

Refugee children in nurseries, kindergartens and after-school care

Child care is an important service for children and their families: There, they can develop further with other children and accompanied by educational professionals in games, meet other children and receive education, upbringing, support and care services.

Child care for children can help refugee families to take the necessary further steps to organise their lives and accommodation in Germany, especially in the case of decentralised accommodation. This also applies to temporary care offers. Therefore, the Ministry of Education and Youth (MBJS) has asked the institutions to accept refugee children from Ukraine in their institutions without any complicated procedures.

Child care is a service provided by the youth welfare service. Children from Ukraine who have a legal right to child care – like all other children in the state of Brandenburg – are supported by public funding. On the part of the MBJS, there is weekly, intensive coordination with public and independent sponsors and municipal umbrella associations.