

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 Lincoln Day Care Centre		Inspection Date May 13, 2026	
Facility Name Lincoln Day Care Centre		Licence Number 514011	
Address 5 Maple Leaf Dr Lincoln NB E3B 7G9		Telephone Number (506) 458-9144	
Type of Facility Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre	Maximum Number of Children 56	Ages of Children INFANTS PRESCHOOL SCHOOL-AGE	
ELCC Licensing Staff Lindsay Lewis	Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor		

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
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General Comments

Licensing Staff arrived at the facility to conduct a Monitoring Inspection. Upon arrival, the classes were engaged in a variety of activities. The children in the 2-year-old class were dancing and singing to songs with one Educator while the other Educator changed diapers. A small group of the infants were observed sitting with one Educator making a special Mother's Day craft. Shortly after arrival, the Educators announced it was time to clean up and prepare for morning snack.

Hand washing was observed before the children gathered in a room near the kitchen for morning snack time. This morning the children were having apple sauce, whole wheat bread and a glass of water, which matched what was posted on the menu. Allergies were posted in the kitchen and again in the room where the children were eating snack. After snack time, the children in the 3-year-old classroom used the washroom and got their outdoor gear on and transitioned to the outdoor playground. The other classes were observed working on their Mother's Day craft. The children freely explored the classroom while their peers finished the craft.

Children in the 2-year-old class sat and played with 2 felt activities. One was an ocean theme with felt fish, scuba divers, whales and jellyfish. The other felt activity was a farm theme with felt pieces such as a barn, pigs, chicks, cows and a farmer. Later in the morning once all the children had finished their artwork, the Educator sat on a carpet, stacking wooden blocks with the group. In the infant classroom, while one of the Educators prepared the Mother's Day craft, the other Educators sat with the group, reading books and playing with blocks.

Gentle reminders were heard before the groups cleaned up and prepared for lunch time. For lunch the children ate sandwiches, cut up dill pickles and had a glass of milk. The transition from lunch time to nap was smooth. The children appeared comfortable and familiar with the daily routine. Only positive child guidance was observed today. The Educators were attentive to the needs of the children.

Only one class was observed going outside this morning. A conversation was had on site with the Administrator as a reminder that all classes require outdoor play for at least one hour in each four-hour block of time when the majority of children receiving services are in attendance except in the following circumstances: (i) the wind chill is below -20 °C; (ii) the temperature is below -20 °C; (iii) the temperature is 33 °C with humidity or above. A

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conversation was also had on site regarding documentation in the classrooms. Please ensure learning stories, webbing and pictures of the children are posted throughout the classrooms.

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Lindsay Lewis

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

May 06, 2026

Date

original signed by
Jean Robinson

Signature of Operator/Designated staff

May 06, 2026

Date

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"