



# Cool Kidz @ Langho

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## OFSTED REPORT SUMMARY – February 2020

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Billington & Langho Community Centre, Whalley Road, Blackburn, BB6 8AB

### **This provision is MET**

- Staff have high expectations of children's behaviour. Children have been supported to develop their own club rules and they openly show kindness to each other. Staff skilfully support children to manage their feelings. Older children support younger children to succeed as they build in the construction area, which strengthens wider friendships.
- Staff inspire children with creative, exciting play opportunities. Children can self-select resources to enhance their interests. Well-planned activities ensure all children are deeply engaged in play. Staff are extremely well organised, knowing which areas they are responsible for that day.
- Children share and celebrate their school achievements with the staff team. Children also discuss how they have started the knitting club and are making scarves for people who are homeless.
- Parents speak highly of the club and the staff. They report that their children are always happy to attend. Parents describe how the club has helped them return to work as they know their child enjoys attending and has made new friendships.
- Staff use high-quality interactions with children to discuss environmental issues. Children are encouraged to talk about recycling and what they might do to help. Activities, such as junk-modelling, enable the children to see another use for packaging. Children each have a scrapbook for mark making so they take ownership of their paper use.
- Cultural diversity and communities are celebrated in the club. Children have recently taken part in some yoga and meditation and have found out about its origin. Children celebrated Chinese New Year with food tasting and they also made Chinese writing scrolls and frames. Staff create language-rich opportunities to promote discussion about how unique we all are and the differences between families.
- Staff's encouragement helps children to grow in confidence. They provide opportunities to promote independence.
- Staff know children incredibly well. They are very knowledgeable about how to plan for children's interests and they ensure that all children thrive in a rich learning environment.

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