

Childminder report

Inspection date	29 March 2019
Previous inspection date	11 September 2015

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

Summary of key findings for parents

This provision meets requirements

- The childminder understands how to observe and monitor children's progress, to help her plan and provide a range of activities to promote children's learning.
- The childminder knows what to do if she has a concern about the welfare of a child. She understands how to keep children safe and carries out regular risk assessments of the environment to help her minimise risk.
- The childminder recognises the importance of working with parents to help her to meet individual children's care and learning needs.
- The childminder knows how to help children feel safe and secure and she prepares them well for the next stage of their learning.
- The childminder supports children's emotional well-being and teaches them about people's differences.
- The childminder remains focused on her professional development and evaluates her progress, researching and updating her knowledge to ensure the best outcomes for children.
- The childminder works with external agencies, securing appropriate support for children when needed.

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 the childminder's knowledge and understanding of safeguarding children.
- The inspector observed and discussed how the childminder would maintain a safe and welcoming environment for children.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder about how she plans to meet children's individual care needs.
- The inspector asked the childminder about how she plans to provide a range of activities and experiences to support children's learning.

Inspector

Anna Fisk

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY431742
Local authority	Kent
Inspection number	10063818
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children	6 - 8
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	5
Date of previous inspection	11 September 2015

The childminder registered in 2011 and lives in Longfield, Kent. She operates from Monday to Friday all year round.

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