Childminder report



Inspection date29 January 2019Previous inspection date2 February 2015

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 is experienced. She demonstrates that she has a good knowledge of how children learn. She knows how to meet the learning and development requirements and how to use assessment and planning to help support children's ongoing progress.
- The childminder understands her responsibility to safeguard and protect children from harm. She is familiar with the procedures to follow to report any concerns.
- The childminder is aware of the need to ensure that her assistants remain suitable to work with children and are kept up to date with current legislation and practice.
- The childminder recognises the importance of working closely with parents and other professionals to assist her in promoting children's care and education.
- The childminder understands the value of continuously evaluating her practice to help her to identify strengths and areas to develop.
- The childminder knows how to help children become emotionally secure. She describes how to promote positive behaviour and outlines the importance of children learning to respect one another.
- The childminder discusses how to support children to develop a healthy lifestyle. She understands the importance of providing children with nutritious food and of encouraging children to be physically active.

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 had a tour of the rooms to be used for childminding.
- The inspector and childminder discussed the resources and equipment that she intends to use.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the educational programmes for children and understand observations, assessment and planning.
- The inspector checked evidence of the suitability of the childminder, her assistants and other household members.
- The inspector looked at relevant documentation, such as the childminder's training certificates.

Inspector

Ann Lee

Setting details

Unique reference numberEY304337Local authorityLeicesterInspection number10070959Type of provisionChildminder

Registers

Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare
Register, Voluntary Childcare Register

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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 2 February 2015

The childminder registered in 2005 and lives in Leicester. She operates her provision all year round from 8am to 5.30pm, Monday to Friday, except for bank holidays and family holidays. The childminder works with two assistants.

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