

Childminder Report

Inspection date	23 March 2018
Previous inspection date	25 November 2015

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Met	
	Previous inspection:	Good	2

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a secure understanding of the requirements of the early years foundation stage. She talks confidently about how she intends to care for children.
- The childminder has a good safeguarding knowledge. She understands how to spot the potential signs and symptoms of abuse and what to do if she has concerns.
- The childminder discusses a range of positive behaviour management strategies which she intends to use with children.
- The childminder understands how to support children's emotional development. She discusses how she would help children to settle into her care and how she would get to know them. She clearly explains how she intends to provide a wide range of learning opportunities to meet individual children's needs and interests.
- The childminder demonstrates a good understanding of how to reflect on her own practice and identify possible areas for improvement.
- The childminder understands how to work in partnership with others. She discusses appropriate strategies for partnership working, including sharing regular information with parents in a range of formats, such as daily diaries and observations of children.

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 viewed areas of the childminder's home that are used when caring for children and discussed how she plans to deliver the educational programmes.
- The inspector looked at policies, procedures and documents the childminder will use when caring for children.
- The inspector checked evidence of the suitability of the childminder and people living at the premises.

Inspector

Josie Mapes

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY101117
Local authority	Merton
Inspection number	1128416
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 November 2015
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2002. She operates all year round from 9am to 6pm, Monday to Friday. The childminder holds an appropriate qualification at level 3.

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