

Childminder Report

Inspection date

31 July 2015

Previous inspection date

23 March 2009

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

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 has a secure understanding of the requirements and takes appropriate steps to ensure the ongoing suitability of her assistant. She has a good knowledge of child protection procedures and understands her responsibility to protect the welfare of children.
- Since the last inspection, the childminder has attended some training events that have helped her to increase her knowledge and understanding of her responsibilities. She has met the actions and recommendations previously set. Therefore, improving the arrangements for storing records safely, planning children's progression and evaluating the quality of her provision.
- The childminder provides a safe and secure environment for children to play. She is clear how she will use her toys and equipment to meet the developing needs of children of different ages, abilities and backgrounds.
- The childminder understands the need to work with parents and other early years providers to help her meet children's emotional needs and to ensure continuity in their care and learning. She is clear about how she plans to work with other professionals to support children with additional needs.
- The childminder has a clear understanding of how children learn. She knows the sorts of activities, both inside and outside the home that will help her promote children's learning and development.
- The childminder explains how she will prepare children for the next stage in their learning and their move onto pre-school or school. For example, by promoting their independence and self-care skills.

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 sampled a range of documentation, including those for recording children's details.
- The inspector held discussions with the childminder which included her policies and procedures, promoting children's learning and development, partnerships with parents and others, and self-evaluation.
- The inspector viewed areas of the home used for childminding, resources and equipment to establish how the childminder will keep children safe and help them to learn.

Inspector

Jacqueline Munden

Setting details

Unique reference number	111578
Local authority	Hampshire
Inspection number	839769
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 March 2009
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 1993. She lives in Warsash. The childminder works before and after school and during school holidays. There were no children on roll at the time of the inspection.

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