

Childminder Report

Inspection date

Previous inspection date

19 June 2015

23 February 2012

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

Previous inspection:

Met

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

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a sound understanding of the learning and development requirements and her role to promote children's learning, through observations and assessments. She understands the importance of considering children's backgrounds, skills and interests in order to meet their needs.
- The childminder provides a child-friendly and homely environment. She offers interesting resources, attractively displayed where children can easily access them.
- The childminder understands the importance of promoting healthy lifestyles and maintaining children's good health. She recognises the importance of providing nutritious meals that meet children's dietary needs and the need to provide opportunities for outdoor experiences.
- The childminder has sufficient understanding of child protection issues. She understands her responsibility to report any concerns about children's welfare and keep appropriate records.
- The childminder understands the need to keep children safe and to manage their behaviour appropriately. She knows the importance of undertaking effective risk assessments to reduce any hazards and promote children's safety.
- The childminder is aware of the importance of partnership working with parents and other early years providers to support continuity in children's care and learning.
- The childminder knows the importance of improving her provision for children. She recently attended training to ensure that she keeps her knowledge up to date and to enhance children's overall learning experiences.

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 areas in the home used for childminding, as well as toys, resources and equipment available for children's use.
- The inspector held discussions with the childminder about her practice, including how she assesses children's abilities and plans for their progress.
- The inspector viewed and discussed a selection of the childminder's documents, including her policies and procedures.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder her plans to keep children safe and healthy, how she risk assesses her premises, and her methods for evaluating her provision.

Inspector

Yasmine Hurley

Setting details

Unique reference number	135585
Local authority	Enfield
Inspection number	812414
Type of provision	Childminder
Registration category	Childminder
Age range of children	0 - 8
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Name of provider	
Date of previous inspection	23 February 2012
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2000. She lives in the London Borough of Enfield. She is available each weekday, from 7am to 7pm, throughout most of the year. There were no children in the early years age range on roll at the time of the inspection.

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