

# Childminder Report

**Inspection date**

6 December 2017

Previous inspection date

12 March 2013

**The quality and standards of the early years provision****This inspection:****Met**

Previous inspection:

Good

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## Summary of key findings for parents

### The provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands her duty to safeguard children and protect them from harm. She has a safeguarding procedure and knows how to refer concerns.
- The childminder demonstrates a suitable knowledge and understanding of the learning and development requirements of the early years foundation stage. Since her last inspection she has gained a recognised qualification which has helped her understand more fully how children learn and develop.
- The childminder holds a paediatric first-aid qualification and has a good understanding of meeting children's needs in the event of an emergency or accident. She is aware of the need to maintain records on accidents and injuries.
- The childminder's home is suitable for children's care. She keeps a broad range of resources to support children's learning and development and maintains a safe environment.
- The childminder understands the importance of working in partnership with parents and other providers to support continuity of care for children.
- The childminder knows how to seek views from parents and children to help her plan ongoing developments and improvements to her setting.

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 discussed with the childminder how she would plan to help children make progress in their learning.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder her understanding of safeguarding children and what she would do if she had any concerns.
- The inspector sampled relevant documentation.
- The inspector viewed areas of the house and garden to be used for childminding.

## **Inspector**

Jacqueline Good

## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	112426
<b>Local authority</b>	Hampshire
<b>Inspection number</b>	1083531
<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>	12 March 2013
<b>Telephone number</b>	

The childminder registered in 1998. She lives in the Locks Heath area of Southampton, Hampshire. The childminder provides care Monday to Friday from 7.30am to 6pm, throughout the year. She holds a recognised early years qualification at level 3.

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