

# Childminder Report

<b>Inspection date</b>	10 November 2017
Previous inspection date	17 September 2014

<b>The quality and standards of the early years provision</b>	<b>This inspection:</b>	<b>Met</b>	
	Previous inspection:	Good	2

## Summary of key findings for parents

### The provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands her responsibility to protect the well-being of children. She is aware of the indicators of abuse and knows how to report concerns. The childminder knows how to evaluate her service. She keeps up to date with latest legislation.
- The childminder demonstrates a good awareness of the importance of engaging with parents and understands the benefits of promoting good levels of communication. She describes effective methods to keep them informed about their children's learning.
- The childminder is aware of the importance of offering an inclusive service. She knows how to support children to develop secure emotional bonds with her and how this contributes to children's emotional well-being and their enjoyment of being in her care.
- The childminder understands her role in supporting children's learning and development. She is aware of how to observe children as they play in order to plan and provide activities to promote their continuing progress.
- The childminder understands the need to check children's developmental progress regularly so that any concerns can be identified and managed.

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 with the childminder about the service that she intends to provide.
- The inspector checked the suitability of the rooms used for childminding.
- The inspector looked at written documentation.
- The inspector checked evidence of the qualifications of the childminder and the suitability of household members.

## Inspector

Jacqueline Mason

## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	EY356278
<b>Local authority</b>	Suffolk
<b>Inspection number</b>	1104614
<b>Type of provision</b>	Childminder
<b>Day care type</b>	Childminder
<b>Registers</b>	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
<b>Age range of children</b>	0 - 8
<b>Total number of places</b>	6
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	0
<b>Name of registered person</b>	
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	17 September 2014
<b>Telephone number</b>	

The childminder registered in 2007. She lives in Clare, Suffolk. The childminder operates all year round from 7am to 7pm Monday to Friday, except for bank holidays and family holidays.

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