

Childminder report

Inspection date:

26 June 2025

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

**This
inspection**

Not met (with actions)

Previous
inspection

Met

Summary of key findings

This provision does not meet requirements

- The childminder has failed to notify Ofsted of changes to her circumstances, which is a requirement of her registration. For example, she has neglected to inform Ofsted about a significant event that has impacted on her ability to care for children. Additionally, the childminder has not informed Ofsted of changes to her health and new household members living on the premises. As a result, Ofsted has been unable to conduct checks to assess the suitability of these individuals.
- The childminder does not have valid public liability insurance, which is a requirement of her registration.
- The childminder promotes her professional development, such as safeguarding and first aid, to help keep her knowledge up to date. She knows how to identify if a child is at risk of abuse and how to report them to relevant agencies. The childminder describes the checks she will carry out to identify and address potential hazards to children during their play.
- The childminder understands how to promote children's learning and assess their progress. She has age-appropriate toys and resources available. Additionally, the childminder is aware of the requirement to conduct the progress checks for children aged between two and three years.
- The childminder recognises the importance of collaborating with other professionals, such as speech and language therapists, to address gaps in children's education.
- The childminder explains how she will work in partnership with parents and carers to ensure continuity of care and learning for children. She also intends to work with parents to support children's behaviour and involve them in evaluating her setting.
- The childminder talks confidently about promoting children's physical and oral health. She plans to teach children about similarities and differences between themselves and others as part of her inclusive approach.

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.

What does the setting need to do to improve?

To meet the requirements of the early years foundation stage and Childcare Register the provider must:

	Due date
improve understanding of significant events that must be notified to Ofsted	01/08/2025
obtain and maintain public liability insurance at all times.	01/08/2025

Setting details

Unique reference number	136564
Local authority	Bromley
Inspection number	10394870
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children at time of inspection	0 to 0
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Date of previous inspection	30 September 2019

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 1993 and lives in the London Borough of Bromley. She offers her childcare services all year round, from 8am to 6pm, Monday to Friday. The childminder holds early years professional status.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Marisol Hernandez-Garn

Inspection activities

- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the educational programmes for children.
- The inspector looked at a range of documentation, such as the childminder's paediatric first-aid certificate.
- The childminder showed the inspector the available toys and resources for children.
- The inspector viewed the areas of the premises intended for childminding.

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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