

Childminder report

Inspection date:

1 September 2022

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

**This
inspection**

Not met (with actions)

Previous
inspection

Met

Summary of key findings

This provision does not meet requirements

- The childminder identifies through discussion that she is aware of the early years foundation stage learning and development and assessment requirements. She recognises guidance documents that she plans to consult to aid her in ensuring that children are challenged successfully so that they make progress.
- The childminder demonstrates a sound knowledge of what would cause her concern and her responsibilities to protect children from abuse and neglect. She knows the local referral procedures that she must follow if she has a concern. The childminder is aware of the duty to prevent children from being drawn into situations that put them at risk of harm.
- The childminder successfully identifies and minimises risks in her home. However, she does not meet the requirement to carry appropriate insurance, such as public liability insurance, to cover her childminding premises.
- The childminder identifies resources and activities that meet the needs of children at different stages of development.
- The childminder understands the importance of working in partnership with parents. She explains how she has worked with parents to help children to settle, helped parents to share what they know about their children and kept them informed about their children's progress.
- The childminder says that children in her care learn about similarities and differences between themselves and others, and they are expected to show mutual respect and consideration.
- The childminder is aware of records, policies and procedures that are required to ensure that the needs of children are appropriately met.
- In discussion, the childminder explains how she ensures that children are made aware of expectations for behaviour, such as sharing and taking turns.
- The childminder says that she teaches children to behave in ways that are safe for themselves and others. For example, use of the pedestrian crossing, how to walk safely on pavements and general road safety. She says that she ensures children adopt healthy habits, such as good hygiene practices.

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:

	Due date
obtain and maintain appropriate insurance to cover all premises from which childminding is provided.	16/09/2022

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY492209
Local authority	Coventry
Inspection number	10143423
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	29 April 2019

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2015. She operates all year round, seven days a week, from 7.30am to 6pm, except for bank holidays and family holidays.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Jan Burnet

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 that into account in their evaluation of the provider.
- The inspector viewed the provision and discussed the safety and suitability of the premises.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she plans to meet the requirements of the early years foundation stage and promote children's progress when she resumes childminding.
- The inspector looked at evidence of the childminder's training.
- The inspector checked evidence of the suitability of all adults.

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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