

Childminder report

Inspection date	26 February 2019
Previous inspection date	22 February 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 demonstrates how she is reflective. She values feedback and information provided by children, parents and other professionals. The childminder continually develops her knowledge. She attends regular training to help her to maintain her skills and improve the provision for children.
- The childminder understands her responsibility to safeguard children. She knows how to ensure her home is a safe place for children to play. She understands potential indicators of abuse and she is able to implement local reporting procedures.
- The childminder understands the importance of assessing children's progress and she has developed a system of recording the progress that children make. When she has cared for young children previously, the childminder has successfully shared and used information from parents to help her to plan activities that promote what children need to learn next.
- The childminder understands how to plan and organise interesting and developmentally appropriate opportunities which help children learn. She demonstrates good awareness of how to help children develop positive attitudes and behaviour, in addition to other key skills needed in readiness for their learning in school.
- The childminder demonstrates that she is committed to promoting children's welfare. She recognises the importance of discussing each child's individual care needs at the start. She understands how to robustly plan to help to meet children's medical needs and to promote inclusive provision for all 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 spoke with the childminder. She discussed the safeguarding and welfare requirements, looked at relevant documentation and checked evidence of training and suitability.
- The inspector had a tour of the premises. She discussed risk assessment and observed the organisation of the space and equipment inside and outside.
- The inspector discussed the learning and development requirements and considered the childminder's understanding of how to implement them.
- The inspector spoke with older children who were present and considered how the childminder offers an inclusive provision for all children.

Inspector
Angela Rowley

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY431779
Local authority	Wigan
Inspection number	10066803
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	6 - 9
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Date of previous inspection	22 February 2016

The childminder registered in 2011 and lives in the Tyldesley area of Wigan, Greater Manchester. The childminder operates during term time only, from 7.15am to 8.45am and from 3.15pm to 5.15pm on Monday to Thursday. On Friday, the childminder operates from 7.15am to 8.45am.

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