

Childminder Report

Inspection date

Previous inspection date

21 May 2015

Not applicable

The quality and standards of the early years provision**This inspection:**

Previous inspection:

Met

Not applicable

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

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a good understanding of the learning and development requirements. She is aware of how to use observation and assessment to plan for children's individual needs, in order to help them achieve their learning outcomes.
- The childminder demonstrates that she understands the importance of working closely with parents to meet children's individual care and learning needs.
- The childminder demonstrates that she understands what to do if she has concerns about a child's welfare. This includes referring any child protection concerns to the appropriate agencies and notifying Ofsted of significant incidents.
- The childminder understands how to promote children's well-being. She shows an awareness of the importance of providing children with a healthy diet and ensuring they have daily opportunities to experience fresh air and exercise.
- The childminder has a clear understanding of how to promote the acquisition of the skills children need to be emotionally and developmentally prepared for future learning, such as school.
- The childminder shows a commitment to improving her practice. She has attended training to further develop her knowledge and skills.
- There is a varied range of resources available to support children's learning, and the childminder is clear how these will be used to help children make as much progress as possible.

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 viewed all of the childminder's documentation.
- The inspector talked with the childminder throughout the inspection.
- The inspector sampled records and documentation relating to obtaining children's starting points. She viewed policies and procedures and children's records.
- The inspector observed the areas that children would have access to, along with resources and equipment that would be used.
- The inspector viewed training certificates and documentation to confirm the childminder's suitability.

Inspector

Joanne Ryan

Setting details

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| Unique reference number | EY437301 |
| Local authority | Manchester |
| Inspection number | 978879 |
| 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 inspection | Not applicable |
| Telephone number | |

The childminder was registered in 2011 and lives in Ardwick. She operates all year round from 7.30am to 8pm, Monday to Friday, except family holidays.

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