

Childminder report

Inspection date	19 December 2018
Previous inspection date	21 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 her responsibility to safeguard children and knows the procedure to follow in the event of concerns about a child's welfare. She understands the need to ensure children are provided with a safe and secure environment.
- The childminder understands the learning and development requirements of the early years foundation stage. The childminder knows how to monitor and assess children's learning to support children to make progress.
- The childminder's home is suitable for children's care. She offers a broad range of resources to support children's learning and development.
- The childminder understands the importance of working in partnership with parents to provide continuity of care for children.

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 the childminder's understanding of safeguarding procedures.
- The inspector discussed the childminder's understanding of the early years foundation stage and how she will put in place the required documentation.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she would develop positive relationships with parents.
- The inspector reviewed the childminder's process for assessing risks in her premises to ensure children's safety. The inspector viewed all areas of the premises to be used for childminding.
- The inspector checked the suitability of all people living at the childminder's home.

Inspector

Kimberley Luckham

Setting details

Unique reference number	126811
Local authority	Kent
Inspection number	10063856
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	5 - 10
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	6
Date of previous inspection	21 January 2016

The childminder registered in 1998. She lives in Tonbridge, Kent and is open before and after school almost all year round. The childminder holds an appropriate early years qualification.

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