

# Childminder report

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Inspection date:

5 March 2025

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

**This  
inspection**

**Met**

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Previous  
inspection

Good

## Summary of key findings

### This provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands the learning and development requirements of the early years foundation stage. She explains how she intends to use a range of teaching skills to meet children's individual learning styles and to support her curriculum. For instance, she plans to focus her curriculum on areas of priority, such as developing children's communication and language skills and kindness.
- The childminder has systems in place to observe and to monitor children's progress. She explains this helps her to swiftly identify any gaps in their learning.
- Through discussion, the childminder explains that she is aware of the importance of understanding children's individual needs. She recognises the importance of working closely with parents and other settings that children attend to help promote continuity of care and learning.
- The childminder is able to describe how she would promote children's positive behaviour effectively. She recognises the importance of helping children to learn to manage their feelings to help them develop good behaviour and positive attitudes to learning. The childminder is aware that this promotes children's self-esteem and helps them to feel secure.
- The childminder understands how to support children's health and well-being. She demonstrates, through discussion, how she intends to provide daily opportunities for children to enjoy fresh air and exercise to promote their physical development and well-being. The childminder plans to share ideas with parents on providing healthy lunches and how to promote children's oral hygiene.
- Through discussion, the childminder demonstrates how she intends to evaluate her practice to identify ways of improving children's experiences. For example, she has accessed training to develop her knowledge on children with English as an additional language to help develop their communication skills.

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

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| <b>Unique reference number</b>                     | EY455116                                                                          |
| <b>Local authority</b>                             | Surrey                                                                            |
| <b>Inspection number</b>                           | 10380339                                                                          |
| <b>Type of provision</b>                           | Childminder                                                                       |
| <b>Registers</b>                                   | Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register |
| <b>Day care type</b>                               | Childminder                                                                       |
| <b>Age range of children at time of inspection</b> | 0 to 0                                                                            |
| <b>Total number of places</b>                      | 6                                                                                 |
| <b>Number of children on roll</b>                  | 0                                                                                 |
| <b>Date of previous inspection</b>                 | 5 June 2019                                                                       |

## Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2013. She lives in Epsom, Surrey. She operates Monday to Friday, from 7.30am to 6pm, for most of the year. The childminder provides funded early education for children aged nine months to four years.

## Information about this inspection

### Inspector

Kelly Lane

### Inspection activities

- The childminder showed the inspector the areas of the house used to care for children.
- The inspector talked with the childminder about how she plans to deliver her curriculum for children.
- The childminder talked to the inspector about how she reflects on her practice.
- The inspector viewed relevant documentation, including the childminder's paediatric first-aid certificate.

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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