

Childminder report

Inspection date:

28 November 2022

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Good

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a good understanding of the safeguarding procedures to follow should she have a concern about the safety or well-being of a child. She is able to risk assess her home to provide a safe and secure environment for children.
- The childminder has a good understanding of the early years foundation stage learning and development requirements. She discusses how she plans suitable learning experiences for children based on their interests and from the assessments she makes of their development.
- The childminder demonstrates a suitable understanding of how to promote positive behaviour. She understands how to support children's emotional well-being. She recognises her role in teaching children to respect and value others.
- The childminder knows how to encourage children to maintain a healthy lifestyle and support their physical development.
- The childminder recognises the importance of having good partnerships with parents and other professionals. She is familiar with sharing information and working together to support children's care and learning needs.
- The childminder understands the need to evaluate her service to stay up to date with requirements and make positive improvements in her practice to benefit 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	EY486590
Local authority	North Tyneside
Inspection number	10258575
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	10 January 2017

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2015 and lives in the Wallsend. She operates all year round from 7.30am to 5.30pm, Monday to Friday, except for bank holidays and family holidays. The childminder provides funded early education for two-, three- and four-year-old children.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Janet Fairhurst

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 provider and has taken that into account in their evaluation of the provider.
- The inspector viewed the areas of the premises that are used for childminding and the resources that the childminder provides.
- The childminder discussed with the inspector how she intends to deliver the educational programmes for children in her care.
- The inspector reviewed a sample of documentation, including the childminder's insurance, and current paediatric first-aid qualification.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she will safeguard children.
- The childminder discussed with the inspector how she plans to continue to evaluate her provision.

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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