

# Childminder report

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Inspection date:

20 January 2022

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

**This  
inspection**

**Met**

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Previous  
inspection

Not applicable

## Summary of key findings

### This provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a secure understanding of how to support children's learning and development. She knows how to work in partnership with other settings children attend to support continuity for children's care and learning.
- The childminder understands how to plan activities based on children's interests to encourage and engage them in their learning. She recognises the value in taking children into the local community to help them develop an understanding of the wider world.
- The childminder understands the importance of working with parents to support children to develop positive behaviour. She knows how to support children to develop their social skills by meeting other children and taking part in activities.
- The childminder knows how to help children develop a healthy and active lifestyle. She explains the importance of providing nutritious meals for children and opportunities for energetic play outdoors.
- The childminder knows the importance of reflecting on her practice and making plans for developments. She knows how to keep her skills and knowledge current, such as by attending training.
- The childminder has a secure understanding of what safeguarding means and how to promote children's well-being at all times. She knows the procedures to follow if she has any concerns about children's welfare.

There were no children in the early years age range 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 early years 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

<b>Unique reference number</b>	EY558369
<b>Local authority</b>	Hampshire
<b>Inspection number</b>	10190212
<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 at time of inspection</b>	0 to 0
<b>Total number of places</b>	4
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	0
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	Not applicable

## Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2018. She lives in North Baddesley, Hampshire. The childminder is open all year round, Monday to Friday, from 7am until 4.30pm. The childminder receives funding for free early years education for children aged two, three and four years.

## Information about this inspection

### Inspector

Emma Dean

### Inspection activities

- This was the first routine inspection the provider received since the COVID-19 pandemic began. The inspector discussed the impact of the pandemic with the provider and has taken this into account in their evaluation of the provider.
- The childminder showed the inspector the premises and discussed how they would ensure it is safe and suitable for children.
- The childminder spoke to the inspector about her intentions for children's learning.
- The childminder provided the inspector with a sample of key documentation on request, including evidence of suitability.

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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