

Childminder Report

Inspection date

Previous inspection date

14 February 2017

23 June 2016

The quality and standards of the early years provision**This inspection:**

Previous inspection:

Met

Requires
Improvement

3

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has clear safeguarding procedures to follow and knows how to report concerns about a child's welfare or well-being. She recognises the importance of undertaking risk assessments to help children play in safety and keeping records, such as, those linking to accidents.
- The childminder is aware of how to provide age-appropriate learning experiences and support children's ongoing development. She understands the need to observe, assess and monitor children and prepare them with skills for their future learning.
- The childminder knows how to maintain children's good health and well-being. She is aware of how to maintain children's good health and provide them with regular physical opportunities, such as outdoors, to support their physical development.
- The childminder has a clear understanding of the benefits of establishing good partnerships with parents and other providers in children's lives, helping them to be fully involved in their care and learning.
- The childminder has a good understanding of the need to evaluate and develop her practice and continue her professional development to maintain good 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.

Inspection activities

- The inspector sampled documentation and discussed these with the childminder.
- The inspector discussed the childminder's safeguarding and child protection procedures, how children's good health will be maintained and how children's behaviour will be managed.
- The inspector looked at the space and range of toys and activities that will be available to the children.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder, how she intends to work with parents and other professionals.

Inspector

Mary Vandepeer

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY423875
Local authority	Kent
Inspection number	1057848
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	23 June 2016
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2011. She lives in Gravesend, Kent. She cares for children all year round, except on Bank holidays and family holidays. The childminder holds a foundation degree in childcare. There were no children in the early years age group on roll at the time of this inspection.

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