

Childminder report

Inspection date:

21 January 2022

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Outstanding

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands how to protect children's welfare. For example, she is aware of signs and symptoms that may cause concern about a child's safety. She knows the local reporting procedures to follow.
- The childminder explains how she will help children learn how to keep themselves safe. For instance, in the event of a fire. She plans to have regular fire drills and teach children about road safety.
- The childminder describes how she will support children to learn about their local community. For example, she plans to take children to places, such as the farm, park, museum, and pre-school. She describes how she will teach children to appreciate diversity and will celebrate a variety of cultural traditions.
- The childminder has a wide range of resources for children of all ages. She understands the importance of helping children learn to manage their feelings, develop good behaviour and have positive attitudes to learning.
- The childminder describes how she will plan a broad curriculum, which includes activities that build on what children already know and what they need to learn. She describes how she will plan a range of activities that supports children's imaginative play.
- The childminder recognises the importance of working with parents and other professionals to promote continuity in children's care and learning.
- The childminder understands the importance of teaching children about healthy lifestyles. For example, she will provide children with a balanced diet and give them opportunities to play outside in the fresh air.
- The childminder is friendly and welcoming. She has a thorough understanding of how to provide an inclusive setting, where children's unique achievements are celebrated. She knows how to support children with special educational needs and/or disabilities.
- The childminder describes how she will reflect on the quality of her practice to identify areas for further development. She demonstrates a commitment to improve her skills and knowledge. She describes how she will take the views of parents into account, to improve her provision.

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

Unique reference number	EY379948
Local authority	Redbridge
Inspection number	10128472
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children at time of inspection	0 to 0
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Date of previous inspection	9 June 2015

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2008. She lives in Ilford, in the London Borough of Redbridge. The childminder operates Monday to Friday, throughout the year, from 7am to 6pm.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Pauline Valentine-Coker

Inspection activities

- This was the first routine inspection the childminder received since the COVID-19 pandemic began. The inspector discussed the impact of the pandemic with the childminder and has taken this into account in their evaluation of the setting.
- The inspector conducted a learning walk and viewed the areas of the home used for childminding.
- The childminder talked to the inspector about the resources and equipment she uses for childminding.
- The inspector viewed relevant documentation, which included the childminder's public liability insurance and suitability checks for adults living in the home.
- The inspector talked with the childminder about her understanding of the safeguarding and welfare requirements.

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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