

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 Sussex Christian School Inc.		Inspection Date February 19, 2026
Facility Name SCS Little Lights Early Learning Trinity		Licence Number 2024143
Address 853 Main St Sussex NB E4E 2M9		Telephone Number (506) 512-1355
Type of Facility Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre	Maximum Number of Children 36	Ages of Children INFANTS PRESCHOOL
ELCC Licensing Staff Veronique Berube	Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
11(c)(ii) The qualifications and training requirements for administrators and educators are as follows: (c) at a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre, (ii) on and after July 1, 2020, (A) at least 50% of educators must hold a one-year Early Childhood Education Certificate or training that is equivalent in the opinion of the Minister, and (B) an administrator must hold a one-year Early Childhood Education Certificate or training that is equivalent in the opinion of the Minister.	11(c)(ii)	Oct 01, 2027	
Comments: The operator submitted a plan to the Quality Assurance Monitor indicating that two employees are currently enrolled in an Early Childhood Education course, and by September 2027, the facility will meet the 50% requirement.			

General Comments
The Quality Assurance Monitor is on site in the morning to conduct a monitoring inspection. The ratio is respected during the inspection.
The Quality Assurance Monitor verified the following elements:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If all required documents are posted in a visible and prominent location at the facility - The children's records - Signed consents in the children's records - Nutrition - Incident reports - Medication - Medication records - Health - Child guidance

The Quality Assurance Monitor had a discussion with the administrator regarding designation requirements. The administrator confirmed that the Quality Improvement Plan is in progress, and all eligible educators are actively completing their required 10 hours of professional learning per renewal year.

General Comments

The Quality Assurance Monitor had a discussion with the administrator regarding labelling. Lunch boxes need to be labelled with the children's names.

The Quality Assurance Monitor observed a criminal record and vulnerable sector check from another province. The Quality Assurance Monitor recommended that the new staff member obtain a local criminal record and vulnerable sector check from the local police department.

The Quality Assurance Monitor observed the children eating their morning snack (lunch boxes), having story time with an educator, and transitioning to the outdoor play area. The children then transitioned to eat their lunch (lunch boxes). Positive interactions were observed between the educators and the children.

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Veronique Berube

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

February 19, 2026

Date

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Janet Bond

Signature of Operator/Designated staff

February 19, 2026

Date

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"