

Childminder Report

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| Inspection date | 22 May 2018 |
| Previous inspection date | 11 December 2014 |

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| 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 has a secure understanding of local safeguarding procedures. He is fully aware of his responsibilities to protect children from harm.
- The childminder explains how he works in partnership with parents and other professionals involved in children's care and learning. He understands the need to share assessments of children's learning to help them to make good progress.
- The childminder understands how to manage children's behaviour to meet their individual needs. He knows the benefit of teaching children to be independent and to respect and care for each other.
- The childminder discusses the importance of providing children with a healthy diet and exercise. He understands how to manage the care of children who have special educational needs and/or disabilities.
- The childminder understands how to reflect on his practice and evaluate the activities he provides. He takes the views of children and parents into account when planning to make improvements to his provision.

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 viewed areas of the premises available for childminding and the outdoor area.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder his understanding of statutory requirements.
- The inspector looked at relevant documentation, such as suitability and qualifications, risk assessments, policies and procedures.
- The inspector took account of the views of parents and children by reading their written comments.

Inspector

Jennifer Forbes

Setting details

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| Unique reference number | EY429128 |
| Local authority | Essex |
| Inspection number | 1105299 |
| 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 | 12 |
| Number of children on roll | 11 |
| Name of registered person | |
| Date of previous inspection | 11 December 2014 |
| Telephone number | |

The childminder registered in 2011. He lives in Loughton, Essex. The childminder operates Monday to Friday from 7am until 6.30pm, all year round, except for bank holidays and family holidays. He works with another registered childminder and an assistant.

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