

Childminder report

Inspection date:

26 September 2022

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Not applicable

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder recognises the importance of providing a stimulating environment with a range of accessible resources such as different books, toys and puzzles. These are engaging and age appropriate.
- The childminder understands the value of planning outings to the local park, library and stay and play sessions with other childminders, as this encourages children to explore and understand the world around them and develop their social skills through their interactions with others.
- The childminder recognises the importance of working closely with parents. She would maintain this relationship through regular contact with the parents by sharing photos, daily diaries and observations of their child's day.
- The childminder has a good knowledge of safeguarding. She is able to explain what to do if she had concerns about a child's safety. The childminder ensures that all mandatory training is up to date, including safeguarding and first aid. She understands the importance of promoting children's safety in her home to minimise the risk of accidents and injuries.
- The childminder is able to demonstrate a clear understanding of how to provide an inclusive and welcoming environment for children, by encouraging positive behaviour through positive interactions and creating a comfortable setting for them.

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.

Setting details

Unique reference number	2573188
Local authority	Hounslow
Inspection number	10239556
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	5
Number of children on roll	0
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2020. She lives in Feltham, in the London Borough of Hounslow. The childminder operates from 7am until 7pm Monday to Friday all year round, except for family holidays and bank holidays.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Sai Arunn

Inspection activities

- This was the first routine inspection the childminder received since the COVID-19 pandemic began. The inspector discussed the impact of the pandemic with the childminder and has taken that into account in their evaluation of the setting.
- The inspector held discussions with the childminder about her methods and plans to develop her practice.
- The inspector was shown the garden area by the childminder, who showed how she kept these areas safe for the children.
- The inspector looked at a range of relevant documents such as training certificates and some different policies and procedures.

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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