

## 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	Licence Number		Inspection	Inspection Date	
Jamie Brideau	2020079		October 1	October 19, 2021	
Facility Name			Telephone	e Number	
Play Learn Grow			(506) 426-0506		
Address					
25 Richard Street Perth-Andover NB E7H 3N7					
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff		Position	Position Title		
Mary Ramsay-Irving		Quality	Assurance Monit	rance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation		Date to be corrected	Date corrected	

## General Comments

Upon arrival, I was logged in. COVID guidelines are being followed well and I saw frequent and proper hand washing being done by the operator and the children. It is apparent that the children are familiar with the hand washing routines.

Children were partaking in free play when I arrived. They then had a snack, played a while longer, and then headed outside. There are a variety of materials and activities for the children inside the ELC facility, and there are also a variety of things for the children to do outside. The children seem to really enjoy playing outside and were excitedly talking about the wooded area they play in. One child told me it's like a little park for them! Today was a damp day, and the children were talking about the rain equipment they can wear to go out in the wet weather. This is in line with the NB curriculum to go outside in various types of weather to explore properties of objects and to test limits, among many other elements of the curriculum framework.

I observed an abundance of positive child guidance during my visit, such as redirection, gentle reminders, problem solving with children, explanations of why the rules are in place, teaching positive social skills and communication, positive reinforcement, and modeling patience, caring and kindness.

We discussed the renewal inspection finding that there needs to be more room around the swing structure. We came up with a solution that the trees behind it can be trimmed, and the swing set can be moved out a little bit from the treed area. This would allow for enough room to meet encroachment zone standards.

The program appears to be running very well and the operator appears to be following all licencing regulations.

Date

original signed by Mary Ramsay-Irving Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

October 19, 2021

original signed by

October 19, 2021

Jamie Brideau

Signature of Operator/Designate

Date