

Inspection of Fun 4 Kidz - LIPA

LIPA Primary School, Upper Duke Street, Liverpool, Merseyside L1 7BT

Inspection date:

19 September 2025

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Met

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- Leaders recognise the value of offering a diverse range of activities that reflect and support each child's individual needs and interests. They explain that additional enrichment opportunities will be provided to broaden children's experiences and support their learning.
- Leaders and staff recognise the importance of building strong relationships with the host school, parents and external agencies. Through professional discussion, they show how these partnerships help ensure children experience a smooth transition into the club and that their individual needs are consistently met. For instance, younger children are assigned a key person to provide tailored support.
- Leaders ensure that effective risk assessments are in place to keep the premises and childcare areas safe and suitable. They describe how they follow safer recruitment procedures to confirm the suitability of all adults working with children. Additionally, leaders recognise the importance of providing strong supervision, support and ongoing training to develop staff knowledge and skills.
- Leaders understand how to nurture children's emotional well-being and encourage positive behaviour. They emphasise the importance of allowing children to make choices, playing games to foster friendships, and using praise and encouragement as effective rewards.
- Leaders recognise the importance of educating children about healthy lifestyles. They explain how they will plan activities that encourage balanced diets and provide regular chances for outdoor physical activity. Additionally, they will promote good health by teaching children hygiene practices, such as washing hands after using the toilet, to help reduce the spread of infection.
- Leaders recognise the importance of helping children develop a positive attitude towards diversity and respect for differences. They describe how they plan to achieve this through discussions, celebrating the children's cultural backgrounds and exploring festivals celebrated by the wider community.

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	EY481016
Local authority	Liverpool
Inspection number	10398772
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	5 to 11
Total number of places	50
Number of children on roll	64
Name of registered person	Fun 4 Kidz
Registered person unique reference number	RP521519
Telephone number	0151 932 9218
Date of previous inspection	8 November 2019

Information about this early years setting

Fun 4 Kidz - LIPA registered in 2014. The club employs three members of childcare staff. All hold appropriate early years qualifications at level 2 or above. The club opens from Monday to Friday in term time only. Sessions are from 8am until 9am, and 3.20pm until 6pm.

Information about this inspection

Inspector
Kelly Little

Inspection activities

- The inspector viewed the provision and discussed the safety and suitability of the premises.
- The manager showed the inspector documentation to demonstrate the suitability of staff.
- The inspector talked to staff at appropriate times during the inspection and took account of their views.
- Although there were no children in the early years age group present at the time of this inspection, there were children present who were over the age of five years. Children spoke to the inspector about what they enjoy doing while at the club.

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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