# Childminder Report



**Inspection date**10 November 2017
Previous inspection date
25 February 2013

The quality and standards of the This inspection: Met

**early years provision** Previous inspection: Satisfactory 3

# Summary of key findings for parents

#### The provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands how to observe and monitor children's progress, to help her plan and provide a range of activities to promote children's learning. She knows how to teach children about healthy lifestyles.
- The childminder knows what to do if she has a concern about the welfare of a child. She understands how to keep children safe and undertakes regular assessments of the environment to help her minimise hazards.
- The childminder is committed to continuously improving outcomes for children and undertakes research and training to support her knowledge and skills.
- The childminder understands how to help children feel safe and secure, and prepare them for their future learning.
- The childminder recognises the importance of working with parents and other early years settings to help her to meet children's individual care and learning needs. She plans to offer an inclusive service.

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 with the childminder about how she plans to meet children's individual care needs.

- The inspector observed and discussed how the childminder would maintain a safe and welcoming environment for children.
- The inspector discussed the childminder's knowledge and understanding of safeguarding children.
- The inspector asked the childminder about how she plans to provide a range of activities and experiences for children to support their learning.

### Inspector

Anna Fisk

# **Setting details**

**Unique reference number** EY216540

Local authority Kent

**Inspection number** 1111904

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** 25 February 2013

**Telephone number** 

The childminder lives in Boughton Monchelsea, in Maidstone, Kent. She operates between 7am and 7pm on Monday to Friday, all year round.

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