

## Local Offer: Childminders



Special Educational  
Needs & Disability

<b>1. Business name and Ofsted number:</b> Cheryl Sims EY262448
<b>2. Who is your named Special Educational Needs and Disability contact?</b> Sarah Allum
<b>3. Provide a short paragraph about your ethos/mission statement for including children and young people with Special Educational Need and Disability (SEND). How do you aim to meet the unique needs of the child?</b>
I ensure that my provision is inclusive to all children with special education needs. I would attend training if required.
<b>4. How do you identify that a child is not meeting appropriate age related milestones and what do you do in this case? How do you find out what matters to the child and their family?</b>
I use my observations and work in partnership with parents and other agencies.
<b>5. How do you promote positive relationships and ensure good, ongoing communication with families? How will families know what progress their children are making, how to access additional support and what they can do at home to help?</b>
I would ensure that I work closely with parents of children with special education needs to create and maintain a positive partnership.
<b>6. How will you communicate with other providers who care for a child, or with providers who will be caring for the child? How do you support children to experience a smooth transition to school or a different situation?</b>
I would liaise with other professionals that were involved and ensure a smooth transition.
<b>7. How do you provide an enabling environment for all the children in your care? Are there quiet areas and fully accessible spaces? What other adjustments can you make? What about the physical environment in and outside your setting?</b>
I would provide a broad, balanced and differentiated curriculum for the children in my care. I don't have wheelchair access at the moment.
<b>8. What qualities, skills and experience do you (and your staff) have to support a child's unique needs?</b>
I don't have any experience of working with children with special educational needs but I am open to learn or attend training sessions.