

Childminder report

Inspection date	12 September 2018
Previous inspection date	9 March 2016

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Met	
	Previous inspection:	Good	2

Summary of key findings for parents

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder is confident in discussing safeguarding procedures. She can recognise signs when a child may be at risk or harm and knows what to do should she have concerns for a child's welfare.
- The well-qualified childminder knows how to use her range of resources to plan activities to meet children's different learning needs. She is aware of the importance of sharing children's progress with parents. In addition, she understands the benefit of working with other professionals involved with the children's learning.
- The childminder understands the importance of providing children with opportunities to exercise and eat regular meals to promote their good health.
- The childminder knows how to support children's good behaviour and to encourage their positive attitudes towards others, such as being kind, to share and take turns.
- The childminder is well motivated and continues to enhance her professional development to further improve her knowledge and skills. For example, she keeps up to date with training, such as paediatric first aid and safeguarding children.

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 discussed with the childminder how she plans to deliver the educational programmes for children and the methods she will develop to involve parents in their children's learning.
- The inspector discussed the policies and procedures with the childminder, and viewed documentation that she will use when caring for children.
- The inspector had a tour of the areas of the premises used by children and discussed toys and activities available.
- The inspector discussed the safeguarding and welfare requirements with the childminder and took into consideration the suitability checks for people living on the premises.

Inspector

Gill Cubitt

Setting details

Unique reference number	143886
Local authority	Lambeth
Inspection number	10064061
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	0 - 0
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Date of previous inspection	9 March 2016

The childminder registered in 2000 and lives in the London Borough of Lambeth. She operates all year round from 8am to 6.30pm, Monday to Friday, except for bank holidays and family holidays. The childminder holds a relevant early years qualification at level 3.

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