

# Childminder Report

<b>Inspection date</b>	13 October 2015
Previous inspection date	2 June 2009

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

## Summary of key findings for parents

### The provision meets requirements

- The childminder is very experienced and well qualified. She knows how to promote children's learning. She has experience of supporting disabled children and those who have special educational needs.
- The childminder is aware of the importance of working closely with parents and other professionals to meet children's individual needs.
- The childminder understands how to promote children's well-being. She recognises the importance of providing children with a choice of healthy and well-balanced food at all times. Her premises are organised so that children can easily access fresh air and outdoor activities.
- The childminder has a very strong understanding of how to manage children's behaviour positively.
- The childminder holds a current first-aid qualification which is relevant for the care of babies and young children. As a result, she is prepared to respond appropriately to first-aid emergencies.
- The childminder states that she values training. She recognises that she needs to continually improve her practice in order to enhance her provision and the learning outcomes for children.
- The childminder is able to discuss how she will observe and monitor children's learning. She has plans and documentation in place to share children's development with their parents.

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 discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the educational programmes for children and undertake observation, assessment and planning.
- The inspector observed areas to be used for the care of children along with furniture, equipment and toys that are to be used for childminding.
- The inspector looked at suitability checks, and policies and documents the childminder will use when caring for children.

### **Inspector**

Lesley Bott

## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	EY309871
<b>Local authority</b>	Staffordshire
<b>Inspection number</b>	856659
<b>Type of provision</b>	Childminder
<b>Day care type</b>	Childminder
<b>Age range of children</b>	0 - 0
<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>	2 June 2009
<b>Telephone number</b>	

The childminder was registered in 2005 and lives in Newcastle, Staffordshire. She operates all year round from 7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday, except for bank holidays and family holidays. She holds a Level 3 qualification and is a registered foster carer for the local authority.

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