

Childminder report

Inspection date	26 June 2019
Previous inspection date	7 March 2016

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

Summary of key findings for parents

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder offers a welcoming, stimulating, home-from-home childcare service to help promote children's emotional well-being.
- The childminder knows how to plan a variety of activities and experiences to meet the different ages of children and to help support their learning. She understands the importance of monitoring children's progress to help identify any gaps in their learning.
- The childminder recognises the importance of physical exercise and healthy lifestyles. She says children have plenty of time outdoors. For example, children feed ducks at the local river and visit a local community garden.
- The childminder understands the importance of continually evaluating her childcare service. She regularly reviews her policies and procedures in line with current legislation and guidance.
- The childminder understands how to keep children safe. She regularly updates her safeguarding and child protection knowledge. She is very clear about what she would do if she had a concern about a child's safety and the local procedures to report her concerns.
- The childminder recognises the importance of having positive relationships with parents and staff at other settings that children also attend. She has systems in place to regularly meet with parents and teaching staff to effectively support children's continuity in care and learning.

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 parts of the premises used for childminding.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder her understanding of requirements and how she will support children's learning and care.
- The inspector viewed relevant documentation, including the childminder's public liability insurance, safeguarding policy and procedures, and paediatric first-aid qualification.

Inspector
Jane Morgan

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY424267
Local authority	Sutton
Inspection number	10104840
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	3 - 11
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	6
Date of previous inspection	7 March 2016

The childminder registered in 2011. She lives in Carshalton, Surrey. She holds an appropriate childcare qualification at level 3 and operates from Monday to Friday, before and after school, during term time only.

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