

Cornerstone Holiday Club

The Cornerstone Centre, 9 Eaton Road North, Liverpool, L12 7JN

Inspection date

Previous inspection date

01/05/2014

Not Applicable

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection:

Met

Previous inspection:

Not Applicable

The quality and standards of the early years provision

The provision meets requirements

- Leadership and management are effective as the provider fully understands their responsibilities in meeting the safeguarding and welfare requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage. All the required documents, policies and procedures to ensure the smooth efficient running of the service are maintained and available for inspection.
- The provider maintains a sound knowledge of the Local Safeguarding Children Board procedures. Suitable steps are in place to assess the risks or hazards, which may arise in the setting and when on outings so as to protect children.
- All relevant consents and information are obtained from parents. This demonstrates the providers commitment to keep children safe and protected from harm.
- The provider promotes the children's safety and well-being as she ensures that there is always a qualified first aider present on the premises and on outings. Records of any accidents that occur are recorded and shared with parents. All accident records are monitored by the provider to establish if any patterns are emerging.
- The provider organises the premises to enable children to select activities that suit their interest or moods. This means children can be energetic, restful or creative as and when they wish without compromising the enjoyment of their peers.
- The provider has a suitable knowledge of the learning and development requirements. An ability to observe, assess and plan suitable experiences and outings for the children cared for is demonstrated. These activities provide familiar and different experiences typical for the expected developmental stages of the children attending.
- The provider demonstrates a commitment to working with parents and other providers and services to complement children's learning needs.

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 held discussions with both registered individuals for the company.
- The inspector looked at the providers records, policies and procedures.
- The inspector viewed the premises used to care for the children.

Inspector

Frank Kelly

Full report

Information about the setting

Cornerstone Holiday Club was registered in 2013 and is operated by a company. It is based in the Cornerstone Centre which is situated in the West Derby area of Liverpool. Children are cared for on the ground floor of the premises and there is an area that can be secured to allow for outdoor play. The setting is open each weekday from 8am to 6pm during holiday times only and provides care for children aged four years and over. Children attend for a variety of sessions. The setting employs four members of childcare staff, of who three hold appropriate childcare qualifications. These include one member of staff who has a qualification at level 4 and two members of staff who have a qualification at level 3. One member is working towards a qualification. The setting is a member of the National Day Nursery Association. It is registered on the Early Years Register and the compulsory and voluntary parts of the Childcare Register.

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
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

Unique reference number	EY467893
Local authority	Liverpool
Inspection number	939187
Type of provision	Out of school provision
Registration category	Childcare - Non-Domestic
Age range of children	0 - 17
Total number of places	32
Number of children on roll	0
Name of provider	Community Family Services Ltd
Date of previous inspection	not applicable
Telephone number	07793436282

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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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