

Butterfly After School Club

Inspection report for early years provision

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Introduction

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The setting also makes provision for children older than the early years age group which is registered on the voluntary and/or compulsory part(s) of the Childcare Register. This report does not include an evaluation of that provision, but a comment about compliance with the requirements of the Childcare Register is included in Annex B.

There were no children on roll when this inspection took place. The findings in this report are based on evidence gathered from discussions with those who care for the children and an inspection of the premises, equipment and relevant documentation. Where there are no children on roll, no judgement is made on the quality of the early years provision as there is no reliable evidence on which to assess its impact on children. The report states if the provider continues to meet the requirements of registration.

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Description of the setting

The Butterfly out of school club was registered in November 2007 and is privately owned. It operates from the St. Martin's Community Hall which is located on the St. Martins Estate in Tulse Hill in the London borough of Lambeth. Children have access to one large room and an enclosed outdoor play area. There is a separate kitchen.

The club is open each weekday from 15.30 to 18.00 during school term times. There are four places for children in the Early Years Foundation Stage. The club also offers 20 places for children aged between six and 11 years. The provision is registered on the Early Years Register, compulsory and voluntary part of the Childcare Register. There are currently no children on roll who are in the early age range.

Children attend from local schools in the area, including Holy Trinity Primary School, Jubilee Primary School, Christ Church and St. Helen's Primary School. Children are collected each day and taken to the club.

There are three permanent staff members, all of whom hold relevant childcare qualifications. There are also two volunteer helpers in post.

The overall effectiveness of the early years provision

Significant improvements have been made since the last inspection. Staff have increased their knowledge and understanding of the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) framework. Activities and learning opportunities for children are planned. Observation and assessment forms have been devised to record children's development and achievements. Two members of staff have successfully completed first aid courses and all staff working directly with children have been suitably vetted. However, a process for the monitoring and self-evaluation of the service provided has not been initiated.

Compliance with registration requirements

The registered person continues to meet the requirements of registration.

Annex B: the Childcare Register

The provider confirms that the requirements of the compulsory part of the Childcare Register are:

Met

The provider confirms that the requirements of the voluntary part of the Childcare Register are:

Met