

Delapre Community Rooms After School Club

Delapre Annexe, Alton Street off Main Road, NORTHAMPTON, NN4 8EN

Inspection datePrevious inspection date
22/09/2014
Not Applicable

The quality and standards of the This inspection: Met

early years provision Previous inspection: Not Applicable

The quality and standards of the early years provision

The provision meets requirements

- The provider demonstrates a good understanding of how staff will complement children's learning and development at school. Systems are in place, so that information gathered from parents and children when they start, can be used to promote and provide for children's individual welfare needs.
- The staff fully understand how to plan activities that will incorporate children's interests to help engage children and support their ongoing progress.
- Staff demonstrate secure knowledge of how to support children as they move between school, the setting and home. Through discussion, staff show their understanding of how to provide a caring and nurturing environment to promote children's emotional well-being.
- Staff fully understand how to provide a suitable learning environment including a range of age-appropriate toys and equipment. The manager understands that resources need to be easily accessible, in order to support children to make independent choices about their play. Furthermore, the manager intends to provide welcoming spaces outdoors to support children's interests and learning styles.
- Staff are able to identify sound strategies to enable children to understand appropriate and inappropriate behaviour. They recognise that clear boundaries are important, so that children will know what is expected of them.
- There is a robust system of recruitment, induction, appraisal and training in place for all staff to ensure their continued suitability and professional development. For example, the provider works in conjunction with the school to provide training and workshops, such as safeguarding and first aid.

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 discussed with the provider how they intend to complement the educational programmes when children are present.
- The inspector looked at an example of the provider's observation and assessment system.
- The inspector looked at policies and documents the provider will use when caring for children.
 - The inspector checked evidence of suitability and qualifications of practitioners
- working with children, and discussed with the provider her self-evaluation form and improvement plan.

Inspector

Andrea Price

Full report

Information about the setting

Delapre Community Rooms After School Club was registered in 2014 on the Early Years Register and the compulsory and voluntary parts of the Childcare Register. It is a registered charity. The club operates from Delapre Community rooms in the Far Cotton area of Northampton. The club serves Delapre Primary School only. Children have access to two designated rooms and a fully enclosed area for outdoor play. There are currently 28 children attending, one of whom is in the early years age range. There were no children in the early years age range present at the time of the inspection. The club opens 3pm to 6pm, Monday to Friday, during term time only and children attend for a variety of sessions. There are currently three staff members working directly with children. Of these, two members of staff hold an appropriate early years qualification at level 3.

The Childcare Register

The requirements for the compulsory part of the Childcare Register are The requirements for the voluntary part of the Childcare Register are

Met

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 EY475840

Local authority Northamptonshire

Inspection number 967854

Type of provisionOut of school provision

Registration category Childcare - Non-Domestic

Age range of children 0 - 17

Total number of places 25

Number of children on roll 28

Name of provider Southern Quarter Development Ltd

Date of previous inspection not applicable

Telephone number 01604762942

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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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