

Compliance action taken for childcare provision

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Summary of outcome

All early years providers must meet the legal requirements in the Statutory framework for the early years foundation stage, which you can find at www.gov.uk/government/publications/early-years-foundation-stage-framework--2. If we find that a provider is not meeting the requirements, we can take action to ensure they put matters right.

On 13 January 2025, the provider notified us about Staff: child ratios. The notification means that the provider met their legal responsibility as set out in the Statutory framework for the early years foundation stage to notify Ofsted of a significant event.

On 7 February 2025, we carried out a regulatory visit. We found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements and had taken action to put this right. The provider has reviewed and strengthened the procedures for supervising children when they transition between rooms in the setting and from outdoor to indoor play. Headcounts now include undertaking a roll call of children's names. Additionally, room leaders now take responsibility for undertaking a check of rooms/areas children are leaving to ensure that no-one is left behind. The provider has delivered comprehensive training and briefings to all staff to ensure that the updated procedures are clearly understood and applied. Staff demonstrate through discussion and practice that this knowledge is embedded. These strengthened procedures mean that children's safety is assured as they remain in sight and hearing, and staff know their whereabouts at all times.

The provider will be able to give parents further information about this. The provider is still registered with Ofsted.

Publication of compliance action

We aim to ensure that the welfare of children and young people is protected in the services we regulate. The Childcare Act 2006 and accompanying regulations set out our responsibilities to regulate childminders and childcare providers. This includes the

enforcement powers we have in relation to those registered providers who do not comply with the requirements for registration.

We publish details of any actions we take, or the childminder or childcare provider takes to bring about compliance with requirements on our website for a period of five years.

For further information please read the Early years compliance handbook which can be found here at www.gov.uk/government/publications/early-years-provider-non-compliance-action-by-ofsted.