

Childminder report

Inspection date	7 December 2018
Previous inspection date	28 January 2016

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 importance of assessing children's progress and using the information to plan further activities that build on children's learning and prepare them for school.
- The childminder is aware of the need to keep parents informed about children's care and education. She understands the value of involving parents in children's learning at home.
- The childminder knows how to teach children to respect and value differences in others. She is aware of how to help them learn how to manage their behaviour in an acceptable way.
- The childminder is aware of how to assess and minimise risks to help children stay safe in the home and on outings.
- The childminder knows how to promote healthy lifestyles. For example, she explained how she provides plenty of exercise and a nutritious diet for children.
- The childminder keeps her knowledge of safeguarding procedures up to date. She is fully aware of her responsibility to report any child protection concerns to the relevant agency.
- The childminder continues to develop her knowledge and skills. For example, she does research, reads relevant publications and completes further 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 childcare practice with the childminder.
- The inspector sampled relevant documents that the childminder uses when she is childminding.
- The inspector checked safety in the areas of the home that are used for childminding.
- The inspector checked the childminder's understanding of how to meet the learning and development requirements.
- The inspector checked the childminder's understanding of safeguarding procedures.

Inspector

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Setting details

Unique reference number	402656
Local authority	Bromley
Inspection number	10061919
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	28 January 2016

The childminder registered in 2002. She lives in Orpington, Kent. The childminder regularly works with an assistant. The childminder offers care from 7am to 6.30pm, Monday to Friday, all year round.

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