

Kids Company Out Of School Club

Runwell Cp School, Canewdon Gardens, WICKFORD, Essex, SS11 7BJ

Inspection date

Previous inspection date

04/08/2014 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

- The provider has a clear understanding and knowledge of the learning and development requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage. Children's development is assessed appropriately because staff find out about their starting points. They carry out observations and take photographs to monitor children's progress.
- The provider and other staff have a clear understanding and up-to-date knowledge of safeguarding and how to promote children's safety and protect them from harm.
- The provider demonstrates a sound understanding of how to promote consistent care for children through positive partnerships with parents and the local schools.
- The provider and her staff understand how to promote children's healthy lifestyles. They demonstrate that they provide children with healthy choices of snacks, daily opportunities for fresh air, exercise and positive hygiene procedures.
- The provider demonstrates a clear commitment to making continuous improvements to the service through the self-evaluation and ongoing training for all staff.

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 present 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 present, 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 looked at policies and documentation the provider will use when caring for children.
- The inspector checked evidence of suitability and training of the provider and the other childcare staff.
- The inspector discussed with the supervisor how she intends to deliver the educational programme for children.
- The inspector saw the areas of the premises where childcare is to be provided.
- The inspector took into account the self-evaluation and improvement plans.

Inspector

Claire Parnell

Full report

Information about the setting

Kids Company Out of School Club was registered in 2011 and is on the Early Years Register and the compulsory and voluntary parts of the Childcare Register. It is situated in Runwell Primary School in the Runwell area of Wickford, Essex and is privately owned and managed. The club serves the local area and is accessible to all children. It operates from two classrooms, the school hall and the school's playgrounds and fields for outdoor play. The nursery employs nine members of childcare staff. Of these, five hold appropriate early years qualifications at level 3 and above. The club operates a breakfast club from 7.30am until 8.50am and then after school from 3pm until 6.15pm, during term time. During the school holidays, the club operates from 7.30am until 6.15pm, Monday to Friday. Children attend for a variety of sessions. There are currently 80 children attending, of whom 10 are in the early years age group. At the time of the inspection, no early years children were 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
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. We re-inspect nurseries and pre-schools judged as requires improvement within 12 months of the date of 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		There were no children present at the time of the inspection. The inspection judgement is that the provider continues to meet the requirements for registration.
Not met		There were no children present at the time of the inspection. 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 EY443915

Local authority Essex

Inspection number 881896

Type of provision

Registration categoryChildcare - Non-Domestic

Age range of children 0 - 17

Total number of places 26

Number of children on roll 80

Name of provider Sharon Louise Brooks

Date of previous inspection not applicable

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Type of provision

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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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