

# Inspection of Lawrence Weston Out Of School Activities

The Rock Community Centre, St Peters Hall, Ridingleaze, Lawrence Weston,  
BRISTOL BS11 0QF

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Inspection date:

24 September 2019

**The quality and  
standards of early  
years provision**

**This  
inspection**

**Not met (with actions)**

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Previous  
inspection

Requires improvement

## Summary of key findings

### **This provision does not meet requirements**

- The committee has made some improvements since the previous inspection. A manager was appointed in June 2019 to lead and manage the staff team. The committee has put in place systems for evaluating the quality of the provision. Children have a say in what they enjoy and what activities they would like to be provided.
- Recruitment procedures are effective, which ensures staff are suitable for their roles. However, some staff who collect children from the local schools do not have a current paediatric first-aid certificate. Even though staff have asked to be first-aid trained, the committee has not taken prompt action to ensure sufficient staff members are qualified to administer first aid.
- Staff provide a varied range of resources based on children's age and stage of development. Staff know the children well and plan interesting and exciting activities to engage them. Staff ensure that children have a place to rest should they choose to after their day at school.
- Staff are aware of their responsibilities to keep children safe. They carry out effective risk assessments to make sure that children are not exposed to risks. This includes checking the outside area prior to children playing on the grass.
- Staff demonstrate they supervise children well. This includes when children are collected from school and transported on the community bus.
- There is plenty of room, inside and outside, for children to be physically active.
- The committee, manager and staff work in partnership with parents to ensure continuity in children's learning. They share information with parents and gather initial information on entry about individual children based on their needs and interests.
- Staff have good strategies for managing children's behaviour and provide clear boundaries to help children feel safe. Staff clearly explain how they will support children to be respectful, share and take turns.
- The manager has comprehensive child protection policies and procedures. Staff attend appropriate training to help them to identify and take action if they have a concern about a child's welfare.

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.

### **What does the setting need to do to improve?**

**To meet the requirements of the early years foundation stage and  
Childcare Register the provider must:**

	Due date
ensure at least one person who has a current paediatric first aid certificate is on the premises and accompanies children on outings.	25/10/2019

## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	EY539375
<b>Local authority</b>	Bristol City of
<b>Inspection number</b>	10082299
<b>Type of provision</b>	Childcare on non-domestic premises
<b>Registers</b>	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
<b>Day care type</b>	Out-of-school day care
<b>Age range of children</b>	6 to 10
<b>Total number of places</b>	25
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	18
<b>Name of registered person</b>	Lawrence Weston Out of School Activities Committee
<b>Registered person unique reference number</b>	RP522860
<b>Telephone number</b>	07535664400
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	10 October 2018

## Information about this early years setting

Lawrence Weston Out Of School Activities registered in 2016. The club employs eight members of childcare staff, most of whom hold childcare qualifications. The club operates from Monday to Friday during term time only. Sessions are from 3pm until 6pm.

## Information about this inspection

### Inspector

Vanessa Redmond

### Inspection activities

- The inspector accompanied staff and older children from the local schools to the out-of-school club.
- The inspector met with the manager and sampled a range of documentation, including the safeguarding policy.
- The inspector spoke to staff and older children at appropriate times throughout the inspection.
- The inspector gathered the views of parents.

We carried out this inspection 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.

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