

# Childminder Report

**Inspection date**

24 September 2015

Previous inspection date

10 February 2012

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

Previous inspection:

Met

## Summary of key findings for parents

### The provision meets requirements

- The childminder evaluates her provision and reflects on ways to improve her practice. She keeps up to date with new legislation and guidelines to promote children's safety, and to develop her own professional knowledge.
- The childminder has policies and procedures in place to keep children safe. Safeguarding is effective. The childminder understands her role in meeting the welfare needs of all children.
- The childminder actively promotes diversity and tolerance. She has a clear knowledge of how to manage children's behaviour.
- The childminder understands the importance of observing children's development in order to identify their interests, and next steps in learning.
- The childminder values parent partnership and recognises the importance of sharing information about children's progress. She uses initial assessments to help her establish children's starting points on entry in order to meet their needs.
- The childminder has a clear understanding of the Early Years Foundation Stage. She provides a variety of age-appropriate resources in all environments.
- The childminder knows how to encourage children to become independent in managing their personal care routines and promotes healthy lifestyles.

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 had a tour of the setting and checked all areas available for childminding.
- The inspector sampled the childminder's documents, including arrangements for meeting the safeguarding and welfare requirements.
- The inspector held discussions with the childminder to gain an understanding of her knowledge of the Early Years Foundation Stage.
- The inspector viewed a variety of resources.

## **Inspector**

Julia Maria Gouldsboro

## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	153581
<b>Local authority</b>	Waltham Forest
<b>Inspection number</b>	812515
<b>Type of provision</b>	Childminder
<b>Day care type</b>	Childminder
<b>Age range of children</b>	0 - 8
<b>Total number of places</b>	6
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	0
<b>Name of provider</b>	
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	10 February 2012
<b>Telephone number</b>	

The childminder registered in 1998. She lives in the London Borough of Waltham Forest. At the time of the inspection, there were no children on roll in the early years age group. The childminder provides care during weekdays, from 8am to 6pm and throughout most of the year.

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