

Childminder Report

Inspection date	11 January 2017
Previous inspection date	26 February 2016

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Met	
	Previous inspection:	Requires Improvement	3

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands the responsibility of protecting children in her care. She has recently attended safeguarding training to help keep her knowledge up to date.
- The childminder knows the importance of forming strong partnerships with parents and other professionals to help children to progress and achieve. Parents comment on the level of commitment from the childminder and the genuine care she provides.
- The childminder uses self-evaluation to help her identify areas for development. She includes the opinions of children to drive improvement. Since the last inspection, the childminder has checked the suitability of all people living in the household.
- The childminder understands how to plan for each child's learning. She knows to monitor their achievements to help provide challenge and support them to achieve.
- The childminder is aware of how to help children to learn about acceptable behaviour, boundaries and expectations, and to help them manage their own feelings.
- The childminder understands the importance of helping children to learn about the differences in themselves and others and to explore the world around them.

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 held discussions with the childminder about her knowledge of the requirements of the early years foundation stage.
- The inspector discussed the childminder's process for self-evaluation and her areas identified for improving practice.
- The inspector viewed comments from parents during the inspection process.
- The inspector checked registration and insurance documents, and the childminder's paediatric first aid qualification.
- The inspector looked at and discussed the toys, resources and areas available for childminding.

Inspector

Gwendolyn Andrews

Setting details

Unique reference number	139890
Local authority	Sutton
Inspection number	1057528
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	4
Number of children on roll	0
Name of registered person	
Date of previous inspection	26 February 2016
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 1992. She lives in Sutton, Surrey. The childminder provides care during term time only from 7.30am to 6pm, Monday to Friday. She has a childcare qualification at level 3.

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