

# Inspection of The Big Adventure Club St. Leonards

St Leonard's Church of England Primary Academy, Linley Road, Blunsdon,  
SWINDON SN26 7AP

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Inspection date:

1 November 2022

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

**This  
inspection**

**Met**

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Previous  
inspection

Good

## Summary of key findings

### This provision meets requirements

- Although there were no children in the early age range on roll at the time of this inspection, there were children present who were over the age of five years.
- The nominated individual and her staff understand the possible signs that a child may be at risk of harm. They know what to do if they have concerns and staff know how to escalate these outside of the organisation if required. The environment is safe and secure.
- The nominated individual and staff understand the importance of meeting children's needs. They explain that they use a key-person system to support children under five. They discuss the range of activities they provide to engage and occupy children. They were observed to interact with older children, encouraging them to join in and socialise.
- The nominated individual and staff understand how to promote healthy lifestyles. They provide snack, which includes fruit and salad, and encourage children to exercise.
- The nominated individual monitors staff performance and oversees the operation of the club. She and the staff link with the school to meet children's needs.

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

<b>Unique reference number</b>	EY445009
<b>Local authority</b>	Swindon
<b>Inspection number</b>	10233814
<b>Type of provision</b>	Childcare on non-domestic premises
<b>Registers</b>	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
<b>Day care type</b>	Out-of-school day care
<b>Age range of children at time of inspection</b>	0 to 0
<b>Total number of places</b>	24
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	14
<b>Name of registered person</b>	The Big Adventure Club Limited
<b>Registered person unique reference number</b>	RP911154
<b>Telephone number</b>	07832304452 07852222766
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	4 November 2016

## Information about this early years setting

The Big Adventure Club registered in 2012. It operates from St Leonard's School, in Blunsdon, near Swindon. The setting opens four days per week, during term time. Sessions are from 3.15pm to 5.15pm, Monday to Thursday. The club employs two members of staff, one of whom holds an appropriate childcare qualification.

## Information about this inspection

### Inspector

Catherine Sample

## 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 nominated individual and the inspector discussed how she ensures that staff meet the safeguarding and welfare requirements of the early years foundation stage and how the club operates.
- The inspector observed the interactions between staff and children aged over five years.
- The inspector looked at relevant documentation and reviewed evidence of the suitability of staff.
- The inspector spoke to staff.

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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