

# Stephen Harper asked about child care during Youtube interview <sup>[1]</sup>

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- Full video of Harper interview (child care question starts at 28:11) <sup>[2]</sup>

A Ryerson ECE student - Patrick M. - asked Stephen Harper a question about child care during his interview on Youtube.

Patrick asked why Harper has not invested in a national child care plan and said the \$1,200 Universal Child Care Benefit "doesn't even make a dent in the actual cost of child care". He called the UCCB "an insult to families".

Harper responded by saying that his government has a "different approach" and that "parents want to make their own day care decisions". Harper also claimed that the "previous government promised to create a national child care system for many years. They spent billions of dollars; Canadian parents never saw any of that."

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