# Childminder report



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Inspection date Previous inspection date	12 August 2019 11 May 2016	9
The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection: Previous inspection:	<b>Met</b> Good

## Summary of key findings for parents

#### This provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a secure knowledge of how children learn in their early years. For example, she knows how to assess children's abilities and needs, and address any gaps in their learning to help them to progress.
- The childminder knows how to provide a welcoming and stimulating environment for children. She understands that children need opportunities to play and learn indoors and outdoors.
- The childminder knows about safeguarding practices and the reporting procedures to follow if she has any welfare concerns.
- The childminder understands the importance of working in partnership with parents. She knows that parents should be kept informed about their children's progress and daily activities.
- The childminder understands how to keep children safe and the importance of risk assessments. She knows that she must routinely ensure that all areas of her home remain safe and suitable for children in her care.
- The childminder understands the importance of keeping her childcare knowledge up to date. She is committed to attending training courses in childcare, to help her to continue to meet the learning and development needs of babies and young children.

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 reviewed evidence of the childminder's qualifications and suitability to care for children.
- The inspector discussed and reviewed the play resources the childminder plans to provide for children.
- The inspector viewed the areas of the childminder's home she intends to use for childminding.
- The inspector reviewed the documentation the childminder will use when caring for children in the early years age range.
- The inspector discussed the requirements of the early years foundation stage and other statutory requirements with the childminder to establish her knowledge and understanding.

#### Inspector

Olivia Awolola

## **Setting details**

Unique reference number	EY439114
Local authority	London Borough of Waltham Forest
Inspection number	10075015
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	0 - 0
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Date of previous inspection	11 May 2016

The childminder registered in 2012 and lives in Walthamstow, in the London Borough of Waltham Forest. She operates from Monday to Friday all year round, except for family holidays and bank holidays. The childminder holds childcare qualifications.

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