

Childminder Report

Inspection date

Previous inspection date

9 June 2016

5 February 2013

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection:

Previous inspection:

Met

Satisfactory

3

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands the learning and development requirements. She talks confidently about how she would assess and monitor children's progress to ensure that they learn and develop appropriately.
- Systems are in place for working in partnership with parents to meet children's needs. These include gathering information about what children know and can do, and sharing ongoing information about care and learning needs.
- The childminder understands her Local Safeguarding Children Board procedures and knows how to report concerns to the appropriate authorities. She fully understands her responsibility to protect children in her care.
- The childminder's home is safe and welcoming. She has a good range of toys, books and resources to help support children's play.
- Risk assessments are undertaken to keep children safe from harm. The childminder and her assistant hold appropriate first-aid qualifications so that they are able to provide assistance in the event of a minor accident.
- The childminder understands how to foster children's well-being and good health. She confidently discusses how she would promote suitable hygiene procedures. She understands the benefits of providing healthy foods and spending time in the fresh air.
- The childminder and her assistant display a positive attitude towards ongoing improvement, including embracing training opportunities and reading childcare publications.

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 how she plans to undertake observation, assessment and planning.
- The inspector looked at policies and documents the childminder uses when caring for children.
- The inspector viewed areas that are used when caring for children, both inside and outdoors.

Inspector

Carly Mooney

Setting details

Unique reference number	257101
Local authority	Peterborough
Inspection number	1042662
Type of provision	Childminder
Day care type	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Age range of children	5 - 10
Total number of places	12
Number of children on roll	3
Name of registered person	
Date of previous inspection	5 February 2013
Telephone number	

The childminder was registered in 1998 and lives in Peterborough. She operates all year round from 7am to 7pm, Monday to Friday, except for bank holidays and family holidays. The childminder works with an assistant.

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