

Inspection of Simply Kids

Kenley Primary School, New Barn Lane, Whyteleafe, Surrey CR3 0EX

Inspection date: 7 July 2022

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Not applicable

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- Leaders have a clear vision for the club. They know the impact that they would like to make within the local community. For example, leaders discuss how they link with out-of-school community activities to support parents during the school holidays.
- The club is based on the school grounds. Leaders describe how a strong link has naturally occurred between the school and the club. Staff explain how they work closely with the parents, who are truly appreciative of the club.
- Staff explain how they intend to build on children's experiences from their day at school. For example, staff collect children from the teachers at the end of the school day. Staff describe how they receive updates from teachers about children's day, when needed.
- Leaders talk about how they ensure that the premises are safe. They explain how visitors are signed in and out at the school reception desk, where robust procedures are in place.
- Staff describe how they have high expectations for every child, and how they encourage positive behaviour and respect for all. They plan to role model this each day in the service they provide, and how they communicate with each other and with the children.
- Staff discuss the various training that is available to them and how they use it to improve the service that they provide, along with regular supervision sessions they receive.
- Staff share how they support children in different areas of their development. They explain that parents have given them feedback about their children's positive behaviour since attending the club.
- Leaders ensure that staff members are updated with training and that any changes are regularly shared within the team. Staff can talk through the process of what actions they would take if they had any concerns about children. Leaders describe how they reinforce safeguarding, ensuring that children's safety and well-being remain paramount.

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	2566593
Local authority	Croydon
Inspection number	10239406
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	5 to 10
Total number of places	30
Number of children on roll	30
Name of registered person	Simply Kids UK Ltd
Registered person unique reference number	2520665
Telephone number	0208 654 7517
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable

Information about this early years setting

Simply Kids registered in 2020. It is one of two settings run by the same provider and operates from Kenley Primary School in Surrey. The club opens during term time from 7.30am to 9am and 3.15pm to 6pm, Monday to Friday. It offers a holiday playscheme during school holidays from 8am to 6pm. There are three members of staff, all of whom hold relevant qualifications at level 3 or above.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Christel Brown

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 viewed the provision, and discussed the safety and suitability of the premises.
- The manager showed the inspector key documentation, including information to demonstrate the suitability of staff.
- The inspector spoke with the nominated individual and manager about the leadership and management of the setting.
- Although there were no children in the early age range present at the time of this inspection, there were children present who were over the age of five years.

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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