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Dear Parent/Carer

In April 2026, a team of HM Inspectors of Education visited Fun Little Education. During our visit, we talked to parents/carers and worked closely with the head of setting and practitioners.

The inspection team found the following strengths in the setting's work.

- The strong identity the staff share. Together they understand well the needs of the bilingual children and families who attend the setting. As a result, children are secure and develop positive relationships as they play alongside children of all ages.

- Staff who use gesture, singing, music and carefully chosen vocabulary effectively with children. The team create a welcoming, caring and respectful learning ethos which is supporting all children to feel secure, be ready to play and to learn.

The following areas for improvement were identified and discussed with the head of setting and a representative from West Lothian Council.

- Staff should continue to develop the curriculum to provide all children with appropriate levels of challenge.

- Senior leaders should continue to support staff to improve the quality of learning and teaching. In doing so, staff should increase opportunities for children to use technology to enhance their learning.

- Staff should improve their skills and confidence in recording observations of children's learning. They should work with parents to set clearer and more specific targets for children who need additional support with their learning. This will better support them to identify, measure and celebrate the progress children make in their learning.

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We gathered evidence to enable us to evaluate some of the setting's work using three quality indicators from the Quality improvement framework for the early learning and childcare sectors. Quality indicators help early learning and childcare settings, local authorities and inspectors to judge what is working well and what needs to be improved. Following the inspection of each setting, the Scottish Government gathers details of our evaluations to keep track of how well Scottish early learning and childcare settings are doing.

Here are HMIE's evaluations for Fun Little Education

Quality indicators	Evaluation
Curriculum	**satisfactory**
Learning, teaching and assessment	**satisfactory**
Wellbeing, inclusion and equality	**satisfactory**
Descriptions of the evaluations are available from: Quality improvement framework for the early learning and childcare sectors	

A more detailed document called Summarised Inspection Findings (SIF) will be available on the HMIE website at:
Fun Little Education | Inspection Report | His Majesty's Inspectorate of Education in Scotland

What happens next?

We are confident that the setting has the capacity to continue to improve and so we will make no more visits in connection with this inspection. West Lothian Council will inform parents/carers about the setting's progress as part of its arrangements for reporting on the quality of its settings.

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On behalf of His Majesty's Chief Inspector of Education in Scotland

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