Childminder report



Inspection date	16 January 2019	
Previous inspection date	15 May 2015	
The quality and standards of the	This inspection: Met	
early years provision	Previous inspection: Good 2	

Summary of key findings for parents

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder keeps her knowledge of safeguarding and child protection up to date. She knows what to do and who to contact in the event of a concern arising.
- The childminder holds a current first-aid qualification. She is experienced in completing daily safety checks of the premises to help minimise potential risks or hazards.
- The childminder knows how to plan for children's individual needs, such as through completing assessments of their learning and monitoring progress. She continues to evaluate and consider ways to share this information with parents.
- The childminder understands the importance of effective partnerships with parents and other settings to help support continuity in children's learning. She understands the need to plan activities to prepare children well for their move to other settings and school.
- The childminder is experienced in developing secure emotional attachments with young children. She plans to offer parents flexible setting-in sessions to help children feel comfortable before they start to attend her provision.
- The childminder speaks fluent English, Portuguese, French and some Spanish. This helps her to support children who speak these languages at home.

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 talked with the childminder about her previous experience of implementing the learning and development requirements.
- The inspector discussed the childminder's knowledge of safeguarding and child protection procedures.
- The inspector viewed the premises with the childminder and discussed how she assesses and minimises risks at her home and when taking children on trips in the community.
- The inspector sampled the childminder's documentation, including policies, suitability checks and training certificates.
- The inspector took account of feedback from previous parents and children from information provided in cards, letters and online messages.

Inspector

Helen Robinshaw

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY393267
Local authority	Hampshire
Inspection number	10060859
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory 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	15 May 2015

The childminder registered in 2009. She lives in Basingstoke, Hampshire. She operates Monday to Friday between 7.30am and 6.30pm, for 48 weeks a year. She receives funding for the provision of free early education for children aged three and four.

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