

Childminder Report

Inspection date	1 August 2017
Previous inspection date	16 June 2015

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 protect children and report any child protection concerns to appropriate local safeguarding agencies to support their welfare.
- The childminder recognises the importance of helping children settle and encouraging them to form strong relationships. She knows how to support children to manage their feelings and understand behavioural expectations.
- The childminder understands the importance of keeping children safe and healthy in the home and when on outings. She talks about providing children with regular opportunities to be outside and active, involving them in assessing risk.
- The childminder provides a range of age-appropriate resources. She understands how to plan exciting experiences which support children's interests and build on what they know. She understands the importance of assessing children's progress and sharing information with parents and other early years settings children attend.
- The childminder recognises the importance of evaluating her provision and considering parents' and children's views.

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 viewed the premises and children's resources.
- The inspector sampled children's individual records, policies and procedures.
- The inspector spoke with the childminder about her understanding of observation, planning and assessment arrangements to support children's learning.
- The inspector spoke with the childminder about her understanding of how to keep children safe, secure and healthy.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she would evaluate her provision to make improvements.

Inspector

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Setting details

Unique reference number	155166
Local authority	North Somerset
Inspection number	1089799
Type of provision	Childminder
Day care type	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Age range of children	0 - 6
Total number of places	5
Number of children on roll	0
Name of registered person	
Date of previous inspection	16 June 2015
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2001 and lives in Winscombe, North Somerset. The childminding service operates between 7.30am and 6pm on Mondays and Tuesdays for most weeks of the year.

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