

Childminder report

Inspection date:

22 August 2024

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Not Met (with actions)

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder has addressed the actions raised at the last inspection. She has obtained appropriate public liability insurance and has taken steps to ensure that she understands events that need to be notified to Ofsted, including when new members join her household.
- The childminder demonstrates that she is committed to continuously improving her knowledge and reflecting on her practice. For example, she is currently undertaking a relevant early years qualification. She has access to a range of online training and explains how this supports her to deepen her understanding of how children learn.
- Through discussion, the childminder demonstrates a commitment to providing an inclusive service that meets the needs of all children. She confidently discusses how she will work with parents and other agencies to meet the needs of any child with special educational needs and/or disabilities. She demonstrates a very positive attitude to helping children learn how to celebrate their uniqueness and the diversity of modern Britain.
- The childminder discusses how she will support children to become independent in their self-care skills, such as dressing and toileting. She describes effective strategies to teach children good manners and how to look after the toys and help to tidy away after they have finished playing.
- The childminder plans to provide healthy, nutritious food that meets the dietary requirements of the children who attend her setting. She describes robust mechanisms that she will deploy to meet the health and care needs of all children.

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	EY435987
Local authority	Suffolk
Inspection number	10338378
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	17 October 2023

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2012 and lives in Beccles. She operates all year round, from Monday to Thursday, 7.30am to 5.30pm, except for bank holidays and family holidays.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Terrie Simpson

Inspection activities

- The inspector discussed any continued impact of the pandemic with the childminder and has taken that into account in their evaluation of the childminder.
- The childminder showed the inspector the premises and discussed how they ensure they are safe and suitable.
- The childminder and the inspector discussed how the childminder organises their early years provision, including the aims and rationale for their early years foundation stage curriculum.
- The inspector reviewed the childminder's knowledge of the safeguarding and welfare requirements. She looked at documentation including the childminder's training and insurance documentation, and evidence of the suitability of the members of the household.

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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