Childminder report



Inspection date Previous inspection date	1 April 2019 Not applicable	
The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection: Previous inspection:	Met Not applicable

Summary of key findings for parents

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder comprehends how to support the development of young children. She understands ways of finding out what children can do and knows how to assess if they are achieving in line with typical outcomes for their ages. She discusses the range of activities and experiences she provides for children to meet their differing interests and needs.
- The childminder recognises the importance of partnership working. She will ensure continuity in care through working with parents and the staff in the other settings children attend.
- The childminder understands how to support children's personal development and to ensure their well-being. For example, she has strategies in place to encourage the development of social skills, confidence and independence. She also talks about the nutritious foods she supplies and the ways in which she provides physical exercise for children.
- The childminder requests feedback from parents and children to help her evaluate the effectiveness of her practice. She actively builds on her knowledge and skills by learning more about early years education. She continues to develop and improve her practice.
- The childminder knows how to safeguard children. She has a good knowledge of the signs that may indicate that a child's welfare is at risk and of the action to take if she has a concern.

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 checked the suitability of the premises and discussed with the childminder how she would organise the environment for early years children.
- The inspector discussed with childminder her understanding of how to meet children's developmental and welfare needs.
- The inspector checked the childminder's documentation and qualifications.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder her understanding of how to safeguard children.

Inspector

Kerry Lynn

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY544184
Local authority	Surrey
Inspection number	10093953
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	7 - 8
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	1
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable

The childminder registered in 2017 and lives in Oxted, Surrey. She operates all year round from 7.30am to 6pm, Monday to Friday. The childminder has a recognised early years qualification at level 3.

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