Childminder Report



Inspection date12 January 2017Previous inspection date22 February 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 knows how to provide a variety of activities and experiences to support children's learning. She understands how to assess children's progress, plan for their individual needs and help prepare them for the next stage in their learning.
- The childminder keeps up to date with current safeguarding matters. She knows the procedures to follow if she has any child protection concerns.
- The childminder understands how to support children's good behaviour and the importance of teaching children to be considerate and respectful to others.
- The childminder recognises the importance of supporting children's healthy lifestyles, for example, by providing nutritional food, and regular fresh air and opportunities to exercise.
- The childminder is aware of the need to work in partnership with parents and to share information to help meet each child's individual needs.
- The childminder is reflective in her practice and she keeps her knowledge up to date, such as with training courses and research to help improve on her practice.

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.

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Inspection activities

■ The inspector checked evidence of the childminder's qualifications and suitability.

- The inspector looked at policies and documents that the childminder uses.
- The inspector viewed the areas of the home available for childminding and discussed with the childminder how she plans to use the space.
- The inspector asked the childminder how she plans to meet the needs of children.

Inspector

Ben Parsons

Setting details

Unique reference number 124648

Local authority Croydon

Inspection number 1061297

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 registered person

Date of previous inspection 22 February 2013

Telephone number

The childminder registered in 1993. She lives in Coulsdon, Surrey. The childminder provides care for children between 7am and 7pm, Monday to Thursday, all year round. There were no children on roll in the early years age group at the time of inspection.

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