

Childminder Report



Inspection date	9 December 2015
Previous inspection date	Not applicable

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Met
	Previous inspection:	Not applicable

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder reads childcare publications to help keep updated with current issues and to make improvements to her practice. She mentors her assistants to ensure they understand her methods and their roles and responsibilities.
- The childminder understands how to support children's learning and development. She knows the benefits of using the information gained from her observations and assessments. She uses these to plan for the next steps in children's learning, to help them make progress and gain skills ready for their move to school.
- The childminder understands the benefits of working in partnership with parents and other professionals to ensure she provides continuity in children's care and education.
- The childminder knows how to keep children in her care safe. She is aware of child protection issues and the procedures to follow should she have any concerns.
- The childminder understands how to help children value and respect others, for example, through positive behaviour management and being a good role model. She supports children's awareness of differences between themselves and others in society.

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 her arrangements to meet the individual needs of children and to deliver a suitable range of play experiences.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder her knowledge of safeguarding.
- The inspector discussed some of the policies, procedures and documentation that the childminder plans to use.
- The inspector viewed the areas children use.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she mentors her assistants.

Inspector

Hazel Stuart-Buddery

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY456749
Local authority	Hampshire
Inspection number	930379
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	5
Number of children on roll	4
Name of provider	
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2013. She lives in Odiham, Hampshire. The childminder works Monday to Friday, all day, term time only. There are currently no children on roll in the early years age range. The childminder holds a relevant level 3 child care qualification.

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