

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 LITTLE HARVARD EARLY LEARNING CENTRE INC	Licence Number 2017973	Inspection Date December 06, 2024
Facility Name LITTLE HARVARD AFTER SCHOOL HAVELOCK CAMPUS		Telephone Number (506) 632-1300
Address 576 Havelock Street Saint John NB E2M 2Y2		
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Robyn Nelson		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children. Comments: The chain link outdoor fence is damaged and requires repair or replacement.	31(3)	Jan 10, 2025	
39(2) A licensed facility shall have a separate locked storage space that is inaccessible to the children for each of the following: (a) toxic products, chemical products and cleaning supplies; Comments: Two cleaners unlocked in washrooms. Cleaning supplies to be locked and inaccessible to children at all times.	39(2)(a)	Dec 04, 2024	Dec 04, 2024

General Comments
<p>A Monitoring Inspection occurred on December 4, 2024.</p> <p>During the visit, children engaged in both indoor and outdoor free play, as well as snack time. Proper handwashing practices were followed during the transition to snack, ensuring hygiene standards were maintained. Educators shared that the children are currently interested in activities such as outdoor basketball, building with Lego, and finger painting using loose parts. Positive language and gentle reminders were observed in educator-child interactions, and educators actively participated in outdoor play with the children.</p> <p>The facility demonstrated compliance with safety and operational protocols. A daily incident log is maintained, and parents are informed of incidents through report forms as needed. Parents of enrolled children are granted access to the center at any time. Monthly emergency evacuations are conducted and documented, with evacuation procedures prominently displayed. Licensing documents, inspection reports, and compliance orders are posted in a visible location. Additionally, the facility posts the daily routine and life-threatening allergy information for staff awareness.</p> <p>The environment supports learning and exploration, with well-defined play and learning areas and children's artwork displayed throughout the facility. Selected books reflect the children's interests, and traffic and outdoor areas are kept clean and free of hazards. Opportunities for individual and group experiences are integrated alongside literacy activities and creative exploration. Children have chances to engage in the arts, sciences, problem-solving, and relationship-building, fostering a trusting and supportive environment.</p>

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Robyn Nelson

December 06, 2024

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

Date

Signature of Operator/Designate

Date