

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 Leann Waddell	Licence Number 2019660	Inspection Date July 11, 2024
Facility Name Waddle In After School Learning Centre		Telephone Number (506) 608-1580
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Britta Garnett		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
33(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide outdoor play area materials and equipment that are varied and in sufficient quantity for the number and ages of the children receiving services at the licensed facility.	33(1)	Jul 11, 2024	
Comments: Senior Group: Outdoor play materials depleted. Outdoor play materials to be set-up outdoors each day. Examples of materials to include, but are not limited to: balls, pots, pans, utensils, bowls, pylons, small vehicles, plants, art materials, clipboards, rulers, books, loose parts, tools, nets, magnifying glasses, containers (for bug catching/dumping/pouring), water play materials, mark making materials and materials that support the children's interests.			
33(2) Stationary equipment in the outdoor play area shall be surrounded by a protective surfacing and installed according to the manufacturer's instructions.	33(2)	Jul 15, 2024	
Comments: Surfacing: Surfacing under playground structure pooling away from fall zones. Ensure surfacing is raked regularly to prevent pooling under structure.			
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)	Jun 19, 2024	Jul 10, 2024
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			

General Comments
<p>Monitoring Inspection:</p> <p>Children and educators observed during outdoor play, transition times, washroom routines and snack time. Each indoor play area is set-up with a variety of materials and invitations for when the children return from outdoor play.</p> <p>Transition times observed to be long, children in the senior group were observed to be required to sit on the stairs quietly and wait for an extended period of time. Recommend planning for transition times to help minimize wait times and challenging behaviors.</p>

General Comments

QA Monitor discussed the importance of setting up the outdoor play area with materials and invitations with the staff. A variety of materials and activities ensures children will be engaged.

Hand washing routines observed.

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Britta Garnett

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

July 11, 2024

Date

original signed by
L. Waddell

Signature of Operator/Designate

July 11, 2024

Date