Childminder Report



Inspection date30 November 2015Previous inspection date11 March 2011

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection:

Previous inspection:

Good

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Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands how to use the information from observations and assessments to plan for children's individual needs and help them make progress. She knows how to provide a suitable range of resources for children of different ages, abilities and backgrounds.
- The childminder recognises the value of working in partnership with parents to provide a consistent approach. She knows the importance of providing parents with regular feedback about children's development.
- The childminder and her assistant understand the need to provide children with daily outdoor experiences to promote their physical and good health.
- The childminder and her assistant know how to prepare children for the next stage in their learning and their move to nursery or school. They understand the importance of promoting their independence and personal care skills.
- The childminder and her assistant have a secure knowledge of the possible signs that would cause them concern about a child's welfare. They know the procedures to follow should they have any safeguarding concerns, including if an allegation is made against anyone living or working on the premises.
- The childminder knows how to conduct thorough risk assessments of her environment to support children to be able to play safely in their surroundings.

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.

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Inspection activities

- The inspector held discussions with the childminder and her assistant about their knowledge and understanding of the safeguarding and welfare, and learning and development requirements.
- The inspector viewed the premises used for childminding.
- The inspector viewed a sample of documentation that the childminder and her assistant use for childminding, including the first-aid certificates and public liability insurance.

Inspector

Sarah Stephens

Setting details

Unique reference number 136918

Local authority Bromley

Inspection number 846467

Type of provision Childminder

Day care type Childminder

Registers Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare

Register, Voluntary Childcare Register

Age range of children 5 - 8

Total number of places 6

Number of children on roll 4

Name of provider

Date of previous inspection 11 March 2011

Telephone number

The childminder registered in 1992 and lives in the London Borough of Bromley. She offers part-time care, Monday to Thursday, term time only. The childminder works with an assistant. There were no early years children on a roll at the time of inspection.

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