

# Childminder Report

<b>Inspection date</b>	19 March 2018
Previous inspection date	27 October 2015

<b>The quality and standards of the early years provision</b>	<b>This inspection:</b>	<b>Met</b>	
	Previous inspection:	Good	2

## Summary of key findings for parents

### The provision meets requirements

- The childminder is aware of signs and symptoms of abuse. She demonstrates a secure knowledge of how to report any concerns that she may have about a child's welfare. The childminder understands the importance of risk assessing her home.
- The childminder extends a warm and friendly welcome. She demonstrates a good understanding of how children learn. She is aware that children learn in different ways and that she needs to provide appropriate challenges to help them make progress.
- The childminder discusses how to support children's good health. She understands the importance of taking children out for fresh air and exercise.
- The childminder values opportunities for training and self-evaluation. She states how this helps to keep her up to date with changes in legislation and to develop her knowledge and skills further.
- The childminder appreciates the benefits of working closely with parents. She explains the importance of offering an inclusive setting, and helping children to settle and to feel safe and secure in her care.

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 childminder how she plans to meet children's individual learning and development needs, and how she will observe, assess and plan to support children's progress.
- The inspector discussed the policies and procedures with the childminder and viewed documentation that she intends to use when caring for children.
- The inspector had a tour of the areas of the premises used by children and discussed the equipment and toys available.
- The inspector discussed the safeguarding and welfare requirements with the childminder.
- The inspector checked evidence of the suitability of all household members over 16 years of age and checked evidence of the childminder's qualifications.

### Inspector

Sharon Alleary

## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	141164
<b>Local authority</b>	Waltham Forest
<b>Inspection number</b>	1127120
<b>Type of provision</b>	Childminder
<b>Day care type</b>	Childminder
<b>Registers</b>	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
<b>Age range of children</b>	5 - 6
<b>Total number of places</b>	6
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	2
<b>Name of registered person</b>	
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	27 October 2015
<b>Telephone number</b>	

The childminder registered in 1993 and she lives in the London Borough of Waltham Forest. She operates all year round, from 7am to 6pm on Monday to Friday, except bank holidays and family holidays.

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