

# Romford YMCA Out Of School Club at Parklands Junior School

Parklands School, Havering Road, Romford, RM1 4QX

-		01/07/2014 Not Applicable		
The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection: Previous inspection:	Met Not Applicable		
The quality and standards of the early years provision				

#### The provision meets requirements

- Staff demonstrate, through discussion and examples of documentation, a good knowledge and understanding of the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage.
- Staff carry out effective observations and assessments of children's learning. Staff demonstrate how they use the information gained to plan exciting and interesting activities to encourage motivation and support children to make good progress.
- Staff understand their responsibilities to safeguard children, such as reporting any child protection concerns to appropriate agencies, supervising children well and ensuring the play environment is safe.
- Staff demonstrate that partnerships with parents and other settings the children attend are strong. This helps to ensure that all children receive the support they need to progress and succeed in their learning.
- Staff demonstrate effective behaviour management strategies and are able to explain how they would manage older children's behaviour when children in the early years age group are present.
- Staff explain how children are encouraged to share in the self-evaluation of the setting and their interests and ideas are incorporated into future planning.

#### 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 viewed children's records and planning, and discussed the early years provision with the club supervisor.
- The inspector observed older children engaged in activities indoors and outdoors.
- The inspector checked evidence of staff qualifications and their suitability to work with children.
- The inspector spoke with the area manager, staff and children.
- The inspector sampled policies and procedures, risk assessments, accident and incident reports, and attendance records.

**Inspector** Jennifer Forbes

#### **Full report**

#### Information about the setting

Romford YMCA After School Club at Parklands Junior School registered in 2014. It is registered on the Early Years Register and the compulsory and voluntary parts of the Childcare Register. It is managed by Romford YMCA and operates from the premises of Parklands Junior School in Romford within the London Borough of Havering. The after-school club has access to a port-a-cabin classroom, school halls, classroom and ICT suite, kitchen and toilets. Children have access to a large outdoor play area and physical apparatus.

The after-school club employs two members of staff, both of whom hold appropriate early years qualifications at level 3. The club opens Monday to Friday during term time only from 3pm until 6pm. The after-school club provides care for children aged from 5 years up to 11 years and who attend Parklands Infants and Junior Schools. There are currently five children on roll, one of whom is in the early years age group. There were no children present in the early years age group at the time of the inspection. The after school club supports children who have special educational needs and/or disabilities.

#### **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	EY474138
Local authority	Havering
Inspection number	953139
Type of provision	Out of school provision
Registration category	Childcare - Non-Domestic
Age range of children	5 - 8
Total number of places	16
Number of children on roll	5
Name of provider	Romford YMCA
Date of previous inspection	not applicable
Telephone number	01708 741612

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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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