# Childminder Report



**Inspection date**4 May 2017
Previous inspection date
9 September 2014

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 clean and suitable. The childminder understands the importance of children accessing fresh air and has a safe and well-maintained garden.
- The childminder understands how children learn and develop. She knows how to assess and track their development. She has a variety of appropriate toys and resources available to support and build on children's learning.
- The childminder is confident in the procedures to follow to protect children's welfare. She has suitable safeguarding procedures and understands the referral system.
- The childminder understands the importance of good partnerships with parents. She has required documentation in place to maintain continuity in children's care and learning.
- The childminder understands the significance of keeping her knowledge and training up to date, to maintain requirements.
- The childminder has successfully addressed the previous recommendations made at the last inspection, which shows a commitment to driving improvements.

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 discussed statutory requirements with the childminder to check her knowledge.

- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the educational programmes for children.
- The inspector sampled documentation, including policies and procedures.
- The inspector checked to ensure the home and premises are safe to meet the safety and welfare of the children.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she evaluates her practice and plans for improvement.

#### Inspector

Tracy Bartholomew

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## **Setting details**

**Unique reference number** 148251

**Local authority** Wokingham

**Inspection number** 1097258

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** 9 September 2014

**Telephone number** 

The childminder registered in 1989. She lives in Woodley, Berkshire. She offers care from Monday to Friday, all year round.

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