

Childminder Report

Inspection date	16 January 2017
Previous inspection date	12 February 2013

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Met	
	Previous inspection:	Good	2

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder knows how to use the information from her observations and assessments to plan for children's next stage in learning. She understands how to monitor children's progress to help identify any gaps in development early.
- The childminder recognises the importance of working in partnership with parents to provide a consistent approach. She understands the need to provide parents with regular feedback about children's progress and help them support children's learning at home.
- The childminder understands the need to support children's physical and good health. For example, she knows to provide children with daily outdoor experiences.
- The childminder is aware how to prepare children for their move to school or nursery. She knows the importance of encouraging their independence and personal care skills.
- The childminder knows the procedures to follow should she have any safeguarding concerns. She recognises the signs and symptoms that would cause her concern about a child's welfare.

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 and understanding of the safeguarding and welfare requirements, and those for learning and development.
- The inspector viewed all the premises available for childminding.
- The inspector checked a sample of documentation, including the childminder's first-aid qualification and public liability insurance.

Inspector

Sarah Stephens

Setting details

Unique reference number	124559
Local authority	Croydon
Inspection number	1061296
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	2
Name of registered person	
Date of previous inspection	12 February 2013
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2000 and lives in Croydon, Surrey. She offers care, Monday to Friday from 7.30am to 6.30pm, throughout the year. There were no children in the early years age range on roll at the time of inspection.

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