Childminder Report



Inspection date29 July 2015
Previous inspection date
12 May 2011

The quality and standards of the This inspection: Met

early years provision Previous inspection: Outstanding 1

The setting meets legal requirements for early years settings

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a very good awareness of how to safeguard children in her care. She is aware of the procedures to follow should she have any concerns about a child's welfare. She carries out risk assessments of her home to identify hazards and takes action to minimise or remove them.
- The childminder has a secure understanding of how to implement the learning and development requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage. She knows how to observe and assess children's progress to plan effectively for the next steps in their learning and development.
- The childminder understands the importance of working in partnership with parents and staff at other settings that children attend. This helps to ensure they work together and provide continuity of care and education.
- The childminder knows how to maintain children's good health and teach them about healthy lifestyles. For example, she encourages children to explore outside to get fresh air and exercise, which supports their well-being effectively. The childminder knows the importance of providing healthy food in line with dietary requirements.
- The childminder has addressed the recommendation from the previous inspection. She understands the importance of seeking to improve her service through her evaluations and regular training.

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 discussed with the childminder her arrangements to meet the individual needs of children and to deliver a suitable range of play experiences.

- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she safeguards children in her care.
- The inspector checked the arrangements for promoting healthy lifestyles for children.
- The inspector discussed some of the policies and procedures that the childminder uses.
- The inspector viewed the areas that children use.

Inspector

Hazel Stuart-Buddery

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Setting details

Unique reference number EY274983

Local authority Surrey

Inspection number 942860

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 12 May 2011

Telephone number

The childminder registered in 2004. She lives in Woking, Surrey. The childminder operates Monday to Friday, all day, for most of the year. There were no children present during the inspection.

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