

Childminder report

Inspection date:

8 April 2022

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Met

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder knows how to protect children's welfare. She is aware of the signs and symptoms that may raise a concern about a child's safety. The childminder understands the local procedures to follow to report any concerns that she might have. She is aware of broader child protection issues that can have an impact on children, such as online safety, radicalisation and domestic violence.
- The childminder knows how to promote children's learning and development. She describes how she will plan enjoyable and inclusive activities to help all children to learn. The childminder explains how she intends to monitor children's progress to identify any gaps in their learning. She discusses how she will involve parents and other professionals, should children need additional support.
- The childminder recognises the importance of working in partnership with parents. She plans to share information about children's progress with their parents and help them to support their children's learning at home.
- The childminder describes how she will be a good role model and promote children's positive behaviour. She is aware of promoting consistent boundaries to help children to feel safe and secure.
- The childminder explains how she will promote children's good health and well-being. For example, she talks about how she will provide healthy meals and snacks, and help children to learn about the importance of a healthy lifestyle. The childminder describes how she will ensure that children have plenty of fresh air and physical exercise.
- The childminder keeps up to date with mandatory training, such as safeguarding, food hygiene and paediatric first aid. She describes how she will evaluate the service that she provides and ask parents for their feedback. The childminder will use this information to make improvements to her setting.

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	EY421165
Local authority	Leeds
Inspection number	10117505
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	7 to 7
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	2
Date of previous inspection	9 December 2015

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2010 and lives in Horsforth, Leeds. She currently operates during term time from 8am until 9am and from 3pm until 6.30pm, Monday to Friday.

Information about this inspection

Inspector
Clare Cotton

Inspection activities

- This was the first routine inspection the childminder received since the COVID-19 pandemic began. The inspector discussed the impact of the pandemic with the childminder and has taken that into account in her evaluation of the setting.
- The childminder showed the inspector the areas of her home that are used for childminding.
- The inspector looked at relevant documentation, including the suitability of members of the household and the childminder's paediatric first-aid qualification.
- The childminder and inspector discussed how the childminder intends to deliver educational programmes for children.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she will safeguard children and how she will evaluate her provision to strive for continuous improvement.

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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