# Childminder report



**Inspection date**2 April 2019
Previous inspection date
1 May 2014

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection: Met

Previous inspection: Met

## Summary of key findings for parents

## This provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands her responsibility to safeguard children. She is aware of the possible signs of abuse and knows the procedures to follow if she has concerns about the welfare of a child.
- The childminder describes how she intends to encourage children to be active and benefit from a healthy lifestyle. She explains how she plans to support children's well-being and personal care. She understands that forming secure attachments with children helps to build their confidence and self-esteem.
- The childminder understands how children develop and learn. Through discussion, she demonstrates that she knows how to support children's learning and help them make progress. She intends to offer a wide range of age-appropriate activities.
- The childminder reflects on her practice and keeps her childcare knowledge up to date. For example, she demonstrates how she continually attends training and researches new ideas.
- The childminder explains how she plans to help children learn to value one another and behave well.
- The childminder confidently discusses how to engage parents with their child's early education. She understands the importance of effective partnerships with parents. She demonstrates enthusiasm about working with parents and a commitment to providing a consistent approach to their children's learning and development.
- The childminder understands how to help prepare children for the next stage in their learning, such as starting school.

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 the areas of the house and garden used for childminding and checked the suitability of resources available.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder her knowledge of the early years foundation stage, including how she will meet children's individual needs, plan for their learning and share information with parents and other settings.
- The inspector sampled documents, including policies, risk assessments, planning and children's records. She also checked the childminder's qualifications and the suitability of all adults living in the household.

#### **Inspector**

Susan Rogers

## **Setting details**

Unique reference numberEY470432Local authorityCoventryInspection number10083084Type of provisionChildminder

**Registers**Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register

Day care type Childminder

Age range of children 6 - 11

Total number of places 6

Number of children on roll 3

**Date of previous inspection** 1 May 2014

The childminder registered in 2013 and lives in Coventry. She operates all year round from 6am to 7pm, Monday to Saturday, except bank holidays and family holidays.

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