

Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report

Type of Inspection:
Monitoring Inspection

Pursuant to section 21 of the *Early Childhood Services Act*, operators of licensed early learning and childcare facilities must post their most recent inspection report in a clearly visible and prominent place in the facility.

Name of operator Kinderland Day Care Centre (2001) Ltd.	Licence Number 525076	Inspection Date August 14, 2025	
Facility Name Kinderland Daycare Centre		Telephone Number (506) 453-0193	
Address 170 Canada Street Fredericton NB E3A 3Z8			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Lindsay Lewis		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

General Comments

Licensing Staff arrived at the facility to perform a Monitoring Inspection. Upon arrival, all classes were outside playing in the fenced in outdoor play space. The 2-year-old class was observed having morning snack outside, while the other classes transitioned inside to use the washroom and prepare to have snack inside. As the children finished morning snack, a small group was observed drawing and coloring pictures, building with snowflake tiles and others sat as an Educator read "Dragon Loves Tacos". The tables and floors were cleaned after snack was finished and the classes went back outside.

Water bottles, first aid kits and attendance records were brought outside. Materials such as lego, coloring sheets and markers were brought outside and set up at a picnic table. The Educators were well spread out while outside. A small group of children were observed scooping and pouring sand into a bowl as they made "cake" for their peers. An Educator was observed sitting in the sandbox, engaged in play with the children. Throughout the morning, the children were observed jumping, climbing, using the swings and slides and using chalk to create artwork on flower shaped chalkboards. The transition inside for lunch time was smooth. The facility staggers the transition inside to allow the children space and time to get indoor shoes on and use the washroom. The 2-year-old classroom was the first to go inside, followed by the 3-year-old class. Proper hand washing was observed before the children sat at the table for lunch.

Staff files were reviewed during today's Monitoring Inspection as there were new staff on site today. Files were organized and contained all required documents. A conversation was had on site with the Operator regarding a lack of materials in the 3-year-old classroom. A play kitchen was observed in the classroom, however it lacked accessories such as spoons, plates, bowls, play food etc. As per the Operator Manual, "Open ended play materials and equipment in sufficient quantity and variety for the size of the group and representative of each of the following categories is present, for example:

- art materials including loose parts;
- blocks and accessories;
- language and literacy;
- dramatic play;
- music and movement;

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- large muscle (gross motor);
- manipulative and fine motor;
- sand and water play;
- puzzles and games;
- materials that support mathematical learning; and
- materials that support learning in science and technology"

As per the discussion with the operator, play material is to be added to the 3 year old room and will be monitored in future Inspections.

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Lindsay Lewis

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

August 15, 2025

Date

original signed by
Shonna Sturgeon

Signature of Operator/Designate

August 15, 2025

Date