

Holiplay Kids Club - Shirley Park



Oasis Academy Shirley Park Primary, Long Lane, Croydon, CR0 7AR

Inspection date	7 June 2016
Previous inspection date	Not applicable

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Good	2
	Previous inspection:	Not applicable	
Effectiveness of the leadership and management		Good	2
Quality of teaching, learning and assessment		Good	2
Personal development, behaviour and welfare		Good	2
Outcomes for children		Not applicable	

Summary of key findings for parents

This provision is good

- Children behave well and know the club rules. For example, they quote and practise the three Rs of being 'Reliable, Respectful and Responsible'.
- Staff have good partnerships with parents. They exchange valuable information about the care of children to provide consistency and support safety.
- Staff engage well with the children during play and are very supportive and encouraging.
- Reflection and evaluation feature strongly across the staff team, who appreciate the positive impact this has on their provision. For example, staff have daily meetings before and after the session, weekly feedback from the children and termly feedback from parents. The manager and staff effectively use the findings to make improvements for the children's time at the club.

It is not yet outstanding because:

- Staff do not always organise the environment to provide an area where children are able to sit quietly and rest if needed.
- Staff sometimes miss opportunities to complement children's experiences in school to help them build further on their existing skills.

What the setting needs to do to improve further

To further improve the quality of the early years provision the provider should:

- review the environment and provide a place where children are able to sit quietly or rest if they want to
- enhance and complement children's experiences that take place in school to help them build further on their existing skills.

Inspection activities

- The inspector observed children playing with a range of indoor activities.
- The inspector spoke to children and parents to gain their views.
- The inspector sampled a range of documentation, including policies, children's records, staff qualifications and records of staff suitability checks.
- The inspector saw how children are escorted between the school and club.

Inspector

Jill Steer

Inspection findings

Effectiveness of the leadership and management is good

Safeguarding is effective. Staff have a good understanding of child protection issues and they know how to recognise and report any concerns. The staff are supported well by the manager. For example, they have individual and team meetings to discuss practice issues and update their knowledge. Recruitment procedures are effective, and induction processes help staff to develop a secure understanding of their role and responsibilities. Staff attend training to keep their skills and knowledge up to date, including first aid training and relevant training to support children's play and activities. Parents really like the club. They speak highly of the friendly but professional staff and the good range of activities that the children enjoy and tell them about.

Quality of teaching, learning and assessment is good

Children arrive from school with enthusiasm, ready to find out what there is to do. They find their friends to sit with and include staff in their chatter. Children enjoy being creative, such as making collages and bracelets. Staff give children choices about what they do, offering a selection of games and activities that they have previously requested. Some games include children of all ages together, such as a counting game which they can join in as equals. Older children happily help younger children during some activities, showing care and responsibility.

Personal development, behaviour and welfare are good

Staff support children's good health and well-being. For example, they provide children with fresh, healthy snacks and the opportunity to play active games outside most days. Staff are good role models. They respect children's views and feelings and encourage them to develop good friendships and to be kind and thoughtful. Children settle well at the club and know the routine and what is expected of them. For example, they know that staff will ask them for their opinion about the activities that are planned. Staff keep children safe, such as by providing high-visibility clothing for the walk from school and observing road safety rules. They explain to children about why some actions are not sensible to raise their understanding of possible consequences.

Setting details

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Local authority	Croydon
Inspection number	1004209
Type of provision	Out of school provision
Day care type	Childcare - Non-Domestic
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Age range of children	5 - 11
Total number of places	32
Number of children on roll	15
Name of registered person	Holiplay Ltd
Registered person unique reference number	RP910247
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable
Telephone number	07949 297 744

Holiplay Kids Club registered in 2015. It operates from the Oasis Academy, Shirley Park Primary School in Croydon, Surrey. The club is open each weekday from 3pm to 6pm, during term time only. The owner, who is also the manager, is a qualified primary teacher. He employs three members of staff, one of whom holds an appropriate early years qualification at level 3.

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