

Childminder Report

Inspection date	25 September 2015
Previous inspection date	2 February 2010

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 clear understanding of the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage. She shows understanding of how children develop and the importance of working in partnership with parents and carers.
- The childminder has records in place to help her track, assess and monitor children's development. She has a suitable range of toys and resources to encourage play across the seven areas of learning.
- The childminder is aware of her role to maintain children's well-being. For example, she plans to offer healthy snacks and meals and regular outings for fresh air and exercise.
- The childminder understands how to promote and encourage children's positive behaviour, to help them learn to share and be tolerant of others.
- Safeguarding is effective. The childminder has a suitable awareness of her responsibility to protect children and is aware of the action to take in the event of a safeguarding concern.
- The childminder understands the need to ensure her training and documentation is current and to be reflective to help drive future improvements.

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 role and responsibilities in meeting the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the educational programme and her understanding of safeguarding children.
- The inspector sampled documentation, policies and procedures.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she evaluates her practice to make plans for future improvement.

Inspector

Tracy Bartholomew

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY388245
Local authority	West Berkshire (Newbury)
Inspection number	830114
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	2 February 2010
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2008. She lives in Newbury, Berkshire. The childminder has an appropriate early years childcare qualification. She offers care from Monday to Friday all year.

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