

Chaffinch Playsafe Club

Cheam Fields Primary School, Stoughton Avenue, Sutton, SM3 8PQ



Inspection date	20 March 2018
Previous inspection date	9 September 2014

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Good	2
	Previous inspection:	Good	2
Effectiveness of the leadership and management		Good	2
Quality of teaching, learning and assessment		Good	2
Personal development, behaviour and welfare		Outstanding	1
Outcomes for children		Not applicable	

Summary of key findings for parents

This provision is good

- Children thoroughly enjoy their time spent at the club. They are extremely happy and settled. Staff provide a relaxed, friendly and welcoming environment for the children. Children's behaviour is excellent. Staff place a strong emphasis on the teaching of good manners, kindness and consideration for each other.
- Children take part in planning the range of activities on offer at the club. On arrival they are encouraged to share their ideas and suggestions about the games they would like to play. Children quickly become engaged with the good range of resources available to them.
- Leaders and managers are ambitious and continually reflect how the club operates to make continued improvements to the overall quality of the setting.
- Staff have established good links with the other settings attended by children. They regularly exchange information about children. This enables staff to successfully complement the learning that takes place in school and nursery.

It is not yet outstanding because:

- Staff do not consistently provide the same level of opportunity for children who prefer to play outdoors.

What the setting needs to do to improve further

To further improve the quality of the early years provision the provider should:

- increase opportunities for children to play outdoors.

Inspection activities

- The inspector observed staff engaging with children in a range of activities.
- The inspector held discussions with the manager and staff. She looked at relevant documentation, such as evidence of the suitability of staff working in the club.
- The inspector completed a joint observation with the manager.
- The inspector spoke to children and parents during the inspection and took account of these views.

Inspector

Amanda Tompkin

Inspection findings

Effectiveness of the leadership and management is good

The arrangements for safeguarding are effective. Staff have received appropriate training to secure their knowledge and understanding of the procedure to follow should they have concerns about children's welfare. Children are supervised well and kept safe. Regular individual supervision meetings for staff and managers provide a good opportunity to identify training and development opportunities and discuss how they can build on their good practice. Partnerships with parents are effective. Staff exchange information about children's activities and time spent at the club. This helps to promote good continuity of care. Parents spoken to on the day of inspection express how happy they are with the club. They say that their children are happy and enjoy their time in the club. Staff continue to monitor children's achievements. This helps to ensure children continue to make good progress.

Quality of teaching, learning and assessment is good

Key persons gather important information from parents before children start at the club. This includes information about children's current interests and abilities. They use this information, along with their own observations, to ensure children's experiences are matched to their individual needs. Staff have a good knowledge and understanding of how to support children's play. They plan interesting and rewarding activities which children are keen to join in with. Staff are enthusiastic and join in well with children's chosen activities. Children's creative skills are promoted well. They are provided with a good range of resources and materials and enjoy designing their own paper lanterns. They learn to take care of living things, such as how to carefully handle the club's pet hamster.

Personal development, behaviour and welfare are outstanding

The environment is extremely vibrant, bright and well organised. Children demonstrate a strong sense of belonging and high levels of confidence. They readily engage in conversations with visitors about what they enjoy doing at the club. Children express how they would like to attend more frequently. Staff ensure children are valued and seen as unique individuals. They encourage children to contribute to the rules of the club and they talk about these at the beginning of each day to help all of them play safely and happily together. Children consistently display great respect for each other and staff. For example, children taking on specific roles within the club, such as 'mini play worker', talk about how all children need to be included in games and activities. Children show excellent independence and self-care skills. They enjoy a very healthy and nutritious teatime snack that is tailored to their individual needs.

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY470016
Local authority	Sutton
Inspection number	1071638
Type of provision	Out of school provision
Day care type	Childcare - Non-Domestic
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Age range of children	4 - 11
Total number of places	24
Number of children on roll	57
Name of registered person	Jancett Childcare and JACE Training Limited
Registered person unique reference number	RP900822
Date of previous inspection	9 September 2014
Telephone number	07702367528

Chaffinch Playsafe Club registered in 2014. It is one of a number of out-of-school provisions run by Jancett Group of Day Nurseries. The club is open each weekday during term time for breakfast from 7.30am to 8.50am and after school from 3pm to 6.30pm. There are two members of staff, one of whom holds an appropriate qualification at level 3.

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