

Childminder report

Inspection date:

21 February 2020

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Good

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder knows how to support children's learning and development. She understands how to monitor this development and plan activities to support their individual needs and interests, to help prepare children for their future learning.
- The childminder understands her duty to safeguard children and protect them from harm. She has a clear safeguarding procedure and knows how to refer concerns. She has completed training that supports her understanding of wider safeguarding issues. The childminder holds a recognised paediatric first-aid qualification.
- The childminder's home is suitable for children's care. She offers a broad range of resources to support children's learning and development across all areas of the early years foundation stage.
- The childminder is able to explain how to support children to be independent. She understands how to manage children's behaviour, teaching them to share and be kind to each other. The childminder knows the importance of helping children to become emotionally ready for their move to school.
- The childminder knows how to support healthy lifestyles and children's physical well-being, for example promoting their understanding of healthy choices.
- The childminder understands how to encourage positive attitudes to support children to feel valued and to help them learn to respect others.

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.

Setting details

Unique reference number	155469
Local authority	West Sussex
Inspection number	10066693
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	0 to 0
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Date of previous inspection	15 January 2016

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2001 and lives in Felpham, West Sussex. She operates from 8am to 6pm, Monday to Friday, during term time only. The childminder has a relevant level 6 childcare qualification.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Nina Lambkin

Inspection activities

- At the time of the inspection, the childminder had no children on roll. The inspector held discussions with the childminder about her childcare practice.
- The inspector had a tour of the premises with the childminder.
- The inspector discussed the policies and procedures with the childminder and viewed documentation that she will use when caring for children.
- The inspector discussed the safeguarding and welfare requirements with the childminder.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the educational programmes for children and undertake observations, assessments and planning.

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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