

Childminder Report

Inspection date

18 June 2015

Previous inspection date

19 May 2009

The quality and standards of the early years provision**This inspection:****Met**

Previous inspection:

Good

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The setting **meets legal requirements for early years settings**

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder meets the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage. As a result, she is able to promote children's well-being, and learning and development.
- The childminder completes regular training, such as child protection and paediatric first-aid, and works closely with other childminders to continually update her knowledge and skills.
- The childminder organises her home well to meet the needs of all ages of children and provide a welcoming, comfortable and enabling environment, indoors and outdoors.
- The childminder has effective methods for the promotion of children's learning and development, using her knowledge of children's interests, preferences and abilities. This helps her to provide children with a broad and balanced range of enjoyable learning experiences.
- The childminder understands the importance of maintaining positive working relationships with parents, other agencies and practitioners. This contributes to meeting children's needs.
- Since the last inspection, the childminder has improved systems for self-evaluation and demonstrates a capacity to maintain continuous improvement. She has also improved assessment systems in order to more effectively monitor and plan for children to work towards specific next steps in their learning.
- The childminder is confident in her ability to follow the local safeguarding procedures if she has concerns about a child.

There were no children 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 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.

Inspection activities

- The inspector viewed the premises, toys and equipment.
- The inspector engaged in discussion with the childminder about the service she provides.
- The inspector sampled documentation, including that relating to safeguarding.

Inspector

Jayne Pascoe

Setting details

Unique reference number	102556
Local authority	Cornwall
Inspection number	839190
Type of provision	Childminder
Registration category	Childminder
Age range of children	0 - 8
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Name of provider	
Date of previous inspection	19 May 2009
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 1992. She lives with her husband, who is also her assistant, and their adult child near St Austell, in Cornwall. There were no early years age children on roll at the time of inspection. The childminder is qualified to level 3.

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