

<b>Inspection date</b>	22 January 2015
Previous inspection date	27 March 2012

<b>The quality and standards of the early years provision</b>	<b>This inspection:</b>	<b>Met</b>	
	Previous inspection:	Satisfactory	3
The setting <b>meets legal requirements for early years settings</b>			

## Summary of key findings for parents

### The provision meets requirements

- The childminder has a good understanding of how to support children to acquire the skills to learn and develop effectively. This is because she knows how to use observation and assessment to identify the next stages in children's learning.
- The childminder creates an environment designed to motivate, challenge and engage children while supporting their interests.
- The childminder has an appropriate understanding of how to protect and support the children in her care. She has a written procedure to ensure children are effectively safeguarded.
- The childminder understands how to promote children's well-being. She demonstrates how she will provide children with daily opportunities for fresh air and exercise. She also understands how to positively manage children's behaviour.
- The childminder has effective systems in place to develop partnerships with parents and other providers. This means that she is able to share information to identify children's needs and help them to make good progress.

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 discussed with the provider how she intends to deliver the educational programmes for children within the early years age range.
- The inspector sampled a range of documentation, including policies, procedures and various records, and verified that suitability checks have been completed.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she evaluates the childminding provision and how she intends to make improvements to support children in the future.

### Inspector

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## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	401358
<b>Local authority</b>	North Yorkshire
<b>Inspection number</b>	995130
<b>Type of provision</b>	Childminder
<b>Registration category</b>	Childminder
<b>Age range of children</b>	0 - 17
<b>Total number of places</b>	6
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	13
<b>Name of provider</b>	
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	27 March 2012
<b>Telephone number</b>	

The childminder was registered in 1996. She lives in Goldsborough, near Knaresborough. There are two purpose built rooms, kitchen area and downstairs toilet that are used for childminding and there is an enclosed garden for outside play. She operates all year round from 3.15pm to 6.30pm, Monday to Friday, except bank holidays and family holidays.

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