

Childminder report

Inspection date:

4 July 2023

**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 understands how to complete the required progress check for children aged between two and three years. She explains how she will complete observations and ensure children's next steps in learning are identified and supported. The childminder demonstrates a secure knowledge of how to liaise with other professionals and settings children may attend.
- The childminder has a good understanding of safeguarding. She describes possible signs and symptoms of abuse that may indicate a child is at risk of harm, radicalisation and female genital mutilation. The childminder knows who to contact if she has a concern about a child or if allegations were to be made about her or a member of her household.
- The childminder demonstrates a good understanding of the importance of supporting children's healthy lifestyles. She describes how she will suggest healthy snacks and provide nutritious meals for children. The childminder is aware of the need to work closely with parents to gather information, such as food allergies and preferences.
- The childminder describes the importance of following children's interests and promoting their good behaviour when planning the curriculum. She explains how she will share information with parents to support children's learning at home.
- The childminder explains how she will create a stimulating environment, where children will be eager to learn. She understands the importance providing opportunities for children to explore outdoor learning, such as trips to the woods and park. She understands how to support children to develop their physical skills and learn about the environment.
- The childminder knows the importance of professional development to continuously improve the quality of her practice. She has attended a range of training courses to develop her knowledge and skills.

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	2595481
Local authority	Greenwich
Inspection number	10285642
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory 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	Not applicable

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2021. She lives in Thamesmead, London. She operates all year round from 7am to 5pm, Monday to Friday. The childminder holds a relevant early years level 3 qualification.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Angela Colman

Inspection activities

- This was the first routine inspection the childminder has received since the COVID-19 pandemic began. The inspector discussed the impact of the pandemic with the provider and has taken that into account in her evaluation of the setting.
- The inspector and the childminder discussed her knowledge of the learning and development and the safeguarding and welfare requirements.
- The childminder and the inspector had a learning walk and the childminder talked to the inspector about her curriculum and what she wants the children to learn.
- The inspector sampled documentation, including the childminder's qualifications, evidence of her suitability and documents she intends to use to promote children's learning.
- The childminder explained to the inspector how she will plan her curriculum and how she will work in partnership with parents.

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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