

Childminder report

Inspection date:

30 March 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 is aware of how to observe, plan and track children's progress in their learning. She explains how her observations will inform children's planning and assessments, and help her to identify any gaps. The childminder will share this information with parents and relevant professionals.
- The childminder describes how she will provide accessible resources for the children which encourage open-ended activities. She explains how this will help children to follow their interests and be creative.
- The childminder explains how she will have high expectations for children's behaviour in her care. She explains her positive practice in supporting children's emotional development. She will teach children to turn take with their peers, share and show kindness towards each other.
- The childminder explains how she will support children to adopt a healthy lifestyle. The childminder understands the benefits of promoting nutritious meals and snacks. She plans to provide regular opportunities for exercise and physical movement outdoors.
- The childminder explains, through discussion, how she will help develop children's social skills. Regular attendance at the local groups, creates the opportunity to socialise with other children.
- The childminder has a very good understanding of how to safeguard children in her care. She knows how to identify signs and symptoms of abuse and liaise with the relevant agencies. She will carry out risk assessments. This helps to ensure safety within the home and make adjustments where needed.
- Through discussion, the childminder understands the importance of working in partnership with parents. The childminder describes daily sharing information with parents on their children's learning. Sharing information with parents, helps them to continue the support at home.
- The childminder attends training and works with the advisors from the local authority. This helps to keep her knowledge current and adapt her childcare practice.

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	2620793
Local authority	Southwark
Inspection number	10281051
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	4 to 4
Total number of places	4
Number of children on roll	4
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2021. She lives in the London Borough of Southwark. The childminder cares for children Monday to Friday, from 8am to 6pm. The childminder also offers before- and after-school care. The childminder holds a level 3 qualification in childcare and education.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Onyi Ojukwu

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 childminder.
- The childminder provided the inspector with a sample of key documentation on request.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she can support children's learning and development.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to meet the safeguarding and welfare requirements when minding children.

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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