



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 Somerset Pre-School Inc	Licence Number 245000	Inspection Date May 18, 2023	
Facility Name SOMERSET PRESCHOOL CENTRE		Telephone Number (506) 652-3524	
Address 84 Ropewalk Road Saint John NB E2K 2R1			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Cathleen LeBlanc		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

General Comments
<p>A Monitoring Inspection was completed this afternoon. Children were observed during free play, snack time, and during hand washing procedures. Classrooms were set up with several well-defined learning centers, some of which included the following: building and transportation, books, dramatic play, arts and crafts, and gross motor (slides and yoga). Positive Child Guidance techniques were observed in all classrooms – educators were observed giving gentle reminders, offering choices, anticipating children's needs, redirecting negative behaviors, using positive language when interacting with children, and respecting children's feelings. Several forms of documentation were observed throughout the classrooms. Examples of documentation included but were not limited to the following: learning stories, children's artwork, and word webs. 2's Room – Children were observed finishing up their snacks. After snack, children were observed washing their hands. 3's Room – Children were observed sliding, building, completing arts and crafts, and looking at books. A group of children were also observed in the yoga center, doing yoga. Children were observed laughing, smiling, and following along to yoga flash cards, that their educator was presenting. 3 / 4 Room – A group of children were observed sitting at a table, completing arts and crafts. One little one was observed painting at the easel. Others were observed building with magnetic tiles. Carrots and flowers were observed growing on the windowsill. 4 / 5 Room – Children were very excited to see QAM. A group of children took QAM around the room, showing QAM their favorite activities. When children arrived, hand washing procedures were observed.</p>

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Cathleen LeBlanc

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

May 18, 2023

Date

original signed by
Heidi MacDonald

Signature of Operator/Designate

May 18, 2023

Date