Childminder report



Inspection date28 August 2018Previous inspection date12 March 2015

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection: Met

Previous inspection: Good 2

Summary of key findings for parents

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands the need to provide a well-resourced environment and to plan activities that promote children's learning, whatever their abilities, ages and backgrounds.
- The childminder is aware of the importance of helping children to develop respect for each other and build good relationships. She knows how to support children to be independent, while gaining skills to help them to prepare for school.
- The childminder knows how to evaluate her provision and understands the importance of keeping up to date with changes to improve her practice.
- The childminder knows how to help to safeguard children's general welfare. She is aware of child protection issues and the correct procedures to follow if she has concerns.
- The childminder recognises the benefits of sharing information with parents and other professionals to help her meet children's individual needs.

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 a range of documents, which included policies and procedures.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to keep children safe and follow safeguarding procedures.
- The inspector viewed the space available for childminding and the resources the childminder intends to use.
- The inspector discussed the childminder's knowledge of the early years foundation stage.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to promote children's learning and development.

Inspector

Chris Lamey

Setting details

Unique reference number EY345608
Local authority Islington
Inspection number 10060744
Type of provision Childminder

Registers

Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare
Register, Voluntary Childcare Register

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Day care type Childminder

Age range of children 0 - 8

Total number of places 6

Number of children on roll 0

Date of previous inspection 12 March 2015

The childminder registered in 2007. She operates from 8am until 6pm Monday to Friday, all year round. The childminder holds a relevant childcare qualification at level 3.

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