

Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report

Type of Inspection:
Renewal 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 Munchkins Preschool Inc.		Inspection Date August 19, 2026	
Facility Name Munchkins Clubhouse 2017		Licence Number 2017993	
Address 2288 640 Route Hanwell NB E3E 2E8		Telephone Number (506) 474-1843	
Type of Facility Part-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre	Maximum Number of Children 30		Ages of Children PRESCHOOL SCHOOL-AGE
ELCC Licensing Staff Renée LeBlanc	Position Title Inspector		

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
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General Comments

Upon licensing staff's arrival, children were seated at the table eating snack. Educators and children were engaged in conversations about the food they were eating. One educator noted that Bear Paws have quotes printed on the back of the wrappers and invited the children who had them to share the quotes they found, facilitating a short discussion around them.

Children were also observed showing the inspector the crafts they had created, which were displayed on the walls. An art activity was set up on the floor where a large piece of paper had been taped down, allowing children to freely draw and create.

After snack, children assisted educators with cleaning up. Educators encouraged independence by allowing children to participate in the process. Following snack, children engaged in free play. During this time, an educator played a game with the children where they slid through the educator's legs pretending to be "race cars." Children were observed laughing and making car noises while participating in the activity.

The group then transitioned to outdoor play. As the ground was wet, children wore their mud suits. Outside, children played with shovels, toy cars, and the play structures. Many children were engaged in messy play with mud, water, and snow. Educators were observed actively supervising while also engaging with the children in play, including pretend play when children offered them "drinks." Supervision remained constant while educators maintained active interaction with the children.

The indoor environment displayed many examples of learning stories documented throughout the walls. One area included a lunar calendar activity corner, while another documented children exploring schemas related to "their bodies moving through space."

As this is a half-day program, all children had left by noon.

The afterschool group arrived at approximately 2:30 p.m. Children entered the building, put away their belongings, and brought their snacks outside to eat. After snack, children explored the outdoor environment.

General Comments

They were observed exploring the creeks, mud, and forest areas while looking for moss, rocks, mushrooms, and clay. The educator was engaged with the children as they searched for these items and explained different types of moss and mushrooms.

Throughout the visit, only positive child guidance was observed. Staff and child files were verified.

Licensing staff recommends the program for renewal.

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Renée LeBlanc

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

August 19, 2026

Date

original signed by
Lori Nicholls

Signature of Operator/Designated staff

August 19, 2026

Date

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"