

Childminder Report

Inspection date

22 July 2016

Previous inspection date

25 February 2015

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

Previous inspection:

Met

Requires
Improvement

3

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder is aware of her responsibilities to keep children safe in her home. She understands how to support children to identify risks for themselves and how to solve these.
- The childminder understands the signs and symptoms which could indicate a concern about a child's welfare and is confident about the procedures she would need to follow.
- The childminder knows how to provide a range of interesting, age-appropriate activities for children to explore. She understands that young children learn through play and how to plan fun and stimulating opportunities to support this.
- The childminder understands the importance of monitoring children's progress and has methods in place to support this. She knows that these methods could help identify any gaps in children's learning and evaluate her teaching to make improvements.
- The childminder is confident at supporting new children to feel safe and settled in her care. She knows how to support children to gain confidence, in order to learn new skills for the next stages in their learning, including their move on to school.

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 spoke to the childminder about the service she offers and her understanding of the requirements of the early years foundation stage.
- The inspector sampled documentation, including policies and procedures for safeguarding, and evidence of self-evaluation.
- The inspector viewed the premises, toys and resources used for childminding.

Inspector

Kayleigh Fletcher

Setting details

Unique reference number	143895
Local authority	Lambeth
Inspection number	1054626
Type of provision	Childminder
Day care type	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Age range of children	0 - 8
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Name of registered person	
Date of previous inspection	25 February 2015
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2000. She lives in the London Borough of Lambeth. The childminder offers care from 6.30am until 7pm, Monday to Friday, all year round. There were no children of early years age on roll at the time the inspection took place.

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