

Childminder report

Inspection date:

14 June 2022

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Outstanding

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a secure understanding of how to keep children safe at all times and promote their well-being. She knows what possible indicators of abuse are and how to report any concerns she may have about children's welfare.
- The childminder is knowledgeable about how to support children's learning. She understands the importance of working with parents and other settings children attend to ensure continuity for children's care and learning. The childminder understands when children may need additional help and support.
- The childminder has a clear understanding of how to plan activities to engage children in their learning. She knows how to build on what children can do and already know, using their interests to motivate them.
- The childminder understands the importance of supporting children to develop healthy and active lifestyles. She explains about how to supply nutritious meals for children and provide opportunities for physically active play. The childminder understands how to help children develop positive attitudes to their behaviour and learning.
- The childminder recognises the importance of keeping her knowledge current. She reflects on her practice and plans for ongoing developments to benefit the children in her care.

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	EY313541
Local authority	Hampshire
Inspection number	10108614
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	3 to 11
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	16
Date of previous inspection	16 December 2014

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2005. She lives in Poulner, close to the centre of Ringwood, Hampshire. The childminder provides care before and after school, during school term times. She also provides care during the school holidays when requested. The childminder holds a relevant childcare qualification at level 3.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Emma Dean

Inspection activities

- This was the first routine inspection the provider received since the COVID-19 pandemic began. The inspector discussed the impact of the pandemic with the provider and has taken this into account in their evaluation of the provider.
- The childminder showed the inspector the premises and discussed how they ensure they are safe and suitable for children.
- The childminder spoke to the inspector about her intentions for children's learning.
- The childminder provided the inspector with a sample of key documentation on request, including evidence of suitability of household members.

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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