

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 Tiffany Allan	Licence Number 2024023	Inspection Date September 19, 2024
Facility Name Wise Owl Academy- ELC		Telephone Number (506) 269-0055
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Angela Tozer		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. Comments: Several gates need to be repaired, and some rugs need to be cleaned.	28(3)(a)	Oct 01, 2024	
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children. Comments: Non-compliances from previous visit brought forward.	31(3)	Jul 08, 2024	
32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (a) varied and in sufficient quantity for the number and ages of the children receiving services at the licensed facility. Comments: Educators are to reflect all the curriculum areas within their rooms accessible to children such as writing utensils, paper, music, and books to meet the interests of the children.	32(1)(a)	Oct 01, 2024	
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. Comments: Non-compliances from previous visit brought forward.	33(1)	Jul 08, 2024	

General Comments
<p>All the children spent time outside this morning. When children came inside they washed their hands and had bum changes for some free play and then lunch. The rooms are clean and show evidence of more resources. The inclusion of paper and writing utensils accessible to the children is still lacking in some rooms. Documentation is posted throughout the centre more consistently in some rooms than others. Children's artwork is posted. An open-ended painting is posted on the shelf in one of the infant's rooms encouraging open expression in art and creativity. More open-ended art activities are recommended instead of structured crafts. Children's names are encouraged throughout the centre so children can begin identifying their names and their peers.</p> <p>Due to changes in educators, all staff files were reviewed today. Files were complete and organized. There was a conversation between the preschool educators, the administrator and the quality assurance monitor about the requirement for 4-year-olds to remain quietly on their mats each day for at least 30 minutes.</p>

General Comments

As very few in these age group are napping, quiet activities could be set up for groups of children and the possibility of outdoor play could be considered. Communication with parents will help support a transition to no naps, as long as individual needs are met for children that may require a short rest.

Attendance sheets were up to date and very thorough with the inclusion of the child's birthdate, allergies and consent for photos.

Educators sat with the children for lunchtimes engaging in conversation about their days and meals.

One of the educators in the three-year-old room began with a video after lunch which some children joined. She turned it off and asked the children to join in a hide and seek game with colored circles and a baby. All the children joined the game pointing out the colors as they searched for the baby's hiding spot.

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Angela Tozer

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

September 19, 2024

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report to date

Signature of Operator/Designate

September 19, 2024

Date