

Childminder report

Inspection date:

15 November 2024

**The quality and
standards of early
years provision**

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Good

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands the skills and knowledge that young children need to learn. She demonstrates an understanding of the range of activities that promote children's understanding of the world around them. The childminder discusses how to plan suitably challenging learning opportunities. She understands it is important to consider children's ages and needs when planning her curriculum.
- The childminder understands that some children may have gaps in their learning and knows how to identify what they should learn next. She understands that children with special educational needs and/or disabilities may need specialist support. The childminder discusses how to make links with experts to ensure that all children receive the support they need to learn.
- The childminder understands that it is important for children to develop their social skills. She explains how to plan activities for children to speak to a range of other people. The childminder discusses how this promotes children's self-confidence.
- The childminder understands the importance of a healthy and nutritious diet for children. She considers how to teach children about foods that are good for them. The childminder ensures that she finds out about children's allergies and food preferences. She knows that this promotes children's physical well-being.
- The childminder explains the importance of promoting children's physical strength. She demonstrates an understanding of how to promote physical activity in children of different ages. The childminder understands that providing children with opportunities to take appropriate risks in their play promotes their strength.
- The childminder understands that familiar routines support children's emotional well-being. She discusses how explaining the rules and expectations in her home help children to feel safe and secure. The childminder understands that talking to children about their feelings promotes their emotional development. She demonstrates an understanding of how to support children to behave well and be kind to others.
- The childminder understands how to keep children safe in her home. She confidently identifies hazards in her home and regularly carries out risk assessments. The childminder has a procedure for the action to take in emergencies. She understands that teaching children about these procedures supports their safety.
- The childminder knows that parent partnerships are important. She understands how to share information with parents. The childminder knows that providing parents with information about their children's next steps in development helps them to continue their children's learning at home.
- The childminder describes the importance of regularly reflecting on her practice. She understands that organising professional development opportunities helps to extend her knowledge and skills. The childminder works with her local authority to ensure that her knowledge and skills continue to develop over time.

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	EY307917
Local authority	Havering
Inspection number	10364008
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	0 to 0
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Date of previous inspection	21 January 2019

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2005. She lives in Romford, in the London Borough of Havering. The childminder provides care all year round, from 7am to 7pm, Monday to Friday. She holds a childcare qualification at level 3. The childminder offers government funded childcare.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Kate Daurge

Inspection activities

- The childminder provided the inspector with a sample of key documentation on request.
- The inspector viewed the provision and discussed the safety and suitability of the premises.
- The inspector and the childminder discussed how the childminder organises her curriculum to support children's learning.

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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