Childminder Report



Inspection date Previous inspection date	19 Octo Not app	ber 2017 Dicable
The quality and standards of the	This inspection:	Not met
early years provision	Previous inspection:	Not applicable

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision does not meet requirements

- The childminder does not have a clear understanding of the procedures to follow if an allegation is made against herself or a member of her household.
- The childminder does not know how to use information to assess children's progress.
- The childminder knows how to work in partnership with parents and other professionals to help promote consistent practices and continuity of care for children.
- The childminder demonstrates an effective understanding of how to support children who have special educational needs.
- The childminder demonstrates an awareness of supporting children's healthy lifestyles through exercise, healthy food and drink and appropriate hygiene procedures.
- The childminder understands the different ways in which children learn and knows how to use resources and activities required to support their ongoing development.
- The childminder understands the importance of supporting children's emotional wellbeing when moving to their next place in their learning, such as school.
- The childminder understands how to evaluate and continually develop her 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.

What the setting needs to do to improve further

To meet the requirements of the early years foundation stage and the Childcare Register the provider must:

		Due Date
•	develop a secure knowledge of the procedures to follow in the event of an allegation being made against the childminder or a member of her family	19/11/2017
	improve knowledge of how to use assessment to identify, plan and support children's ongoing development and progress.	19/11/2017

Inspection activities

- The inspector looked at the childminder's documentation, policies and procedures.
- The inspector looked at the areas of the house that the childminder intends to use for childminding.
- The inspector took into consideration the childminder's self-evaluation.
- The inspector saw evidence of the ongoing suitability of the childminder and members of her household.

Inspector

Claire Parnell

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY489760
Local authority	Kent
Inspection number	1014529
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	3
Name of registered person	
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2015. She lives in Brasted, Kent. The childminder operates Monday to Friday from 7.30am until 6.30pm, all year round, except for family holidays and public holidays.

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