



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 Dunn Learning Academy Inc.	Licence Number 2017204	Inspection Date August 09, 2024	
Facility Name Dunn Learning Academy - Montessori/Afterschool Program		Telephone Number (506) 292-1788	
Address 572 New Maryland Hwy New Maryland NB E3C 1K1			
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
10(8) For the purposes of this section, an infant may only be grouped with children of a mixed-age group outside the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and on the condition that the infant is grouped with preschool children and other infants.	10(8)	Aug 23, 2024	
Comments: Infants and the 2-Year-Old Class were outside in the gated playground together.			

General Comments
<p>Licensing Staff arrived at Facility to perform a Monitoring Inspection. Upon arrival, the Infant and 2 Year classroom were in the process of waking up from nap time. The transition from nap time to snack was calm and smooth. Children were given books and Pop it Fidget toys on their bed as they woke and were waiting to use the washroom and wash hands. Educators in the 2's room were attentive to the children's needs, encouraging them to get their shoes on and offering help if needed. In the Infants room, one Educator was observed doing Diaper Changes while the other Educator got chairs and snacks ready. Educators were observed sitting with the infants during snack time, laughing and talking to them. Once snack time was over, tables were cleaned, and the floors were swept.</p> <p>In the preschool room they are talking about Holidays this week. Today was all about Valentine's Day. Children enjoyed decorating a paper bag and were making a special craft to give to a friend. The Educators were engaged with the children and were heard offering praise , "Awesome job cleaning up!" "That is your name, good job!". A 5 minute clean up warning was given. Before getting ready for outside, the children gathered, and an Educator read them a story and sang a song.</p> <p>The afterschool group was enjoying free exploration before having snack. A group of children were making emoji puppets and a felt red curtain. They were going to perform an Emoji play for the preschool class. Another group of children were seen making bracelets with an Educator while others-built cars with K'nex. All rooms were organized and tidy during inspection. Documentation of preplanning, artwork, family walls, webbing and calming corners were observed in all the classrooms. The children's belongings were labeled, and cubby areas were tidy. Each classroom is bright, with lots of natural light, plants and wooden materials.</p> <p>Reminder to please ensure monthly Fire Drills, and First Aid Checklists are being documented at the time of completion.</p>

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Lindsay Lewis

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

August 08, 2024

Date

original signed by
Lisa Dunn

Signature of Operator/Designate

August 08, 2024

Date