

Schoolfriend Clubs @ West Drayton

West Drayton Primary School, Kingston Lane, West Drayton, Middlesex
UB7 9EA



Inspection date	10 July 2019
Previous inspection date	Not applicable

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection: Previous inspection:	Good Not applicable	2
Effectiveness of leadership and management		Good	2
Quality of teaching, learning and assessment		Good	2
Personal development, behaviour and welfare		Good	2
Outcomes for children		Not Applicable	

Summary of key findings for parents

This provision is good

- Staff plan a good variety of activities, both indoors and outdoors, that children enjoy. Children are imaginative and particularly enjoy craft activities and building with construction toys. They also enjoy team games and physical activities.
- Children are very keen to come into the club. They settle quickly and become involved in activities. Good relationships between staff and children are evident.
- The provider ensures staff are aware of the importance of keeping children safe. The staff make regular checks on the environment to identify and eliminate any potential risks to children.
- The manager is reflective. She reviews practice and has introduced positive changes with staff to enhance the smooth running of the club and enjoyment for children.
- The provider does not ensure all documentation is easily accessible and available to those who have a right or professional need to see it.
- Occasionally, staff do not provide children with clear and consistent messages to help them follow instructions and negotiate and solve problems amicably.
- Although partnerships are good with parents and the school, information sharing is not fully effective. Staff do not find out from parents or teachers what children know and can do regularly, to help enhance the planning for children's enjoyment at the club.

What the setting needs to do to improve further

To meet the requirements of the early years foundation stage the provider must:

	Due date
ensure all records are easily accessible and available or seek prior agreement from Ofsted to keep these securely off the premises.	26/07/2019

To further improve the quality of the early years provision the provider should:

- provide children with clear and consistent messages to help them to follow instructions and to negotiate and solve problems amicably
- build on information sharing with children's teachers and their parents to find out what children know and can do, and use this to enhance the planning for their enjoyment at the club.

Inspection activities

- The inspector held a meeting with the manager and sampled documents.
- The inspector observed the interaction between staff and children during activities.
- The inspector viewed the areas of the club used by the children.
- The inspector spoke to staff at appropriate times during the inspection and asked questions regarding safeguarding practice and children's care.

Inspector
Ruth George

Inspection findings

Effectiveness of leadership and management is good

The manager evaluates the setting well and has made changes that benefit children. Both children and their parents comment on recent improvements to the organisation of the club and the activities provided for children. The provider does not ensure all documentation is readily available for inspection. Although this is a breach of requirements, it does not have a significant impact on the quality of care provided. In addition, the provider agreed to seek permission from Ofsted to hold the documents securely off site. The provider ensures all staff receive training to keep children safe. The manager holds meetings and talks regularly to staff to provide support and guidance. All staff understand their responsibilities to protect children from abuse and neglect and know to who they should report any concerns they may have. Safeguarding is effective.

Quality of teaching, learning and assessment is good

Staff plan a good range of activities for the children. They talk to the children about what they like doing and adjust the provision of activities accordingly. Staff explained to the children what activities were on offer and asked if there were any other games or resources they would like. Children quickly engaged in games with their friends. Staff support children's play and help them to explore and build on their ideas. This enabled older children to use small blocks to build a 'power source' and a 'trap door'. Staff provide a wide range of materials to support children's creativity. Younger children enjoyed painting and staff encouraged them to talk about their pictures.

Personal development, behaviour and welfare are good

Children have opportunities to learn about the importance of leading a healthy lifestyle. They prepare their own snacks and follow robust hygiene practices. Children enjoy opportunities to play different sports outside, such as football and running races. Staff are good role models and teach children to treat others with respect. Mostly, children show kindness and tolerance towards others and behave well. For example, younger children follow the rules of board games, helped by staff and older children who tell them when to pick up a card and when to collect money. Children throw the dice, count spaces and laugh when they land on a space visiting the jail.

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY544656
Local authority	Hillingdon
Inspection number	10090469
Type of provision	Childcare on non-domestic premises
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Out-of-school day care
Age range of children	4 - 11
Total number of places	30
Number of children on roll	137
Name of registered person	Schoolfriend Clubs Limited
Registered person unique reference number	RP901397
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable
Telephone number	0844 272 7158

Schoolfriend Clubs @ West Drayton registered in 2017. It is located in the London Borough of Hillingdon. The club is open during term time only from 3.15pm to 6pm. There are four staff. The manager and two staff hold a relevant qualification at level 3.

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