

Childminder Report

Inspection date

4 June 2015

Previous inspection date

20 October 2009

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

Previous inspection:

Good

2

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

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a thorough understanding of how children learn in order to ensure they make good progress. Her effective observation and assessment procedures enable her to assess children's current skills and interests and plan activities to meet their individual needs.
- The childminder regularly updates her safeguarding training. Consequently, she demonstrates a good knowledge and understanding of her duty to protect children. She knows the procedures to follow in the event of any concerns about children's welfare.
- The childminder has a good understanding of how to promote children's well-being. She understands the importance of providing children with a healthy diet and daily opportunities to experience regular fresh air and exercise.
- The childminders home is warm and welcoming, providing a safe and stimulating environment for children. The childminder appropriately demonstrates how she reduces hazards to children, such as daily checks to remove or minimise risks to them.
- The childminder understands the importance of working with parents and other early years providers. She knows that she needs to share information to provide continuity of care and learning, to meet the individual needs of all children.
- The childminder has successfully addressed her previous recommendations. She regularly reviews her practice and updates her knowledge and skills through regular training events.

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 discussed with the childminder how she meets the learning and development requirements when caring for children.
- The inspector looked at a sample of policies, procedures and paperwork.
- The inspector discussed the self-evaluation process with the childminder.
- The inspector observed how the childminder maintains a safe environment for children.

Inspector

Jane Franks

Setting details

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| Unique reference number | EY317571 |
| Local authority | Surrey |
| Inspection number | 828079 |
| Type of provision | Childminder |
| Registration category | Childminder |
| Age range of children | 0 - 8 |
| Total number of places | 5 |
| Number of children on roll | 2 |
| Name of provider | |
| Date of previous inspection | 20 October 2009 |
| Telephone number | |

The childminder was registered in 2005. She lives in Lightwater, Surrey. The provision operates Monday to Friday, from 7am to 6pm, all year round. There were no children present in the early years age range at the time of inspection.

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