

Inspection of Bloom Children's Day Nurseries and Out of School Clubs

103 Kemble Street, Prescott L34 5SG

Inspection date:

13 January 2025

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Not applicable

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- Through a tour of the premises, the provider demonstrates a good understanding of risk assessment. He describes thorough risk assessment procedures and how to identify and remove any hazards prior to children attending.
- The provider understands the importance of establishing a key-person system. He explains the expectations of staff, such as creating effective and trusting bonds with children and their families from the beginning.
- The provider has completed training to help him identify and respond to any concerns about children in his care. He understands how to keep children safe and how to ensure that staff know and understand the procedures.
- The provider knows how to create an environment that encourages children to play and enjoy themselves. He intends to provide children with various opportunities, such as science experiments and learning about people who help us.
- The provider intends to provide regular one-to-one meetings with his staff. This gives staff the opportunity to discuss any potential issues with workload, well-being and their ongoing suitability to work with children.
- The provider has a positive attitude to providing an inclusive service, where all children are welcome. He understands how to adapt his service to ensure that all children will benefit from the opportunities available.
- The provider describes how he will promote positive behaviour. For example, he explains how to set age-appropriate rules and boundaries for all children. The provider explains staff will use positive praise to keep children motivated.
- The provider understands how to promote children's independence. For example, he plans to encourage children to choose and make their own snack. The provider also demonstrates how children will be encouraged to be independent in their self-care, such as washing and drying their own hands.

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	2794625
Local authority	Knowsley Metropolitan Borough Council
Inspection number	10381253
Type of provision	Childcare on non-domestic premises
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Out-of-school day care
Age range of children at time of inspection	6 to 11
Total number of places	16
Number of children on roll	8
Name of registered person	Johnson, Mark
Registered person unique reference number	2794627
Telephone number	07825059326
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable

Information about this early years setting

Bloom Children's Day Nurseries and Out of School Clubs registered in 2024. The out-of-school club employs two members of childcare staff, including the manager. Of these, two hold appropriate early years qualifications. The club is open from 7.30am to 9am and from 3pm to 6pm, Monday to Friday, during term time only.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Jade Patten

Inspection activities

- The inspector viewed the provision and discussed the safety and suitability of the premises.
- The inspector reviewed documentation, including the suitability of staff working at the setting.
- The inspector looked at policies and documents the provider will use when caring for children and discussed self-evaluation and improvement plans.

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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