

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 LITTLE ANGELS DAYCARE INC.	Licence Number 207021	Inspection Date March 23, 2022
Facility Name LITTLE ANGELS DAYCARE		Telephone Number (506) 696-5155
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Lisa Green		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
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 and shall include (a) time and space for and a free choice of play experiences for exploration and discovery.	21(a)	Mar 21, 2022	
Comments: It was observed that the sun room area of the 2/3 year old room was not accessible to the children during today's monitoring inspection. Children who attempted to enter the space were told by their educator that they had to stay in the other room. Children must be permitted to freely explore their environment and engage with materials.			
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: (f) daily attendance records of the children on forms provided by the Minister.	24(1)(f)	Mar 18, 2022	
Comments: 3 and 4 year old preschool room: Children were not signed out on attendance records for previous day or signed in on day of monitoring inspection. Attendance records did not accompany 3/4 year old group when they went outside for outdoor play. Attendance records are to be accurate and reflect all children present at any given time and when children are in the outdoor play area, staff members are to have copies of the attendance records with them.			
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)	Mar 18, 2022	Mar 17, 2022
Comments: Change mat in upstairs bathroom observed to have small hole. Must be replaced as it cannot be properly sanitized. Deficiency is now compliant- administrator replaced change mat on day of inspection.			
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.	32(1)(a)	Mar 21, 2022	
Comments: Loose parts for creative art lacking in the 3/4 year old preschool room. Some paper, glue, and mark making tools were available. Materials to provide include but are not limited to: feathers, twigs, shells, pine cones, string, different colored foils, fabric, felt pieces, yarn, ribbons, popsicle sticks, recycled cards, magazines, wallpaper samples, paper cups, paper plates, cardboard etc. Accessories for dolls- clothing, blankets, etc. lacking in 2/3 and 3/4 year old preschool rooms.			

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32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (b) arranged on low, open shelves and accessible to the children receiving services at the licensed facility,	32(1)(b)	Mar 21, 2022	
Comments: Creative art, paint and playdough were not easily accessible for children in the 2/3 year old room. As discussed, materials should be displayed at the children's level to invite engagement and should allow for children to independently choose which materials they need.			

General Comments
<p>Monitoring inspection completed today.</p> <p>Children engaged in play in the indoor and outdoor play areas today. Indoors, dramatic play, blocks, and books were activities children were observed to engage with. Educators were observed participating in play and conversation along side children. Outdoors, creativity, co-operative play and problem solving were observed as children used natural materials (rocks, and grass) while playing in the mud kitchen baking muffins.</p> <p>Current documentation in portfolios and posted throughout the play environments highlights recent activities and children's learning around interest topics.</p> <p>As discussed , it is imperative that staff are aware of the number of children present in their group at all times throughout the day.</p>

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Lisa Green

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

March 23, 2022

Date

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Report not signed by Operator

Signature of Operator/Designate

March 23, 2022

Date