

Childminder report

Inspection date	12 November 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 discusses her understanding of how to assess children's development and monitor their ongoing progress to plan for their future learning.
- The childminder has a clear understanding of her role and responsibility to safeguard children, including minimising risks in areas where children play. She understands the signs that may indicate a child's welfare is at risk.
- The childminder explains how she will promote healthy lifestyles. She discusses the importance of providing children with healthy snacks and regular opportunities to be active outside in the fresh air.
- The childminder recognises the importance of working in partnership with parents and other professionals to promote consistency in children's care and learning.
- The childminder reflects on her practice. She discusses how she evaluates her setting and keeps her knowledge up to date, such as accessing regular training.

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 discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the safeguarding and welfare requirements, and the learning and development requirements.
- The inspector looked at and discussed a sample of policies, procedures and systems for recording information that the childminder uses when caring for children in the early years age range.
- The inspector checked evidence of suitability of all members of the household.
- The inspector viewed the areas of the home to be used for childminding.

Inspector
Melissa Cox

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY536280
Local authority	Reading
Inspection number	10077296
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	0 - 8
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	1
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable

The childminder registered in 2016 and lives in Emmer Green, Reading, Berkshire. She operates from 7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday for most of the year. The childminder holds a recognised childcare qualification at level 3.

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