

Childminder Report

Inspection date

29 September 2015

Previous inspection date

29 June 2009

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

Previous inspection:

Good

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Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a sound understanding of the Early Years Foundation Stage requirements, and is aware of how to provide activities and resources to promote positive outcomes for children in their care and learning.
- The arrangements for safeguarding are effective. She is aware of the Local Safeguarding Children Board procedures and the process to follow if she has a concern about a child's welfare. She is aware of the need to assess her environment for potential hazards and to minimise these to provide a place for children to play in safety.
- The childminder has suitable arrangements in place for assessing children's progress and planning for their individual development needs. She is aware of the need to carry out regular observations of children to identify where they are at in their learning and then use these to carefully plan activities to help move them on further.
- The childminder is aware of how to suitably promote children's personal development, behaviour and well-being. She has sound strategies for managing children's behaviour and to support them in gaining an understanding of themselves and others.
- The childminder demonstrates a positive attitude towards her professional development and improving her practice. She regularly reflects on her practice in order to identify areas for improvement and additional training needs. For example, she has successfully addressed the recommendations from her last inspection to help improve the quality of children's learning experiences.
- The childminder understands the importance of working in partnership with parents and others. She is aware that regularly sharing information with parents and other professionals helps promote consistency in children's care and learning.

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 talked to the childminder about her practices and her understanding of the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage.
- The inspector sampled some of the documentation that the childminder uses to underpin her practice.
- The inspector observed the areas in the home used for childminding.

Inspector

Samantha Smith

Setting details

Unique reference number	144414
Local authority	Hackney
Inspection number	836682
Type of provision	Childminder
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	0 - 8
Total number of places	5
Number of children on roll	0
Name of provider	
Date of previous inspection	29 June 2009
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 1992. She lives in the Debeauvoir area of the London Borough of Hackney. The childminder operates Monday to Thursday, from 8am to 3pm, for most of the year. There were no children on roll at the time of this inspection.

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