

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 Bright Beginnings Daycare Inc.	Licence Number 508029	Inspection Date July 06, 2022	
Facility Name Bright Beginnings Daycare		Telephone Number (506) 458-6998	
Address 486 Needham Street Fredericton NB E3B 1P1			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Joanne Voyer Page		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

General Comments

Monitoring visit performed. No deficiencies noted during my visit.

Administrative records were reviewed - attendance, infant toddler records, fire drills and all being tracked. Please remind staff to sign children in on arrival. I asked an Educator when the child arrived and she immediately put the time in on the attendance record.

The Administrator asked about staff attendance and in this centre, staff sign in on their own attendance record located outside the office. Please ensure staff sign in and out if leaving the building during lunch or for appointments. Lots of staff were observed on site today to maintain ratio if staff do leave over lunch.

Covid daily logs sheets are no longer required, so educators do not need to track their groups.

Proper cleaning and sanitizing was observed and also all children were observed washing hands before eating lunch.. Today's lunch was chicken salad on buns, cherry tomatoes and milk. Ample food was provided. Trail mix and bananas for afternoon snack.

Current programming was posted and children were involved in a variety of activities in each of the classrooms. Some children were building with magnetic blocks, other children were putting puzzles together, others were into loose parts, building with connect blocks, coloring etc.

Lots of positive interaction observed between educators and children - educators observed singing songs, comforting children, providing choices, help with feeding children and opening packages, talking to the children in a kind manner etc.

Public Health orders have been issued and a deadline to complete repairing chips, painting walls and window ledges. The Administrator has indicated this must be completed by July 13th to complete work. I would recommend that most all the work be completed on the weekend so not to interfere with children's programming and also fumes from painting. The fans were also being cleaned during my visit and licensing staff recommended that this type of work is completed when children are either not on site or while children are outdoors. Today it was rainy in the AM and children did not go outside to play in the morning. The rain has stopped this afternoon, and the 4/5 age group were observed in outdoor play. Lots of lovely new wooden play equipment for outdoor play space. Licensing staff asked the Administrator to ask PH if the wood requires a sealant after PH requested the wood be sanded. The large climber is being removed which will add lots of space to build a more natural landscape.

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July 06, 2022 _____

Joanne Voye Page

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

Date

original signed by

Carrie Dymond

Signature of Operator/Designate

Date

July 06, 2022