

## **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 Maritime Conference of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church Inc					Inspection Date December 03, 2025		
Facility Name					Licence Number		
Precious Jewels Early Learning Centre					2021022		
Address					Telephone Number		
161 Salisbury Road Moncton NB E1E 1A6					(506) 382-1222		
Type of Facility			Maximum Number of Children			Ages of Children	
Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre		36		INFANTS PRESCHOOL			
ELCC Licensing Staff		Position Title					
Veronique Berube		Quality Assurance Monitor					
Order for Compliance			Regulation	Date to be corrected		Date corrected	
10(8) For the purposes of this section, an infant may only be growith children of a mixed-age group outside the hours of 8:30 a.m p.m. and on the condition that the infant is grouped with preschochildren and other infants.		n. to 4:30	10(8)	Dec 03, 2025		Dec 03, 2025	
Comments: The Quality Assurance Monitor observed at her arrival at the facility that all the children were playing in the field next to the outdoor play area. The Quality Assurance Monitor took ratio from the 3 classes and observed the infant class mixed with the two other preschool classes. Infants can only be mixed with preschool age children outside the hours of 8h30 am and 4h30 pm. The educators brought the children inside to transition to lunch time. Deficiency is now compliant.							
11(c)(ii) The qualifications and training requirements for administ and educators are as follows: (c) at a full-time or part-time early I and childcare centre, (ii) on and after July 1, 2020, (A) at least 50 educators must hold a one-year Early Childhood Education Certi training that is equivalent in the opinion of the Minister, and (B) a administrator must hold a one-year Early Childhood Education C or training that is equivalent in the opinion of the Minister.			11(c)(ii)	May	01, 2023		
Comments:  During the monitoring inspection, the Quality Assurance Monitor observed that none of the educators hold an Early Childhood Education Certificate. The operator informed the Quality Assurance Monitor that two staff are in the process of completing their microcredential ECE, and she is planning on hiring a new staff member with their ECE. A new written plan must be submitted to the Quality Assurance Monitor, given that this has been an ongoing non-compliance since the renewal inspection from 2023.							
21 The daily activities of a licensed facility shall be purposely pla advance and documented and shall respond to the capabilities, and interests of each child.			21	Dec	17, 2025		
Comments:							
In another classroom, the Quality Assurance Monitor was not able to observe the documentation of the daily activities. The educator informed the Quality Assurance Monitor that she was new to the facility and didn't know where the binder was stored by the other educator working with her. The daily program must be available for review by licensing staff during inspections.							

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8(2) The maximum number of children who may receive services at a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre, as indicated on the licence, shall not exceed 60 children, including the children of the operator.		8(2)	Dec 03, 2025	Dec 03, 2025		
Comments:	While conducting the monitoring inspection, the Quality Assurance Monitor observed one school-age child present in a room. The facility is not approved to offer services to school-age children. The number of children must not exceed the licensed capacity of 36 preschool children. The child belonged to a staff member and was at the facility because the school was closed due to the snowstorm. The operator asked the staff member in question to leave with her child. Deficiency is now compliant.					

## General Comments

The Quality Assurance Monitor is on site in the morning to conduct a monitoring inspection.

The Quality Assurance Monitor verified the following elements:

- Child records
- Signed consent in the children's records
- Incident record
- Indoor play area and materials
- If all required documents are posted in a visible and prominent place in the facility
- Daily activities

The Quality Assurance Monitor observed the children playing in the fresh snow, making a snowman. The children were also observed transitioning indoors for lunchtime (lunch box) and then nap time.

original signed by  Veronique Berube	December 05, 2025			
Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff	Date			
original signed by				
Nicole Ste Marthe		December 05, 2025		
Signature of Operator/Designated staff	Date			

<sup>&</sup>quot;I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"