

Childminder Report

Inspection date	24 August 2017
Previous inspection date	5 January 2017

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

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands the importance of using observation and assessment to identify children's starting points for learning, and to track and plan for their progress.
- The childminder understands the benefits of working in partnership with parents and others involved with children, to help ensure children receive consistent support.
- The childminder understands how to support children's learning and development within play and practical experiences, such as outings and baking.
- The childminder understands his responsibility to safeguard children's welfare. For example, he knows how to deal with any child protection concerns and use risk assessment to keep children safe within the home and on outings.
- The childminder knows how to encourage children to adopt healthy lifestyle habits.
- The childminder understands the value of self-evaluation. He knows to keep up to date with childcare and child development issues and practices, for instance, he attends training.

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 spoke to the childminder about how he intends to support children's learning and development, and meet the safeguarding and welfare requirements.
- The inspector looked at relevant documentation, including that relating to safeguarding practices and the childminder's suitability to work with children.
- The inspector checked the suitability of the premises, furniture and equipment, and assessed the childminder's understanding of providing appropriate resources for children's different stages of development.

Inspector

Amanda Tyson

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY385523
Local authority	Surrey
Inspection number	1107704
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	5 January 2017
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2008. He lives in Epsom, Surrey and works with a co-childminder. The childminder has a recognised early years qualification at level 3. The childminder is available to work Monday to Friday, all year round.

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