# Childminder Report



Inspection date29 January 2018Previous inspection date31 May 2016

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection: Met Previous inspection: Met

# Summary of key findings for parents

## The provision meets requirements

- The childminder keeps her knowledge of early years issues up to date. She obtains information through her membership of an association for early years workers, obtains information online and discusses issues with other childminders. Her first-aid and safeguarding knowledge is current.
- The childminder is able to identify signs of abuse and neglect, and knows the local referral procedures to follow if she is concerned about a child's welfare.
- The childminder knows how to minimise potential risks in her home. For example, she identifies that because there is a pond in the back garden of her home, the garden will not be accessible to children through securing rear doors and the garden gate.
- The childminder understands how to observe children, determine their stage of development and plan activities to promote the next steps in their learning. She plans to provide resources and activities to meet children's different developmental needs.

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 spoke with the childminder throughout the inspection.

- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she plans to meet the requirements of the early years foundation stage and promote children's progress.
- The inspector looked at evidence of the childminder's training and checked evidence of the suitability of all adults in the household.
- The inspector looked at policies and procedures, and a range of other documentation.

## **Inspector**

Jan Burnet

# **Setting details**

**Unique reference number** EY347348

**Local authority** Warwickshire

**Inspection number** 1120687

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** 31 May 2016

**Telephone number** 

The childminder registered in 2007 and lives in Kenilworth, Warwickshire. She operates all year round from 8am to 6pm, Monday to Friday, except for bank holidays and family holidays.

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