

Childminder Report

Inspection date	29 January 2018
Previous inspection date	22 October 2014

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

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder maintains her knowledge of child protection and safeguarding issues. She attends training and reviews and updates her policy and procedures when required. The childminder carries out risk assessments and takes action to ensure that her home remains suitable for childminding young children.
- Through discussion, the childminder demonstrates an awareness of how to observe and assess children's development. She has new documentation in place that she intends to use for tracking children's development.
- There are plans in place for children's learning. The childminder currently cares for older children and explains how she intends to adapt her planning for younger children.
- The childminder discusses ways that she intends to help young children to settle into her care. She plans to talk to parents to find out about children's home routines.
- The childminder is a member of the local zoo and explains how she plans to use activities outside of the home to support children's learning. She explains how such activities can benefit children's good health and well-being.

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 how the childminder intends to provide for children's learning and development. She looked at activity plans and documentation the childminder intends to use when caring for children.
- The inspector viewed the areas used for childminding and had discussions with the childminder about risk assessments.
- The inspector looked at a range of required documentation, such as evidence of the suitability of household members, insurance information and training certificates.
- The inspector read through the childminder's self-evaluation and discussed the childminder's evaluations of her provision.

Inspector

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Setting details

Unique reference number	140572
Local authority	Buckinghamshire
Inspection number	1070315
Type of provision	Childminder
Day care type	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Age range of children	4 - 8
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	6
Name of registered person	
Date of previous inspection	22 October 2014
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 1995 and lives in Tring. The childminder's provision is open all year round from 7am to 6pm on Monday to Friday, except for family holidays and bank holidays. The childminder holds a recognised childcare qualification at level 3.

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