# Childminder Report



**Inspection date**14 March 2018
Previous inspection date
26 February 2015

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 understands how to assess children's development and plan challenging activities with the wide range of resources and toys available. She knows how to monitor the children's progress and support any gaps in their learning.
- The childminder understands the importance of working with parents and other settings or agencies the children may attend to provide continuity of care and learning.
- The childminder demonstrates an understanding of safeguarding and the wider child protection issues. She is secure in her understanding of how to keep children safe and knows the procedures should she have any concerns about a child's welfare.
- The childminder demonstrates a commitment to making improvements. For example, she has completed training to update her knowledge.
- The childminder understands the importance of promoting children's good behaviour and building a good emotional attachment with them.

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 viewed all areas used by the children in the childminder's home.

- The inspector viewed policies and documents used by the childminder when she is childminding.
- The inspector discussed how the childminder implements the safeguarding and welfare requirements.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to assess and monitor children's learning.
- The inspector spoke to the childminder about how she evaluates and improves her service.

#### Inspector

Maxine Ansell

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## **Setting details**

**Unique reference number** EY347770

Local authority Kent

**Inspection number** 1121364

Type of provision Childminder

Day care type Childminder

**Registers** Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare

Register, Voluntary Childcare Register

Age range of children 7 - 11

**Total number of places** 6

Number of children on roll 3

Name of registered person

**Date of previous inspection** 26 February 2015

**Telephone number** 

The childminder registered in 2007 and lives in Ashford, Kent. She has a National Vocational Qualification at level 3 in Children's Care, Learning and Development. The childminder offers care on Monday to Friday from 7.30am to 6pm, for most of the year.

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