

# Childminder report



<b>Inspection date</b>	8 April 2019
Previous inspection date	20 October 2015

<b>The quality and standards of the early years provision</b>	<b>This inspection:</b>	<b>Met</b>
	Previous inspection:	Met

## Summary of key findings for parents

### This provision meets requirements

- The childminder provides a safe and welcoming environment for children. She places great value in building a supportive and inclusive space for children to access. She has a good understanding of how to promote children's self-confidence.
- The childminder has a secure knowledge of safeguarding procedures. She is able to recognise signs of potential abuse and knows how to escalate concerns about the welfare of a child.
- The childminder has a good understanding of the early years foundation stage. She knows how to assess children's development and plan effective next steps to extend their learning.
- The childminder is reflective and uses self-evaluation to continually improve her practice. She completes training and accesses research to develop her skills and knowledge.
- The childminder understands the importance of effective working partnerships. She explains how working with parents and external agencies helps to check and support children's ongoing communication and learning needs.

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 around the premises to check the suitability of the resources and environment.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder her knowledge of the early years foundation stage.
- The inspector sampled documents the childminder has in place, including policies, training certificates and insurance.

### **Inspector**

Leanne Stranger

## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	EY394759
<b>Local authority</b>	Havering
<b>Inspection number</b>	10101772
<b>Type of provision</b>	Childminder
<b>Registers</b>	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
<b>Day care type</b>	Childminder
<b>Age range of children</b>	0 - 8
<b>Total number of places</b>	6
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	0
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	20 October 2015

The childminder registered in 2009 and lives in Hornchurch, in the London Borough of Havering. The childminder works with another co-childminder at the setting. The setting is open each weekday, including before and after school, all year round.

This inspection was carried out by Ofsted under sections 49 and 50 of the Childcare Act 2006 on the quality and standards of provision that is registered on the Early Years Register. The registered person must ensure that this provision complies with the statutory framework for children's learning, development and care, known as the early years foundation stage.

Any complaints about the inspection or the report should be made following the procedures set out in the guidance *Complaints procedure: raising concerns and making complaints about Ofsted*, which is available from Ofsted's website: [www.ofsted.gov.uk](http://www.ofsted.gov.uk). If you would like Ofsted to send you a copy of the guidance, please telephone 0300 123 4234, or email [enquiries@ofsted.gov.uk](mailto:enquiries@ofsted.gov.uk).

The Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills (Ofsted) regulates and inspects to achieve excellence in the care of children and young people, and in education and skills for learners of all ages. It regulates and inspects childcare and children's social care, and inspects the Children and Family Court Advisory and Support Service (Cafcass), schools, colleges, initial teacher training, further education and skills, adult and community learning, and education and training in prisons and other secure establishments. It assesses council children's services, and inspects services for looked after children, safeguarding and child protection.

If you would like a copy of this document in a different format, such as large print or Braille, please telephone 0300 123 1231, or email [enquiries@ofsted.gov.uk](mailto:enquiries@ofsted.gov.uk).

You may reuse this information (not including logos) free of charge in any format or medium, under the terms of the Open Government Licence. To view this licence, visit [www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/doc/open-government-licence/](http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/doc/open-government-licence/), write to the Information Policy Team, The National Archives, Kew, London TW9 4DU, or email: [psi@nationalarchives.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:psi@nationalarchives.gsi.gov.uk)

This publication is available at [www.ofsted.gov.uk/resources/120354](http://www.ofsted.gov.uk/resources/120354).

Interested in our work? You can subscribe to our monthly newsletter for more information and updates: [www.ofsted.gov.uk/user](http://www.ofsted.gov.uk/user).

Piccadilly Gate  
Store Street  
Manchester  
M1 2WD

T: 0300 123 4234  
Textphone: 0161 618 8524  
E: [enquiries@ofsted.gov.uk](mailto:enquiries@ofsted.gov.uk)  
W: [www.ofsted.gov.uk](http://www.ofsted.gov.uk)

