Childminder Report



Inspection date13 July 2015Previous inspection date21 October 2010

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection:

Previous inspection:

Good

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The setting meets legal requirements for early years settings

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder demonstrates that she understands how to promote learning and development in young children. She has suitable arrangements to monitor their achievements and plan activities for their ongoing progress.
- The childminder has a range of resources to support children's play and promote their learning.
- The childminder explained that she would make use of the local area to provide physical activities for young children and to promote their good health.
- The childminder gave examples of how she will help children learn about nature, such as visits to the local city farm and zoo.
- The childminder has appropriate arrangements to ensure children's safety. She has a comprehensive risk assessment to identify and minimise hazards.
- The childminder says she recognises the importance of attending regular training to keep her knowledge up to date. She has attended required training such as first-aid and safeguarding.
- The childminder has a good understanding of the safeguarding and welfare requirements. She recognises the signs that would alert her to concerns for a child and how to report these to protect their welfare. The childminder ensures the assistant understands her roles and responsibilities to keep children safe from harm.
- Since the last inspection, the childminder has improved her practice to provide a more inclusive service. For example, she now has a range of resources that reflect the diverse community.

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 undertook a tour of the childminding premises, indoors and outdoors.

- The inspector spoke with the childminder about the Early Years Foundation Stage requirements.
- The inspector viewed the toys and resources available.
- The inspector viewed documents the childminder intends to use.

Inspector

Phillippa Wallis

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Setting details

Unique reference number 106461

Local authority Bristol City

Inspection number 839425

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 21 October 2010

Telephone number

The childminder registered in 1996 and lives in Bishopston, Bristol. She works with an assistant. The childminding service operates from 8am until 9pm and from 3.15pm until 6pm during term time only.

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