

Inspection of Ladybirds

St Bartholomews Cofe Primary School, Leaveslake Drove, West Pinchbeck,
Spalding, Lincolnshire PE11 3QJ

Inspection date: 10 December 2019

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

**This
inspection**

Met

Previous
inspection

Not applicable

Summary of key findings

This provision meets requirements

- The provider understands her duty to keep children safe and can recognise the indicators that may cause her concern about the welfare of a child. She knows how to refer any concerns she or staff may have. Furthermore, the provider understands how to recognise if a child is at risk of being exposed to extreme ideas or behaviours.
- The provider discusses how staff will plan and provide a range of activities that build on children's interests and complement their learning in school.
- The provider demonstrates that she has a good knowledge of positive methods to use to manage children's behaviour effectively.
- The provider has a clear understanding of how to help young children form close bonds and attachments, to support their emotional development. She describes how staff will support and encourage children to adopt healthy hygiene routines.
- The provider understands the importance of establishing partnerships with parents and teachers to have a shared approach to meeting children's needs.
- The provider uses self-evaluation to recognise the strengths of the club and to identify any areas for improvement. The provider meets regularly with the staff team and offers yearly one-to-one supervision meetings. She uses this opportunity to discuss individual training needs.

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.

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY550224
Local authority	Lincolnshire
Inspection number	10130734
Type of provision	Childcare on non-domestic premises
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register
Day care type	Out-of-school day care
Age range of children	5 to 11
Total number of places	30
Number of children on roll	27
Name of registered person	Ladybirds Pre-School Playgroup Committee
Registered person unique reference number	RP909830
Telephone number	01775640848
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable

Information about this early years setting

Ladybirds registered in 2017 and operates from St Bartholomews C of E Primary School in West Pinchbeck, Lincolnshire. The club operates Monday to Friday during term time only, from 7.45am until 8.45am and 3.15pm until 5.45pm.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Sharon Alleary

Inspection activities

- The inspector held a meeting with the provider to discuss their understanding of the early years foundation stage.
- The inspector looked at documentation relating to staff suitability, safeguarding and children's information records.
- The inspector toured the areas of the premises used by children and looked at the equipment and toys available.
- The inspector discussed the safeguarding and welfare requirements with the provider.

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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