

# Inspection of White Lodge Centre Playscheme

White Lodge Centre, Holloway Hill, Lyne, Chertsey, Surrey KT16 0AE

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Inspection date:

29 December 2023

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

**This  
inspection**

**Met**

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Previous  
inspection

Met

## Summary of key findings

### This provision meets requirements

- Leaders ensure that sufficient staff are in place to promote children's safety and meet their individual needs. Leaders adapt the environment to ensure that it is welcoming and inviting to all children. For instance, leaders have considered ways to help children to settle, including creating a secure, quiet area for those who may need additional support when they arrive.
- Staff plan for children's development based on what they know about them. Staff have confident knowledge of how to organise experiences and activities that are tailored to the interests and abilities of each child.
- Leaders and staff demonstrate good safeguarding knowledge. Leaders ensure that all staff complete specialist safeguarding training to promote their awareness of how to recognise the signs and symptoms of abuse in vulnerable children. Leaders inform staff of any risk assessments that have been completed, such as for outings and activities. These are communicated during daily briefing sessions and throughout the day.
- Leaders have revised and strengthened arrangements to promote children's safety. For instance, leaders ensure that staff and children practise the emergency evacuation procedures. Leaders carefully consider each child's needs and how they can support children to understand what is expected of them during evacuation drills. This includes silent drills and reading appropriate stories to children to teach them how to respond in an emergency and follow the evacuation plan safely. Leaders review each drill in order to establish whether any improvements can be made to further enhance children's safety.
- Leaders support staff with their professional development. They ensure that staff complete the mandatory training and they work with staff to identify further training opportunities. This helps to ensure that staff have the skills and knowledge they need to meet the needs of the children that they care for.
- Leaders recognise the importance of building positive working relationships with parents and other agencies to promote better outcomes for children. For instance, leaders ensure that they gather appropriate information about children, which helps them to make parents aware of other services that can provide additional support for them.

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>	EY390595
<b>Local authority</b>	Surrey
<b>Inspection number</b>	10325887
<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>	6 to 11
<b>Total number of places</b>	7
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	0
<b>Name of registered person</b>	White Lodge Centre
<b>Registered person unique reference number</b>	RP524781
<b>Telephone number</b>	01932567131
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	14 August 2019

## Information about this early years setting

White Lodge Centre Playscheme registered in 2009 and is based in Chertsey, Surrey. The playscheme caters for children with special educational needs and/or disabilities and it operates during the school holidays, between 10am and 4pm. The playscheme sessions operate with a maximum of seven children. They are supported by eight members of staff, one of whom holds an appropriate level 6 qualification in childcare.

## Information about this inspection

**Inspector**  
Hayley Kiely

## 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.
- Staff spoke to the inspector during the inspection.
- Parents shared their views of the setting with the inspector.
- The inspector looked at relevant documentation and reviewed evidence of the suitability of staff working at the setting.

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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