

## 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 Jason Amato	Licence Number 2019489	Inspection Date November 24, 2022	
Facility Name Forest Park Childcare		Telephone Number (506) 440-4268	
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Kelsey Colford		Position Title Inspector	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
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;	39(2)(a)	Nov 24, 2022	Nov 24, 2022
Comments: Lysol cleaning spray was stored on a shelf out of reach of the children to enable the administrator to quickly sanitize items during the Covid-19 pandemic, as recommended. The administrator moved this spray to the locked cleaning supplies cupboard during the inspection and will store it there while not in use going forward.			

### General Comments

During the inspection the children engaged in a wide variety of activities. There were inviting, accessible stations with blocks, a play kitchen, and books available. The administrator set up invitations for playdough play, sensory bins, a snowman word game, and a shaving cream puffy paint art activity. The children were also observed engaging in pretend play with costumes, using the small slide in the indoor space, and flipping through the large documentation binder pointing out photos of themselves in learning stories as well as photos of their pets which were brought in from home. The learning space had a terrarium with environment for stick bugs which the children were able to observe.

The administrator prompted children, when needed, to wash their hands, play gently with friends, and to prepare for transitions to the next part of the routine. She actively engaged in conversation and activities with the children throughout the inspection. The administrator was available to help with activities when needed and asked, such as with help with writing activities and with velcroing costumes but encouraged independence where possible, encouraging children to sharpen pencils, use their safety scissors, and apply glue to their own projects.

Documentation of learning was present on the walls throughout the space at an eye-level the children could engage with. It included artwork completed by the children and learning stories with photos and descriptions of the activities of each child at the centre.

Music played throughout the inspection and children sang or danced along. The children had instruments available to them and played with them. Children had the snacks on the menu and had lunch from home. After the afternoon snack they went outside to play. The administrator encouraged as much as independence as the children were capable of with dressing warmly for outdoors.

General Comments

I recommend this licence for renewal.

original signed by  
Kelsey Colford

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

November 24, 2022

Date

original signed by  
Shoshanna Amato

Signature of Operator/Designate

November 24, 2022

Date