

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.

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| Name of operator Fredericton Montessori Academy Inc. | Licence Number 2019587 | Inspection Date August 06, 2025 | |
| Facility Name Fredericton Montessori Academy - Casa | | Telephone Number (506) 444-6249 | |
| Address 131 Duncan Lane Fredericton NB E3B 7S2 | | | |
| Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Tanya Gaudet | | Position Title Inspector | |
| Order for Compliance | Regulation | Date to be corrected | Date corrected |
| 12(3) An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that a criminal record check or a vulnerable sector check, as the case may, and a check with the Department of Social Development is conducted on each staff member and associated person at least every five years. | 12(3) | Aug 06, 2025 | |
| Comments: While reviewing educator files, licensing staff noted one educator's Social Development Check has expired and will need to be updated. Once updated the operator will send along the updated Social Development Check. | | | |

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| General Comments |
| <p>Licensing staff arrived at the licensed facility to conduct the yearly license renewal inspection.</p> <p>Children were being signed in on the mandated attendance record as they were arriving for the day.</p> <p>The educators also signed in on a separate attendance record form daily to track attendance.</p> <p>The children and educators began the day outside in the outdoor environment. While outdoors, a few children were exploring the environment and collecting live caterpillars to put into a container the children created as a caterpillar habitat. The children stayed outdoors until just before lunch time. Before eating lunch, the children sat down and interacted with the operator as she read the children a book on "safari animals."</p> <p>Once the children finished eating their lunch, the educators and children sat in a circle and created their own "Animal Expert" story before having a quiet time. Some children went on a mat for a nap while the remaining children engaged in quiet time activities.</p> <p>Throughout the inspection the educators were observed engaging with the children at the child's level and interacted positively with the children.</p> <p>According to 36(7) of the Early Childhood Services Act, nap mats are at least 5 cm in thickness and are stored so there is no contact with another nap mat or they are disinfected on both sides after each use. Please ensure the mats the children use for their nap are at least 5 cm in thickness.</p> |

General Comments

While reviewing staff files, licensing staff was unable to review the file for the driver of the bus. Please send along this file, containing all required documentation, to licensing staff before the beginning of the school year.

original signed by
Tanya Gaudet

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

August 06, 2025

Date

original signed by
Laura MacDonald

Signature of Operator/Designate

August 06, 2025

Date