Childminder Report



Inspection datePrevious inspection date

11 July 2018

Not applicable

The quality and standards of the This inspection: Met

early years provision Previous inspection: Not applicable

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder demonstrates a good understanding of how children learn and develop. She has systems in place to observe, assess and plan for children's progress.
- The childminder's home is welcoming and she has a wide range of toys, equipment and resources to offer children, to help meet the learning needs of individual children.
- The childminder is fully aware of her responsibilities to meet the safeguarding and welfare requirements. She knows what action to take if she has concerns about a child.
- The childminder has a clear understanding of the value of sharing information with parents and other relevant key persons, to support children's care and learning.
- The childminder explains how she will promote children's healthy development, and how children will have daily opportunities for physical exercise and healthy foods.
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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 observed areas to be used for the care of children, as well as the suitability of activities, toys and equipment.

- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the educational programmes to children and how she will ensure they make good progress.
- The inspector checked evidence of the suitability of the childminder and of other members of the household.
- The inspector and childminder discussed how she monitors her provision and plans for improvements.
- The inspector sampled policies and documents the childminder will use when caring for children.

Inspector

Mary Vandepeer

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Setting details

Unique reference number EY463799

Local authority Kent

Inspection number 1108530

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 1

Name of registered person

Date of previous inspectionNot applicable

Telephone number

The childminder registered in 2013 and lives in Ashford, Kent. The childminder provides childcare all day on Monday to Friday, with the exception of bank holidays and family holidays.

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