

Bridge Children's Services LTD

Bridge Children's Services LTD, Ashton Playing Field Pavillion, Chigwell Road, Woodford Bridge, Essex, IG8 8AA

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| Inspection date | 08/04/2014 |
| Previous inspection date | 16/02/2010 |

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| The quality and standards of the early years provision | This inspection: | Met |
| | Previous inspection: | 2 |

The quality and standards of the early years provision

The provision meets requirements

- The manager demonstrated through discussion that she provides children with suitable activities and resources to meet differing developmental needs.
- The manager discussed the systems and procedures staff use to keep children safe and maintain their well-being. The staff team complete written risk assessments which guide their practice, so they identify and remove potential hazards from all areas used by children, so children have safe play spaces.
- The manager explains how she works with parents and external agencies to meet the individual needs of the children. This is through daily discussions and sharing children's progress records with parents.
- The manager demonstrates that she leads and supports the staff team by offering them opportunities to develop their professional practice through further training. She evaluates the club's provision which supports improvement of the facilities offered.

Information about this inspection

Inspections of registered early years provision are:

- scheduled at least once in every inspection cycle – the current cycle ends on 31 July 2016
- scheduled more frequently where Ofsted identifies a need to do so, for example where provision was previously judged inadequate
- brought forward in the inspection cycle where Ofsted has received information that suggests the provision may not be meeting the legal requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage or where assessment of the provision identifies a need for early inspection
- prioritised where we have received information that the provision is not meeting the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage and which suggests children may not be safe
- scheduled at the completion of an investigation into failure to comply with the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage.

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 whether the provider continues to meet the requirements of registration.

The provision is also registered on the voluntary and compulsory parts of the Childcare Register. This report includes a judgment about compliance with the requirements of that register.

Inspection activities

- The inspector had discussions with the manager and staff to ascertain knowledge of safeguarding children and promoting their welfare, including risk assessment systems.
- The inspector looked at the areas of the out-of-school provision used by the children.
- The inspector discussed and viewed documentation used by the manager and staff at the out-of-school-provision.

Inspector

Caroline Preston

Full report

Information about the setting

Bridge Children's Services LTD registered in 2000. The out-of-school club operates from a sports pavilion situated at Ashton playing fields in Woodford Bridge in the London Borough of Redbridge. The provision is open every weekday during term time from 3.15pm until 6.15pm and from 8am until 6.15pm during school holidays. Children have use of an indoor play area, two smaller play rooms and an outdoor play area. The club is registered on the Early Years Register and the compulsory and voluntary parts of the Childcare Register. Currently there are 10 children on roll in the early years age group. The club employs seven members of staff, all whom six hold relevant qualifications. The club supports children with special educational needs and/or disabilities and those who speak English as an additional language.

On the day of inspection at the holiday playscheme there were no children in the early years age group present.

The Childcare Register

The requirements for the compulsory part of the Childcare Register are **Met**

The requirements for the voluntary part of the Childcare Register are **Met**

What inspection judgements mean

Registered early years provision

| Grade | Judgement | Description |
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| Grade 1 | Outstanding | Outstanding provision is highly effective in meeting the needs of all children exceptionally well. This ensures that children are very well prepared for the next stage of their learning. |
| Grade 2 | Good | Good provision is effective in delivering provision that meets the needs of all children well. This ensures children are ready for the next stage of their learning. |
| Grade 3 | Requires improvement | The provision is not giving children a good standard of early years education and/or there are minor breaches of the safeguarding and welfare requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage. It will be monitored and inspected within twelve months of the date of this inspection. |
| Grade 4 | Inadequate | Provision that is inadequate requires significant improvement and/or enforcement action. The provision is failing to give children an acceptable standard of early years education and/or is not meeting the safeguarding and welfare requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage. It will be monitored and inspected again within six months of the date of this inspection. |
| Met | | The provision has no children on roll. The inspection judgement is that the provider continues to meet the requirements for registration. |
| Not met | | The provision has no children on roll. The inspection judgement is that the provider does not meet the requirements for registration. |

Inspection

This inspection was carried out by Ofsted under sections 49 and 50 of the Childcare Act 2006 on the quality and standards of provision that is registered on the Early Years Register. The registered person must ensure that this provision complies with the statutory framework for children's learning, development and care, known as the Early Years Foundation Stage.

Setting details

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| Unique reference number | 128417 |
| Local authority | Redbridge |
| Inspection number | 967311 |
| Type of provision | Out of school provision |
| Registration category | Childcare - Non-Domestic |
| Age range of children | 4 - 8 |
| Total number of places | 34 |
| Number of children on roll | 10 |
| Name of provider | Bridge Childrens Services Limited |
| Date of previous inspection | 16/02/2010 |
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Sessional provision operates for more than two hours but does not exceed three hours in any one day. These are usually known as pre-schools, kindergartens or nursery schools

and must deliver the Early Years Foundation Stage. They are registered on the Early Years Register and pay the lower fee for registration.

Childminders care for one or more children where individual children attend for a period of more than two hours in any one day. They operate from domestic premises, which are usually the childminder's own home. They are registered on the Early Years Register and must deliver the Early Years Foundation Stage.

Out of school provision may be sessional or full-time provision and is delivered before or after school and/or in the summer holidays. They are registered on the Early Years Register and must deliver the Early Years Foundation Stage. Where children receive their Early Years Foundation Stage in school these providers do not have to deliver the learning and development requirements in full but should complement the experiences children receive in school.

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