

# Childminder Report

<b>Inspection date</b>	16 February 2018
Previous inspection date	9 May 2016

<b>The quality and standards of the early years provision</b>	<b>This inspection:</b>	<b>Met</b>
	Previous inspection:	Not met

## Summary of key findings for parents

### The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has worked relentlessly to bring about change and improvement since her last inspection. She has successfully addressed the actions set and exhibits a strong commitment to further develop her professional practice. Self-evaluation is strong and improvement plans are sharply focused.
- The childminder has a robust knowledge of safeguarding practices. She is astute to the possible signs and indicators of abuse. She knows the referral procedure well and understands what to do if an allegation is made against herself or a family member.
- The childminder demonstrates a secure knowledge of child development and knows how to effectively plan, observe and assess children's learning. She understands how to gather care and learning information from parents and knows how to use this to plan appropriate next steps in children's learning.
- The childminder demonstrates a robust understanding of partnership working. She develops effective links with the local community and primary school. She understands how to offer an inclusive service and knows how to promote positive behaviour.

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 had a tour of the areas of the premises where childcare is to be provided.
- The inspector had a discussion with the childminder about her knowledge and understanding of the safeguarding and welfare requirements.
- The inspector discussed the childminder's methods for reviewing the quality and effectiveness of her provision.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to plan and provide learning experiences for children and undertake observation, assessment and planning.
- The inspector checked evidence of suitability records and looked at the childminder's qualifications and training certificates.

## Inspector

Luke Thomas Heaney

## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	EY443444
<b>Local authority</b>	Manchester
<b>Inspection number</b>	1052932
<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>	7 - 11
<b>Total number of places</b>	6
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	5
<b>Name of registered person</b>	
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	9 May 2016
<b>Telephone number</b>	

The childminder registered in 2012. She lives in the Blackley area of Manchester. The childminder operates all year round from 8am to 6pm, Monday to Sunday, except for bank holidays and family holidays.

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