

Little Diamonds O.S.C. (Venner Road)

Venner Road Hall, 1 Venner Road, London, SE26 5EQ



Inspection date

Previous inspection date

20 January 2015

21 October 2010

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection:

Previous inspection:

Met

Satisfactory

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The setting **meets legal requirements for early years settings**

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- Staff have an understanding of safeguarding children. They recognise the importance of supervising children and risk assessing the areas they use to make sure they are safe. Staff know the procedures to follow if they have concerns about a child.
- Children's health is promoted. Staff provide healthy snacks and children have opportunities to exercise outdoors.
- Staff know how to plan activities that include children's interests and support their continued learning.
- Staff understand the importance of sharing information with parents to support children's care and learning.
- The manager and staff review practice by including parents and children in the evaluation process to help the setting to improve.

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.

Inspection activities

- The inspector carried out observations of staff interacting with older children within the main hall.
- The inspector looked at a sample of policies and procedures, including safeguarding, complaints and behaviour management.
- The inspector held discussions with the owner, manager and staff regarding safeguarding practice.
- The inspector held discussions with the manager and staff regarding how they support children in the Early Years Foundation Stage when they are present, who also attend school.
- The inspector spoke to parents, staff and children.

Inspector

Claire Douglas

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY318886
Local authority	Lewisham
Inspection number	843895
Type of provision	Out of school provision
Registration category	Childcare - Non-Domestic
Age range of children	4 - 11
Total number of places	30
Number of children on roll	4
Name of provider	Anthony Michael Kwaah Mensah
Date of previous inspection	21 October 2010
Telephone number	0208 776 8618

Little Diamonds Out of School Club (Venner Road) is one of two out-of-school provisions run by an individual provider. It has been open since 2005 and operates from a community hall. Children have access to an enclosed outdoor play area. The out-of-school club is situated in a residential and commercial area of Sydenham within the London Borough of Lewisham. The club is open each weekday from 7.30am to 8.30am and 3.00pm to 6.00pm during school term-time only. Children attend from local schools. They walk escorted by staff to the club, or they are collected in a mini-bus. The club is registered on the Early Years Register and both the compulsory and voluntary parts of the Childcare Register. There were no children present in the early years age group during this inspection. The club also offers care to children over five years to 11 years. There are five members of staff, all of whom hold appropriate early years qualifications to at least a National Vocational Qualification at level 2 or 3.

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