

Inspection date27 January 2015

Previous inspection date

Not applicable

The quality and standards of the This inspection: Met

early years provision Previous inspection: Not applicable

The setting meets legal requirements for early years settings

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands how to plan activities that include children's interests and support their continued learning.
- The childminder understands how to maintain children's good health. The childminder demonstrates how she provides children with healthy snacks and regular exercise.
- The childminder understands how to keep children safe, such as by supervising them and risk assessing the areas they use to reduce hazards. The childminder knows the procedures to follow if she has concerns about a child.
- The childminder knows how to provide a range of resources for children of different ages and abilities.
- The childminder understands how to review her practice by including parents and children in the evaluation process to help her improve her provision. She understands the need to work with staff from other early years settings that children attend.

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.

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Inspection activities

- The inspector held discussions with the childminder regarding how she will support children in the Early Years Foundation Stage, including her methods for establishing their abilities on entry and assessing their ongoing progress.
- The inspector viewed the premises and resources that are used when childminding.
- The inspector talked with the childminder about her policies and practice.
- The inspector discussed the childminder's methods for evaluating her provision, and how she plans to work with parents and outside professionals.
- The inspector discussed the childminder's safeguarding procedures, including her methods for risk assessing the areas of her premises used by children.

Inspector

Claire Douglas

Setting details

Unique reference number EY437404

Local authority Bromley

Inspection number 885765

Type of provision Childminder

Registration category Childminder

Age range of children 0 - 8

Total number of places 5

Number of children on roll 0

Name of provider

Date of previous inspectionNot applicable

Telephone number

The childminder registered in 2011. She lives with her husband and pre-school child in a residential area of West Wickham, in the London Borough of Bromley. All areas of the property, except for the loft room, are available for childminding. Children have access to a garden for outside play. The childminder takes children on outings so they get fresh air and exercise each day. At the time of the inspection the childminder had no children on roll in the early years age group. She is currently caring for older children who attend before and after school. The childminder is registered on the Early Years Register and the compulsory parts of the Childcare Register.

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