



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 New Maryland Children's Centre Ltd.	Licence Number 2005262	Inspection Date September 24, 2024	
Facility Name New Maryland Children's Centre		Telephone Number (506) 457-1551	
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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, the 2-year-old class was outside playing, the 3's were getting up from quiet time and the 4's were preparing to go outside. The 2's were seen playing outside with buckets, shovels and trucks in the large sandbox. Others were playing on the tires and pushing a shopping cart around the playground. Water bottles and hats were brought outside.

In the 3's room the children who were awake were reading quietly at a table as they waited to use the bathroom and wash their hands for afternoon snack. After snack the children went outside, and an Educator stayed in and was seen doing end of day cleaning. The 4's brought their lunch boxes outside and were observed having a picnic in the shade. '

Pre-planning is evident in the classrooms. Downstairs in the 4's class as you enter the classroom, the entire wall is filled with webbing, pictures and learning stories. The children read "The Rainbow Fish" and have the book on display. The children did a "Clean the Ocean" water table activity where they removed all the "garbage" from the water. They also did a class discussion on "Happy or Sad. What should be in our Ocean?". The room is full of natural elements such as a small wooden treehouse with wooden dolls, chairs and stairs. In the play kitchen area there are pots, pans, a coffee machine, tea kettle and empty jars.

During today's visit positive child guidance was observed. Educators offered hugs to children, were attentive to their needs and were seen intervening in a positive way when needed, "Here buddy, come this way with me", "Let's remember to use our gentle hands". When playing outside, please ensure all areas of the playground are supervised at all times.

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Lindsay Lewis

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

September 24, 2024

Date

original signed by
Brittany King

September 24, 2024

Signature of Operator/Designate

Date