

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 Sussex Christian School Inc.	Licence Number 2021054	Inspection Date October 27, 2022	
Facility Name SCS Little Lights Early Learning Centre		Telephone Number (506) 433-4005	
Address 384 St. George Street Sussex NB E4E 1T4			
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
28(3) The premises of a licensed facility shall comply with (a) lighting, ventilation and other general health standards under the Public Health Act.	28(3)(a)	Dec 23, 2022	
Comments: Three/Fours Room: One child did not wash their hands upon arrival. Ensure to remind children and parents of hand washing routines.			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	Jan 16, 2023	
Comments: Infant Outdoor Play Area: Stool within in play area in poor repair. To be removed. Small pink and blue ride-on - handle bars cracked causing a pinch point. To be removed and replaced.			
31(4) An operator shall ensure that the outdoor play area of a licensed facility (b) consists of more than one surface to permit different types of play.	31(4)(b)	Jan 16, 2023	
Comments: The outdoor play areas is currently made up of only woodchips. Another surface must be added. Examples: wood platform, pea gravel, turf, sand, pavement, etc.			
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)	Jan 16, 2023	
Comments: Infant & Preschool Outdoor Play Area: Materials depleted. Materials to be added and set up in a way that invites children to explore. 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 current interests.			
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)	Oct 27, 2022	
Comments: Household Paint unlocked within office. It was observed that the office is left unlocked when unoccupied. Toxic products must be kept locked. Discussed with administrator during inspection.			
39(2) A licensed facility shall have a separate locked storage space that is inaccessible to the children for each of the following: (b) medications.	39(2)(b)	Jan 16, 2023	

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Comments: Tylenol unlocked within office. It was observed that the office is left unlocked when unoccupied. Medications must be kept locked. Discussed with administrator during inspection.			

General Comments
<p>Renewal Inspection:</p> <p>Children engaged in play indoors and outdoors today. Transitions, lunch, and rest routines observed during inspection. Educators observed encouraging children to independently prepare for lunch. Meaningful conversations observed between children and educators.</p> <p>Documentation is posted at the children's level that supports their learning, interests and experiences. Purposeful planning is evident through documentation and materials added to the environment.</p> <p>Next steps: Purposeful planning to include outdoor play. What may this look like? What materials can be brought outdoors to expand on the children's play and learning? What should the outdoor environment look like when the children arrive?</p>

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Britta Garnett

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

October 27, 2022

Date

original signed by
Naomi MacKay

Signature of Operator/Designate

October 27, 2022

Date