Childminder Report



Inspection date27 April 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 demonstrates a suitable understanding of the learning and development requirements, including the progress check for children aged between two and three years. She has appropriate systems in place to plan for individual children's learning needs in partnership with parents.
- The childminder has a broad range of resources arranged, so children of varying ages and interests would be able to make their own choices and develop their independence.
- The childminder demonstrates an appropriate understanding of the safeguarding procedures that protect children from abuse or neglect. Through discussion she shows she is aware of significant events and changes that need to be notified to Ofsted.
- The childminder demonstrates through discussion and documentation that she understands how to provide a safe and healthy environment. She has a good understanding of appropriate behaviour management strategies and has written policies to inform parents.
- The childminder holds pubic liability insurance and has a current first-aid certificate, which promotes children's safety in the event of accidents and minor injuries.
- The childminder has a spacious and well-equipped garden that would promote children's physical development and their interest in the natural world well.

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 spoke with the childminder about how they intend to deliver the educational programme.

- The inspector checked essential documentation, including policies and procedures, registration forms, evidence of suitability and qualifications.
- The inspector looked at the areas of the home and garden that would be used for childminding and the resources available.

Inspector

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Setting details

Unique reference number EY469515

Local authority Cambridgeshire

Inspection number 974359

Type of provision Childminder

Registration category Childminder

Age range of children 0 - 17

Total number of places 6

Number of children on roll 0

Name of provider

Date of previous inspectionNot applicable

Telephone number

The childminder was registered in 2013 and lives in Chatteris, Cambridgeshire. The childminder operates during school term-times, only from 7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday.

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