Legal Claim to a Place in a Day Nursery

Through the current law for the promotion of children it has been ensured that children in Saxony-Anhalt are able to be put into day care, which in turn enables parents to carry out either their occupational or family duties.

Each child has the right to visit a children’s day nursery or under certain conditions a day care centre.

These legal rights ensure the following for your child:

- a place at a facility for the whole day until school entrance age if for reasons of employment, training, further training or the participation of the parents on measures for work promotion in accordance with paragraph three of the third book of social law, it is necessary that the child is cared for.
- for all other reasons a half day place for a minimum of five hours per day or 25 hours a week.

To be able to guarantee this legal claim the town of Halle (Saale) has a wide range of day nurseries at its disposal. These facilities provide the town’s children with care and support from the age of 0 up to school entry age and also up to the age of 14 for school children.

Within the town area of Halle there are 103 children’s day care centres (Plus 35 after school care centres), which are either owner-run by the town of Halle or run by one of the 40 independent providers. This means that there is adequate space for the children of parents who would like them to be cared for in a facility where they grow up happily and healthily.

Whilst doing so a multitude of various pedagogic approaches are realised. For this reason parents are able to select a pedagogic orientation of their choice for the care of their child.

The town of Halle (Saale) has day nursery personnel at its disposal who under certain conditions are also able to care for your child up to the age of three.