

# Inspection of Challengers Eastleigh Playscheme

Chandlers Ford Infant School, Kings Road, Chandlers Ford, Eastleigh, Hampshire  
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Inspection date:

9 September 2023

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

**This  
inspection**

**Met**

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Previous  
inspection

Not Met (with actions)

## Summary of key findings

### This provision meets requirements

- The manager has addressed the action set at the previous inspection. She implements an effective child protection policy and procedure. Training is provided to staff to help them fully understand this. All staff demonstrate that they have an up-to-date knowledge of safeguarding issues and know how to report concerns to other agencies to safeguard children.
- The manager and staff are particularly clear on the need to work closely with parents and outside agencies, to provide individual support for all children with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND).
- The manager explains her understanding of supporting children's well-being. She clearly describes the importance of organising experiences that widen children's knowledge. The provider uses activities to build on children's social communication skills and broaden their vocabulary. For example, all children access visuals and picture prompts that support them to make independent choices.
- The manager ensures that required information and records are organised and accessible to promote the safe and efficient management of the setting. Accurate records of children's hours of attendance are maintained. The manager demonstrates an understanding of the impact of this on children's safety.
- The manager is passionate about providing an environment that enhances children's understanding of how to lead a healthy lifestyle. She explains how she intends for staff to encourage young children to enjoy the outdoor environment and support them to understand the importance of keeping active.
- Through discussion, the manager demonstrates how children's behaviour is successfully managed. She explains how children are supported to understand the rules and boundaries in place at the setting, so that they understand her expectations.

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>	2577314
<b>Local authority</b>	Hampshire
<b>Inspection number</b>	10258355
<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>	12
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	38
<b>Name of registered person</b>	Disability Challengers
<b>Registered person unique reference number</b>	RP905373
<b>Telephone number</b>	07815 553212
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	17 September 2022

## Information about this early years setting

Challengers Eastleigh Playscheme registered in 2020. They operate from Chandlers Ford Infant School, in Chandlers Ford. The playscheme is for children aged between 4 and 13 years old with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND), and children who do not have SEND. It is open during term time on one Saturday a month, 10am to 4pm. They also run Easter and summer holiday sessions.

## Information about this inspection

### Inspector

Nina Lambkin

## Inspection activities

- 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.
- The inspector discussed any continued impact of the pandemic with the provider and has taken that into account in their evaluation of the provider.
- The manager joined the inspector on a learning walk and talked to the inspector about how the provision is organised to meet children's needs and promote their enjoyment.
- The manager provided the inspector with a tour of the premises to learn about how the provision is organised.
- The inspector looked at relevant documentation, including evidence of staff suitability.

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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