

Childminder report

Inspection date	8 October 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

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a secure understanding of the learning and development requirements. She is aware of how to observe and assess children's learning effectively in order to plan for their future development and progress.
- The childminder demonstrates a very clear understanding of how to keep children safe from harm. She is astute to the signs and symptoms of abuse and has clear procedures for reporting any concerns. The childminder is clear on local procedures for child protection referrals.
- The childminder demonstrates, through discussion, that she understands the importance of working together in partnership with parents to meet the individual needs of children.
- The childminder has clear plans in place which show how she intends to work in partnership with schools to support children's transitions and ensure they are ready for the next stages in their learning.
- The childminder shows a clear commitment to improving her practice and providing high-quality care and learning. She has attended training sessions to keep her knowledge up to date and relevant.

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 all of the childminder's documentation, including policies and procedures. She talked with the childminder throughout the inspection.
- The inspector sampled records and documentation that the childminder uses for obtaining starting points of children's learning.
- The inspector viewed the areas of the home that children will have access to along with the resources used for children's play.
- The inspector viewed training certificates and documentation to confirm the suitability of the childminder.

Inspector
Shelley O'Brien

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY493199
Local authority	Oldham
Inspection number	10059574
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	0 - 0
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable

The childminder registered in 2009. She lives in the Oldham area of Greater Manchester. She holds an appropriate level 3 qualification.

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