

Childminder Report

Inspection date	4 September 2015
Previous inspection date	11 February 2011

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Met	
	Previous inspection:	Good	2

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a secure understanding of the safeguarding and welfare requirements to promote children's well-being. She has a clear understanding of child protection procedures so that she is able to act in children's best interest.
- The childminder has a positive approach to promoting an inclusive environment by ensuring all children are treated as individuals and with respect. She gathers useful information about children's backgrounds to ensure they are celebrated and met.
- The childminder has a secure understanding of the Early Years Foundation Stage, and has a good understanding of child development, including how children learn through play. This helps promote positive outcomes for children.
- The childminder has a clear understanding of the need to provide nutritious meals, plan a range of physical activities and follow suitable hygiene routines to promote children's healthy lifestyles.
- The childminder has a sound understanding of the benefits of good partnership working with parents so that they are actively involved in children's care and learning.
- The childminder has a sound understanding of maintaining continuous improvement to strengthen her professional development, and to promote positive quality of care and learning.

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 held discussions with the childminder about her knowledge of the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage.
- The inspector looked at the toys, resources and space available for childminding.
- The inspector looked at available documents and discussed the childminder's policies and procedures with her.
- The inspector and the childminder discussed the childminder's processes for self-evaluation and her plans for further developing her provision.

Inspector

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Setting details

Unique reference number	160193
Local authority	Havering
Inspection number	842041
Type of provision	Childminder
Day care type	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	11 February 2011
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 1996. She lives in Upminster, in the London Borough of Havering. The childminder holds a childcare qualification at level 3. There were no children on roll at the time of the inspection.

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