

Local Offer: Childminders



Special Educational
Needs & Disability

1.	Business name and Ofsted number: Jennifer Offer EY288464
2.	Who is your named Special Educational Needs and Disability contact?
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?
	I will make reasonable adjustments and adapt activities to ensure all children feel included, valued and supported.
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?
	EYFS Journal. I will work with parents and other agencies as appropriate to promote my equal opportunity policy.
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?
	Daily diary, talk, phone call, learning journal, outside agencies meeting – 3 way: parents, outside agency and myself.
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?
	Meetings, phone calls ect. Settle in time, follow routine, talk to the child. School can offer story time ect.
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?
	Review, monitor and evaluate. Yes. My house is quite small, there are steps at the front and rear, so wheelchair access would not be possible.
8.	What qualities, skills and experience do you (and your staff) have to support a child's unique needs?
	I work with the Shaw Trust offering overnight rest bite care and have done for the past 2 years. I have also cared for a small boy with additional needs in the school holidays, and a

baby with a rare syndrome and developmental delay. I have written references from parents to support the high level of support and care that I am able to offer a child with additional needs.