

# Butter Daisy Nursery

5 Stocks Barns, Minchens Lane, Bramley, TADLEY, Hampshire, RG26 5BH



## Inspection date

14 July 2015

## Previous inspection date

9 July 2014

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Outstanding	1
	Previous inspection:	Requires Improvement	3
How well the early years provision meets the needs of the range of children who attend		Outstanding	1
The contribution of the early years provision to the well-being of children		Outstanding	1
The effectiveness of the leadership and management of the early years provision		Outstanding	1
The setting <b>meets legal requirements for early years settings</b>			

## Summary of key findings for parents

### This provision is outstanding

- This is an excellent nurturing environment for young children. Staff are passionate about their work, ensuring children experience rich, broad learning opportunities at every age. Children make excellent progress.
- The promotion of excellent health is a routine element of everyday life in this nursery. Children learn about the importance of physical activity, enjoy healthy food and practice excellent hygiene routines.
- All aspects of safeguarding children's welfare are promoted exceptionally well. The nursery is maintained to a very high standard, is spotlessly clean and well organised.
- Staff establish excellent professional relationships with parents and others. They advise and support parents with the parenting role and proactively seek the support and advice of other professionals when required. This enhances the quality of the service they offer and promotes opportunities for children to achieve positive outcomes.
- Every staff member has opportunities to develop their professional skills to a high level. This has a very positive impact on the quality of the provision as staff have a thirst for knowledge which they share to further enhance the quality of the service they offer to young children and their families.

## What the setting needs to do to improve further

**To further improve the quality of the early years provision the provider should:**

- enhance further the opportunities for children to see and use factual books to support their interests.

## Inspection activities

- The inspector toured the premises and resources with the quality manager.
- The inspector observed the children and staff at play and discussed this with the manager.
- The inspector examined records and documents provided by the manager.
- The inspector discussed the nursery with parents.
- The inspector read and discussed the nursery's self-evaluation document.

## Inspector

Lynne Lewington

## Inspection findings

### **How well the early years provision meets the needs of the range of children who attend. This is outstanding**

The quality of teaching throughout this nursery is exceptional. Children are motivated and enthusiastic to learn because staff make learning fun. An interesting range of purposeful and challenging activities engage and motivate them. Children confidently sing, tell stories and explore textures as part of the story telling. Resources are used to challenge their physical skills, and staff adapt and plan the environment to match children's current interests and developmental needs. Children's literacy skills develop well. Children begin to recognise and write the letters of their names. Excellent quality fiction books are easily accessible, although factual books are not so prominent to support children's interests. Staff expertly prepare children for the next stage of their education by ensuring they have an inquisitive nature, confidence and the social skills to enjoy new opportunities.

### **The contribution of the early years provision to the well-being of children is outstanding**

Staff develop exceptionally positive relationships with parents. Parents are encouraged to play an active role in working in partnership with staff to support their children's learning. The valuable information they share helps staff to thoroughly understand and meet children's individual needs. As a result, children's experiences are positive and well planned. Children behave exceptionally well and respond positively to the routines which help them feel secure within the nursery. For example, in each room children expertly help to tidy away the resources in preparation for snack, lunch or group activities. Staff are excellent role models. They show great enthusiasm but are also calm and patient in their interactions. Children's physical well-being is promoted very effectively throughout the nursery. Babies and toddlers enjoy safe and comfortable rest times that enable them to be refreshed and happy to participate in all that is on offer. Children enjoy a nutritious and healthy diet freshly prepared for them each day, and water is easily accessible all day.

### **The effectiveness of the leadership and management of the early years provision is outstanding**

Managers and staff are extremely rigorous in the way they evaluate all aspects of their work daily. Practice is excellent at all times and they strive for continuous improvement. The key-person system is well established promoting effective relationships with children and parents. Children are supervised well throughout their play and rest. The knowledgeable staff assess children's skills to an expert standard and make appropriate plans for their next steps in learning. Highly effective systems for monitoring planning and assessment mean that an accurate overall picture of all children's progress is maintained. Excellent use is made of a wide range of training opportunities. Consequently, staff implement new ideas and practices effectively, cascading knowledge to staff and parents.

## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	EY472934
<b>Local authority</b>	Hampshire
<b>Inspection number</b>	983927
<b>Type of provision</b>	Full-time provision
<b>Registration category</b>	Childcare - Non-Domestic
<b>Age range of children</b>	0 - 8
<b>Total number of places</b>	34
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	46
<b>Name of provider</b>	Daisy Nursery Ltd
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	9 July 2014
<b>Telephone number</b>	07701013284

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