

Childminder Report

Inspection date	20 February 2017
Previous inspection date	4 February 2015

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Met	3
	Previous inspection:	Requires Improvement	

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands how to support children's learning and development. She knows how to plan challenging activities that link with their next steps in learning, and monitor their achievements, to help children make good progress.
- The childminder knows how to work with parents and other settings that children attend, to share what they know and provide continuity in care and learning.
- The childminder is aware of how to manage children's behaviour to help them learn to be kind, respectful, share and use good manners.
- The childminder recognises how to keep children safe in the home and on outings. She knows how to deal with any safeguarding concerns regarding children's welfare.
- The childminder understands the importance of extending her professional development, such as through training and meetings with other childcare providers, to keep her knowledge up to date. She has systems for reflecting on her practice to help her identify areas for development.

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 the parts of the premises used for childminding and the available resources.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the educational programmes for children, including through planning and assessment.
- The inspector held discussions with the childminder, including about her knowledge of safeguarding issues and procedures.
- The inspector sampled documentation, including policies and procedures, training certificates, and forms to record accidents and medication.

Inspector

Sarah Madge

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY101311
Local authority	Devon
Inspection number	1052111
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	3
Number of children on roll	0
Name of registered person	
Date of previous inspection	4 February 2015
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2002 and lives in Kingsbridge, Devon. She offers care for children for up to three week days per week, all year round. There were no children on roll at the time of inspection.

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