Childminder report



Inspection date11 January 2019Previous inspection date26 April 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 has a good awareness of how to ensure children's personal development and welfare. She discusses how she promotes the development of children's independence, social skills and an understanding of how to behave positively. The childminder talks about how she promotes healthy practices and offers children frequent opportunities to exercise.
- The childminder understands how to support children in their learning and development. She recognises how to find out about the individual child and how to make learning enjoyable for them. The childminder is familiar with ways to monitor children's progress and to assess their developmental needs.
- The childminder comprehends the importance of partnership working. She has strategies in place to involve parents in their children's learning and in the monitoring of their progress. She extends this to include working with staff in the other settings children attend.
- The childminder continues to develop her skills and knowledge to ensure she can meet children's needs. She understands how to evaluate her practice and how to consider the views of children and parents when assessing the effectiveness of her service.
- The childminder shows confidence in her understanding of how to safeguard children. She knows the signs that may indicate that a child's welfare is at risk and understands how to act if a concern arises.

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 checked the suitability of the premises and discussed with the childminder how she would organise the environment for early years children.
- The inspector discussed with childminder her understanding of how to meet children's developmental and welfare needs.
- The inspector discussed the childminder's knowledge of how to safeguard children.
- The inspector checked the childminder's documentation and qualifications.

Inspector

Kerry Lynn

Setting details

Unique reference numberEY466691Local authoritySurreyInspection number10075531Type of provisionChildminder

Registers

Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare
Register, Voluntary Childcare Register

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Day care type Childminder

Age range of children 5 - 8

Total number of places 5

Number of children on roll 6

Date of previous inspection 26 April 2016

The childminder registered in 2013. She lives in Epsom, Surrey. She provides care during term time, Monday to Friday. The childminder holds a childcare qualification at level 5.

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