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Inspection date:

4 May 2022

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

**This  
inspection**

**Not met (with actions)**

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Previous  
inspection

Met

## Summary of key findings

### This provision does not meet requirements

- The childminder is not currently using where she lives to offer childminding services. However, she knows the things she needs to put in place, for example putting locks on cupboards and making new risk assessments for both the indoor and outdoor areas.
- The childminder has limited knowledge of the early years foundation stage learning requirements and how to plan and sequence learning for the children in her care. She plans to update this knowledge.
- The childminder understands the importance of teaching children how to lead healthy lifestyles and promoting their good physical health and well-being. She aims to do this by discussing with them at mealtimes the importance of making good food choices.
- The childminder holds a current paediatric first-aid certificate. This gives her the knowledge of how to respond appropriately in the event of a medical emergency.
- The childminder explained how she manages children's behaviour and develops their self-confidence by giving them plenty of praise and celebrating their achievements. She explained how she uses different activities to help children understand how to share and take turns.
- The childminder shows an understanding of how to help children learn how to keep themselves safe. For example, she explained how she will talk to children about road safety and encourage them to hold hands when she walks with them in the local community.
- The childminder knows who to contact if she has concerns about children's safety and welfare, she understands the procedures she must follow and the relevant safeguarding agencies to contact. She is able to identify the symptoms of the different types of abuse.
- The childminder discussed how she offers an inclusive service and promotes diversity through the use of resources and celebrating different festivals.
- The childminder discussed how she develops good parental partnerships by getting to know families well and gathering information on children. She uses this information to build on what they already know and can do.

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.

### 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:**

	<b>Due date</b>
ensure the registered address is suitable for children to attend, for example, with safety locks and fire extinguishers	18/05/2022
make new risk assessments for both the indoor and outdoor areas	18/05/2022
update curriculum knowledge to include an understanding of how to deliver and sequence children's learning through observation and assessment	18/05/2022
inform Ofsted of the people currently living at the address and provide Disclosure and Barring Service check numbers for them	11/05/2022
provide Ofsted with a copy of a public liability insurance certificate	11/05/2022
update child protection and safeguarding training	18/05/2022
provide a copy of a qualification certificate.	18/05/2022

## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	124848
<b>Local authority</b>	Bromley
<b>Inspection number</b>	10138685
<b>Type of provision</b>	Childminder
<b>Registers</b>	Voluntary Childcare Register
<b>Day care type</b>	Home childcarer
<b>Age range of children at time of inspection</b>	6 to 9
<b>Total number of places</b>	6
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	9
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	18 February 2016

## Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2000. She lives in Bromley. The childminder holds a relevant childcare qualification at level 3. She cares for school-age children before and after school only.

## Information about this inspection

### Inspector

Louisa Parker

### 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 their evaluation of the provider.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder her understanding of the safeguarding and welfare requirements.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to promote children's learning and development and work in partnership with parents.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to prepare her premises should she start childminding.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to observe, assess and plan for children's learning.

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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