Childminder Report



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Inspection date

Previous inspection date 28 September 2009

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection: Met

Previous inspection: Good

29 June 2015

The setting meets legal requirements for early years settings

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a clear understanding of safeguarding issues. She understands her responsibility to promote children's health and well-being, and to provide them with a safe and secure environment.
- The childminder holds a current paediatric first-aid qualification and insurance.
- The childminder knows the importance of planning activities that follow children's interests and promote children's learning and development.
- The childminder has a wide range of toys and equipment and recognises her role to adapt the play activities to enable all children to join in. She will organise the resources so they are easily accessible to allow children to make independent choices about their play.
- The childminder has an understanding of her role to monitor children's achievements. Since her last inspection, she has developed the systems she will use to help her to assess and monitor the children's progress.
- The childminder is aware of her role to work in partnership with parents and other early years providers to help her provide for children's care and development.
- The childminder recognises the importance of continuing to review her childminding provision to help her develop her practice.

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 viewed the spaces, toys, resources and equipment available for use

- The inspector talked with the childminder about her childminding responsibilities to keep children safe and healthy, and how she plans to provide activities for children to help them progress.
- The inspector read relevant documents, and checked the childminder knows what records she needs to keep, and the policies and procedures she must have.
- The inspector checked the childminder's understanding of how to improve her provision.

Inspector

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Setting details

Unique reference number 161018

Local authority Southampton

Inspection number 842065

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 28 September 2009

Telephone number

The childminder registered in 2001. She lives with her husband and her daughter in the Bitterne Park area of Southampton. At the time of inspection, there were no early years children on roll.

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