

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 September 03, 2026
Facility Name SCS Little Lights Early Learning Trinity		Licence Number 2024143
Address 853 Main St Sussex NB E4E 2M9		Telephone Number (506) 433-0862
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 facility does not have at least 50% of its educators holding a one-year Early Childhood Education Certificate or equivalent training. A plan must be submitted to the Quality Assurance Monitor explaining how the facility will meet the 50% requirement.			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	Sep 03, 2026	Sep 03, 2026
Comments: The Quality Assurance Monitor observed a wooden play kitchen with a real sink. The edges of the sink were broken, exposing sharp, rusted metal parts. The outdoor play area must be maintained in a safe condition and be free of hazards. At the request of the Quality Assurance Monitor, the sink was removed from the outdoor play area. Deficiency is now compliant.			

General Comments
The Quality Assurance Monitor was on site in the morning to conduct a monitoring inspection. The child-to-staff ratio was respected. The following items were verified: -Daily routine -Outdoor play area and materials -Washroom -Storage space

General Comments

- Diaper changing area
- Checks
- Staff member records

While in the outdoor play area, the Quality Assurance Monitor observed a group of children eating their lunch (lunch boxes). The Quality Assurance Monitor questioned the educators regarding handwashing before eating. The educators informed the Quality Assurance Monitor that the children had not washed their hands prior to eating. The Quality Assurance Monitor reminded the educator and the administrator of the importance of handwashing before meals.

The Quality Assurance Monitor observed the children actively engaged in play in the outdoor play area. The children were observed playing in the sandbox, playing with balls, and engaging in activities with the educators. They were also engaged creating a craft with open-ended art materials, including paper, feathers, flowers, googly eyes, and markers. Positive interactions were observed between the educators and the children.

original signed by
Veronique Berube

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

September 04, 2026

Date

original signed by
Janet Bond

Signature of Operator/Designated staff

September 04, 2026

Date

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"