

Inspection date	16 March 2015
Previous inspection date	18 January 2012

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Not met	
	Previous inspection:	Satisfactory	3
The setting does not meet legal requirements for early years settings			

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision does not meet requirements

- The childminder does not have a secure understanding of the learning and development requirements and, as result, she is unable to plan challenging activities that promote children's progress across all areas effectively. This demonstrates the childminder's weak self-evaluation systems to monitor her practices and their impact on children's learning experiences.
- The childminder has attended mandatory training, including first aid and safeguarding, so she can support children's well-being.
- The childminder understands her role in safeguarding children. She is aware of the signs and symptoms that may cause concern and what to do if she is concerned about children's welfare. She carries out appropriate risk assessments for her home and for outings.
- The childminder understands the importance of working in partnership with parents, to keep them up to date with their children's care and learning 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.

What the setting needs to do to improve further

To meet the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage the provider must:

- develop knowledge and understanding of the learning and development requirements in order to plan challenging activities that provide depth and breadth across the educational programme using children's next steps in learning.

Inspection activities

- The inspector spoke with the childminder to establish her knowledge of the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage and her ability to support children's care and learning needs.
- The inspector sampled some documents, including written policies and procedures.
- The inspector inspected the areas within the home used for childminding.

Inspector

Samantha Smith

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY339871
Local authority	Enfield
Inspection number	815222
Type of provision	Childminder
Registration category	Childminder
Age range of children	0 - 8
Total number of places	4
Number of children on roll	4
Name of provider	
Date of previous inspection	18 January 2012
Telephone number	

The childminder registered in 2006. She lives on the third floor of a block of flats in Edmonton in the London Borough of Enfield. Access is via six flights of stairs. There were no children present at the time of the inspection.

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