Childminder Report



Inspection date21 November 2016Previous inspection date17 April 2013

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's home is welcoming for children. She has a range of appropriate toys and resources to promote children's learning and development. She understands the importance of helping children to settle and feel secure.
- The childminder has a good understanding of how to meet the safeguarding and welfare requirements. She maintains documentation in a professional manner and updates her required training, such as paediatric first aid.
- The childminder has appropriate systems in place to safeguard children. She knows how to identify potential risks to children and what to do if she has any concerns about their safety.
- The childminder understands her responsibility to meet the learning and development requirements. She understands how observations and assessments can be used to plan appropriate experiences to meet children's individual learning needs. She knows how to work in partnership with parents to support children's care and education.
- The childminder understands how to manage children's different behaviours and how to teach them to behave in safe ways. She understands how to maintain their good health in order to meet their care needs and promote their well-being.
- The childminder is well qualified. She puts plans in place for further professional development to enhance her skills and knowledge of how to improve outcomes for children.
- The childminder understands the importance of using self-evaluation to reflect on her strengths and weaknesses.

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 had a tour of the areas of the home intended to be used for childminding.
- The inspector viewed the resources and activities available for children.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the educational programmes for children.
- The inspector looked at policies and documents the childminder will use when she is childminding.

Inspector

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Setting details

Unique reference number EY292501

Local authority Sandwell

Inspection number 1064624

Type of provision Childminder

Day care type Childminder

Registers Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare

Register, Voluntary Childcare Register

Age range of children 0 - 0

Total number of places 6

Number of children on roll 0

Name of registered person

Date of previous inspection 17 April 2013

Telephone number

The childminder was registered in 2005 and lives in Tipton. She operates all year round from 7.30am to 6pm, Monday to Friday, except for bank holidays and family holidays. The childminder holds an appropriate qualification at level 5.

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