

Childminder Report

Inspection date

4 May 2016

Previous inspection date

21 November 2011

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

Previous inspection:

Good

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Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has robust systems in place to identify risks and minimise hazards to children's safety. She has an up-to-date safeguarding understanding of local child protection procedures and knows what to do if she had concerns for children's safety or welfare.
- The childminder has a secure understanding of how to provide children with play and learning opportunities to help them develop their skills and knowledge, in preparation for moving onto school.
- The childminder has appropriate arrangements to monitor and review the quality of her practice and extend her knowledge and skills. For example, she will ask parents to regularly share their views with her and attend early years training.
- The childminder understands the importance of working with parents and other settings to support children to make good progress.
- The childminder knows how to promote children's behaviour and help children to develop a respect for each other.

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 checked evidence of the childminder's suitability to work with children.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder her understanding and knowledge of safeguarding and how she would protect children's welfare.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she plans to deliver the learning and development requirements.
- The inspector viewed the areas of the house and garden that the childminder normally uses for childminding.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she would work in partnership with parents and other settings that children attend.

Inspector

Maxine Ansell

Setting details

Unique reference number	136778
Local authority	Kent
Inspection number	1035509
Type of provision	Childminder
Day care type	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Age range of children	0 - 8
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Name of provider	
Date of previous inspection	21 November 2011
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 1986 and lives in Hythe in Kent. She operates Monday to Friday between the hours of 7am to 6pm, throughout the year. At the time of the inspection, there were no children in the early years age range on roll.

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