

Childminder report

Inspection date	1 March 2019
Previous inspection date	1 September 2014

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 how to support children in being physically active and to follow a healthy lifestyle. She describes how she provides outdoor play opportunities for children at a local park and in the garden.
- The childminder knows how to manage children's behaviour positively. She discusses how she encourages children to be kind to each other and share toys and resources.
- The childminder discussed the importance of working in partnership with parents to make sure they are kept informed about their children's ongoing development. She understands how to use her links with schools and other early years settings to exchange information about children's development to, provide continuity to support their future learning.
- The childminder understands her responsibilities to identify and report any safeguarding concerns. She demonstrates an appropriate understanding of how to minimise risks in the home and during outings.
- The childminder appreciates the importance of keeping up to date with professional development to refresh her knowledge and skills.
- The childminder describes how she uses assessments to monitor children's progress and identify any gaps in their learning.

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 looked at and discussed a range of records, policies and procedures with the childminder.
- The inspector spoke with the childminder about the educational programmes and discussed the range of toys, equipment and resources available for children.
- The inspector checked evidence of suitability of the childminder and other adults living in the household.

Inspector
Susan Rogers

Setting details

Unique reference number	510415
Local authority	Coventry
Inspection number	10069241
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	5 - 10
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	7
Date of previous inspection	1 September 2014

The childminder registered in 1991 and lives in Coventry. She operates during term time from 8am to 9am and from 2.15pm to 5.30pm, Monday to Friday.

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