

Childminder Report

Inspection date

Previous inspection date

15 May 2015

2 April 2009

The quality and standards of the early years provision**This inspection:**

Met

Previous inspection:

Met

The setting **meets legal requirements for early years settings**

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a secure understanding of the learning and development requirements, including how children learn. She knows how to plan activities, taking account of children's backgrounds, abilities and ages in order to meet their needs.
- The childminder understands how to promote children's good health and well-being. She knows the importance of teaching children about healthy lifestyles through daily exercise and by providing balanced, nutritious meals and snacks.
- The childminder has sufficient understanding of child protection issues and the procedures to follow if she has a concern about the well-being of a child.
- The childminder has a sound understanding of how to carry out effective risk assessments inside the home, in the garden and on outings to keep children safe.
- The childminder is aware of the importance of promoting children's independence and awareness good hygiene routines.
- The childminder understands the importance of working in partnership with parents. She explains how she will keep them informed about their children's progress and activities.
- The childminder understands the need to evaluate her childminding practice to identify and make improvements for children. Furthermore, she understands the importance of attending training courses to update her knowledge and skills. For example, she recently completed training to support children with specific needs.

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 had a tour of the premises and checked all areas available for childminding, and the toys, resources and equipment available for children's use.
- The inspector held discussions with the childminder about her knowledge of the Early Years Foundation Stage, including how she assesses children's abilities, plans for their progress, and evaluates her provision.
- The inspector viewed a selection of the childminder's documents, including her policies and procedures and discussed these.
- The inspector asked the childminder to explain how she assesses risks and promotes children's safety and well-being.

Inspector

Yasmine Hurley

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY285401
Local authority	Enfield
Inspection number	928948
Type of provision	Childminder
Registration category	Childminder
Age range of children	0 - 8
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Name of provider	
Date of previous inspection	2 April 2009
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2004. She lives in Enfield, in the London Borough of Enfield. She is available each weekday, before and after school, throughout most of the year. There were no children in the early years age range on roll at the time of the inspection.

This inspection was carried out by Ofsted 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.

Any complaints about the inspection or the report should be made following the procedures set out in the guidance 'Complaints procedure: raising concerns and making complaints about Ofsted', which is available from Ofsted's website: www.gov.uk/government/organisations/ofsted. If you would like Ofsted to send you a copy of the guidance, please telephone 0300 123 4234, or email enquiries@ofsted.gov.uk.

The Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills (Ofsted) regulates and inspects to achieve excellence in the care of children and young people, and in education and skills for learners of all ages. It regulates and inspects childcare and children's social care, and inspects the Children and Family Court Advisory Support Service (Cafcass), schools, colleges, initial teacher training, work-based learning and skills training, adult and community learning, and education and training in prisons and other secure establishments. It assesses council children's services, and inspects services for looked after children, safeguarding and child protection.

If you would like a copy of this document in a different format, such as large print or Braille, please telephone 0300 123 4234, or email enquiries@ofsted.gov.uk.

You may copy all or parts of this document for non-commercial educational purposes, as long as you give details of the source and date of publication and do not alter the information in any way.

To receive regular email alerts about new publications, including survey reports and school inspection reports, please visit our website and go to 'Subscribe'.

Piccadilly Gate
Store St
Manchester
M1 2WD

T: 0300 123 4234
Textphone: 0161 618 8524
E: enquiries@ofsted.gov.uk
W: www.gov.uk/government/organisations/ofsted

© Crown copyright 2015

