

Inspection of White Lodge Centre

Buckland Primary School, Berryscroft Road, Staines, Middlesex TW18 1NB

Inspection date: 14 April 2022

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Outstanding

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- The manager demonstrates through discussion the importance of planning children's activities based on their existing interests. She recognises the impact this can have on children's enjoyment of their activities.
- The manager understands the need to work closely with parents, schools and outside agencies, to provide individual support for all children with special educational needs and/or disabilities. She describes procedures for collecting in-depth information about children before they attend to support their behaviour and well-being.
- The manager demonstrates a secure understanding of how to keep the premises safe and secure. They ensure that arrangements are in place for the collection of children to keep them safe. Through discussion, the manager demonstrates how she implements an effective child protection policy and procedure. Training is provided to all staff to help them fully understand this. The manager demonstrates that she has an up-to-date knowledge of safeguarding issues and knows how to report concerns to other agencies to safeguard children.
- The manager is able to explain how she uses staff to keep children safe. For example, she describes how she deploys staff effectively in different areas used by the club.
- Through discussion, the manager demonstrates a secure understanding of how to manage children's behaviour. For example, she explains how children are supported in the club on an individual basis.
- The manager demonstrates how she follows a robust recruitment procedure. She obtains required checks to enable her to make decisions about staff's suitability in order to safeguard children. The manager provides all staff with ongoing training and supervision opportunities.
- The manager understands the procedures to follow to manage, record and report any accidents or injuries. She ensures that required information and records are organised and accessible to promote the safe and efficient management of the club.
- The manager demonstrates a commitment to continually improve the club. She has implemented effective procedures to obtain the views of staff, parents and children, in order to identify priorities for improvement.
- Through discussion, the manager is able to explain how children are supported in the club to promote their physical development through daily exercise.

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	EY290622
Local authority	Surrey
Inspection number	10112943
Type of provision	Childcare on non-domestic premises
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Out-of-school day care
Age range of children at time of inspection	0 to 0
Total number of places	23
Number of children on roll	0
Name of registered person	White Lodge Centre
Registered person unique reference number	RP524781
Telephone number	01932 839300
Date of previous inspection	31 July 2015

Information about this early years setting

White Lodge Centre registered in 2005. It is one of four holiday playschemes operated by White Lodge Centre for children with special educational needs and/or disabilities. The scheme operates from Buckland Primary School, in Staines, Surrey. The scheme operates Monday to Friday, between 10am and 4pm, during school holidays. The provider employs eight members of staff.

Information about this inspection

Inspector
Kelly Lane

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 that into account in her evaluation of the provider.
- The manager and the inspector completed a tour of the premises used by the holiday club and looked at the resources available.
- The inspector held a meeting with the manager to discuss how she meets the requirements of the 'Statutory framework for the early years foundation stage'.
- The inspector looked at relevant documentation, including policies and procedures and evidence of the suitability of staff working at the holiday club.

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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