

## 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.

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| Name of Operator<br>Rising Stars Daycare Corp.                    |   | Inspection Date<br>January 28, 2026                    |
| Facility Name<br>Rising Stars Daycare - Sussex                    |   | Licence Number<br>2022016                              |
| Address<br>1085 Main Street Sussex Corner NB E4E 3C8              |   | Telephone Number<br>(506) 331-1000                     |
| Type of Facility<br>Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre | Maximum Number of Children<br>56            | Ages of Children<br>INFANTS<br>PRESCHOOL<br>SCHOOL-AGE |
| ELCC Licensing Staff<br>Amanda Wills                              | Position Title<br>Quality Assurance Monitor |  |

| Order for Compliance  | Regulation | Date to be corrected | Date corrected |
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| 10(1) The number of educators that are required for a group of children of mixed ages receiving services at a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre is calculated as follows: (a) by multiplying the number of children of the same age by the corresponding factor set out in Schedule A; and (b) by adding the results obtained under paragraph (a).   | 10(1)      | Jan 20, 2026         | Jan 28, 2026   |
| Comments: Licensing observed 11 children and three educators in attendance. Ratio was met at the time of inspection. Deficiency is now compliant  |            |                      |                |
| 21 The daily activities of a licensed facility shall be purposely planned in advance and documented and shall respond to the capabilities, needs and interests of each child.   | 21         | Feb 03, 2026         |                |
| Comments: Purposeful planning was not evident. Purposeful planning is to be visible through invitations, documentation, and planned activities. Educators are to review the Operator's Manual, Section 7: Programming and Daily Routine. Original comply dates of October 31, 2025, November 14, 2025, and January 9, 2026.   |            |                      |                |
| 24(1) For the purposes of subsection 20(1) of the Act, the following records and documents shall be maintained on the premises of a licensed facility: (e) administration of medication records.  | 24(1(e))   | Jan 20, 2026         | Jan 28, 2026   |
| Comments: Licensing observed administration of medication to be complete. Deficiency is now compliant   |            |                      |                |
| 25 An operator of a licensed facility shall post in a clearly visible and prominent place on the premises: (a) the daily routine.   | 25(a)      | Jan 20, 2026         | Jan 28, 2026   |
| Comments: Licensing observed daily routine posted in a visible and prominent area. Deficiency is now compliant  |            |                      |                |
| 30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.  | 30(3)      | Feb 03, 2026         |                |
| Comments: Licensing observed the indoor play area to be cluttered. The carpets were collecting dirt and were also noted to be torn and stained, the shelving had accumulated dirt, debris, and tape residue; and the toys, including the toy bins, were also collecting dirt. In addition, doors and door jambs were observed to have dirt buildup and chipped surfaces. All areas are to be cleaned, repaired or replaced. |            |                      |                |
| 31(6) The outdoor play area of a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre at which services are provided to infants or preschool children shall be enclosed with a fence at least 1.22 m in height with a gate that is secured at all times when the children are present.  | 31(6)      | Jan 30, 2026         |                |
| Comments: Licensing observed that the outdoor play yard gate lock does not latch. To be repaired.   |            |                      |                |

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| 32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (d) clean and in good repair.  | 32(1)(d)   | Feb 03, 2026         |                |
| Comments: Licensing observed the indoor play area to be cluttered. The carpets were collecting dirt and were also noted to be torn and stained, the shelving had accumulated dirt, debris, and tape residue; and the toys, including the toy bins, were also collecting dirt. In addition, doors and door jambs were observed to have dirt buildup and chipped surfaces. All areas are to be cleaned, repaired or replaced. |            |                      |                |
| 45(3) If a child has or may be affected by a disease that is required to be reported under the Public Health Act and the regulations under that Act by the operator of a licensed facility, the operator shall (a) complete the forms provided by the Minister.   | 45(3)(a)   | Jan 20, 2026         | Jan 28, 2026   |
| Comments: Licensing observed potential illness forms to be complete and signed by parent or guardian. Deficiency is now compliant   |            |                      |                |
| 46(3) If consent is oral under subsection (2), the operator of a licensed facility shall require the parent or guardian to give a written acknowledgement when the child is picked up at the licensed facility that acetaminophen was administered with their consent.  | 46(3)      | Jan 20, 2026         | Jan 28, 2026   |
| Comments: Licensing observed written permission to give acetaminophen in the child's file. Deficiency is now compliant  |            |                      |                |
| 46(4) An operator of a licensed facility shall maintain a chronologically filed medication record of all medication administered to a child.  | 46(4)      | Jan 20, 2026         | Jan 28, 2026   |
| Comments: Licensing observed records to be filed in child's file. Deficiency is now compliant   |            |                      |                |
| 50(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall maintain a chronologically filed daily incident log relating to the health, security and well-being of the children receiving services at the licensed facility.   | 50(1)      | Jan 20, 2026         | Jan 28, 2026   |
| Comments: Licensing observed Daily Incident Logs signed and filed in the child's file. Deficiency is now compliant  |            |                      |                |
| 50(2) The operator of a licensed facility shall inform the parent or guardian of a child involved in an incident on the day the incident takes place and shall ensure that the parent or guardian signs the daily log to confirm their awareness.   | 50(2)      | Jan 20, 2026         | Jan 28, 2026   |
| Comments: Licensing observed Daily Incident Logs signed and filed in the child's file. Deficiency is now compliant  |            |                      |                |

### General Comments

A monitoring Inspection occurred in the morning on January 28, 2026

The children were observed in the indoor environment in a variety of activities that included playing with dinosaurs, reading books, playing with play duh, building with and building Lego blocks.

A clearly visible and prominent area was designated for posting the facility's license, current monitoring reports, and any orders for compliance. Additional documentation observed included incident logs, daily attendance records, one staff file and records of evacuation and monthly fire drills.

A conversation took place with the administrator regarding the following:

- Children must have access to outdoor play opportunities in both the morning and afternoon.
- Daily attendance records must include the facility name, group name, and the week for which the records apply.
- Educators must ensure that activities such as circle time are offered by invitation only, supporting children's individual choice, flexibility, and opportunities to participate at their own pace.

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Amanda Wills

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

January 30, 2026

Date

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Kayla Vaughan

January 30, 2026

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Signature of Operator/Designated staff

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Date

*"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"*