

Childminder Report

Inspection date	20 June 2018
Previous inspection date	Not applicable

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Met
	Previous inspection:	Not applicable

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a secure knowledge of safeguarding and has appropriate policies in place. She is able to recognise signs of abuse and knows how to escalate concerns.
- The childminder offers a safe and engaging environment for young children. She provides resources, indoors and outdoors, to challenge children's physical development and promote creativity.
- The childminder understands the importance of completing observations and assessments to ascertain children's starting points, specific interests and to monitor their development. The childminder discusses how she will use this information, alongside the early years foundation stage, to plan effective next steps in learning.
- The childminder explains the importance of self-evaluation to continually enhance her practice. She is eager to attend ongoing training to keep her knowledge up to date.
- The childminder is aware of the importance of building strong partnerships with parents and external agencies to provide consistency for all children in their learning and development.

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 sampled documents, training certificates and policies and suitability checks.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder her plans for self-evaluation and ongoing improvement.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she would gain knowledge of a child's starting points and how to plan for children's next steps.
- The inspector assessed both the indoor and outdoor environment.

Inspector

Leanne Stranger

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY498572
Local authority	Havering
Inspection number	1052967
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	2
Name of registered person	
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2016. She lives in Romford, in the London Borough of Havering. The setting is open each weekday.

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