

Childminder report

Inspection date	4 December 2018
Previous inspection date	19 April 2016

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

Summary of key findings for parents

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder acknowledges the importance of building strong partnerships with parents and the benefit of sharing information about their children's progress.
- The childminder identifies the importance of teaching children about leading healthy lifestyles and setting clear boundaries to help guide their behaviour.
- The childminder knows how to assess children's individual learning. She comprehends how this information can be used to plan suitable activities to help children to make good progress.
- The childminder extends her knowledge and skills, for example, through reading professional magazines and completing online training.
- The childminder is aware of procedures to follow to safeguard children. She understands the importance of keeping her training up to date to enable her to quickly identify children who may be at risk of harm.
- The childminder understands the importance of evaluating her provision and the usefulness of seeking the views of parents and children to help identify areas for improvement.

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 sampled written feedback from parents about the childminder's service and discussed with the childminder how she evaluates her provision to bring about improvements.
- The inspector and the childminder discussed the planning of play activities and children's learning.
- The inspector asked the childminder questions throughout the inspection to establish her understanding of how to safeguard children and of how to monitor their learning and development.
- The inspector viewed documentation, including evidence of public liability insurance and paediatric first-aid training.

Inspector
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Setting details

Unique reference number	EY282835
Local authority	Kingston upon Thames
Inspection number	10073373
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	5 - 8
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	8
Date of previous inspection	19 April 2016

The childminder registered in 2004 and lives in Surbiton, Surrey. She operates for most of the year from 7.30am to 6.30pm, Monday to Friday.

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