want my/our child to attend a facility at my/our place of work.

I/we want to take care of my/our child at home.

My/our child already attends a child care facility/is cared for by an in-home daycare provider.

Because of

In case you haven't enrolled your child in a child care facility yet:

20. What kind of child care would you specifically want for your child before your child's third birthday? (You can choose more than one answer.)

A nursery/day care center:

A nursery/day care center is a facility where children between 0 and 3 years of age are cared for in groups of no more than 15 children by certified pedagogical personnel.
Child care fees can be subsidized under certain circumstances.

A kindergarten/preschool open to two-year-olds:

There are some kindergartens/preschools where children can attend as early as 2 years old and are cared for by certified pedagogical personnel until they transfer to an elementary school.
Child care fees can be subsidized under certain circumstances.

An in-home daycare provider:

Child care provided by specific in-home daycare providers (Tagesmutter/Tagesvater) is very similar to child care within a family setting. These child minders take care of their own children as well as no more than 5 other children.
Child care fees can be subsidized.

Further questions

21. Do the available child care places enable you to carry out your possible employment in 2021?

YES NO

22. Many of our kindergartens already work with concepts of inclusive early education.

"Concepts of inclusive early education feature individual, holistic support and supervision of all children taking into account their strengths, talents, interests, their specific progress of learning and development as well as their individual needs for support."

Do you require the aforementioned specific care for your child due to any physical, mental or psychological impairment?

YES NO

23. Are you in need of any further child care when your child care facility is closed due to holidays/vacation periods?

YES NO

If "YES", during which closing time do you need additional child care?

(You can choose more than one answer.)

Autumn holiday Christmas break Midwinter break (during carnaval)
 Easter break Midsummer break (Pentcoste) Summer holidays

During summer holidays for weeks

Other:

24. Would you like your child to have a lunch provided for by your child care facility/child care provider?

- YES NO

25. If "YES", what kind of meals would you prefer for your child?

(You can choose more than one answer.)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> a catering service | <input type="checkbox"/> frozen foods |
| <input type="checkbox"/> freshly cooked meals with regional/seasonal ingredients | <input type="checkbox"/> organic meals/bio-food |
| <input type="checkbox"/> vegetarian meals | <input type="checkbox"/> vegan meals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> kosher meals | <input type="checkbox"/> halal meals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> a balanced mixed diet | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other:..... | |

26. What type of official provider would you prefer for your child care facility?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> parochial/catholic | <input type="checkbox"/> parochial/protestant | <input type="checkbox"/> muslim |
| <input type="checkbox"/> publicly administered | <input type="checkbox"/> independently operated | <input type="checkbox"/> I/we don't care |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other:..... | | |

27. What kind of transportation do you use to take you child to your child care facility in the morning?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> by foot | <input type="checkbox"/> by bike | <input type="checkbox"/> on public transport |
| <input type="checkbox"/> by car | <input type="checkbox"/> Other:..... | |

**28. We would like to know what you consider as significant aspects of child care.
Please rate the following options according to their importance to you.**

	Very important	Important	Less important	Of no significant importance	Of no importance
Child care in a facility with no more than 5 groups	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Certified child care personnel	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Opening hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Offers 24/7 child care service	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Location near your place of residence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Accessibility within walking distance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Accessibility to public means of transport	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Location near your place of work	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Child care fees	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Inclusive education for children with and without any disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Language promotion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Official provider of the child care facility	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Finally...

Do you have any further comments or suggestions for us?

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THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!

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