



## Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report

Type of Inspection:  
Renewal 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 Sylvia Staples	Licence Number 2004306	Inspection Date October 25, 2023	
Facility Name Mrs. Sylvia's Early Learning Home		Telephone Number (506) 440-4333	
Address 34 McMurtrie Avenue New Maryland NB E3C 1G7			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Laura Casey		Position Title Inspector	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

### General Comments

Upon my arrival, the children were finishing up their lunch. After the children put their lunch bags away, they began to play with some small loose play toys. There is an abundance of material that is readily available to the children. The play material such board games, books, musical instruments, large jars of magnet tiles, a play kitchen with food, and art supplies were organized on shelves or in labeled bins. Children's artwork was on display throughout the main space and a large spooky Halloween house made by the children was on the wall.

Later in the afternoon, the children painted Halloween rocks at the table. The Operator provided paint shirts to keep clothing clean and all of the children sat together. The Operator was actively engaged with the children and was observed asking about their favorite Halloween snacks. Kind words of encouragement and praise were heard about how wonderful all of their rocks turned out. Children who finished their rocks early sat on the couch and played with small wooden memory or skill games. The Operator was observed encouraging the children to tidy up their paints and wash their hands independently.

The children evidently enjoy their time together with the Operator. Giggles were heard and opportunities for engagement and conversation were observed when the group was sitting together around the table naming off costumes and snacks for an alphabet Halloween list.

The parent board was organized and required documentation was visible. The monthly fire drill has been completed and attendance is being recorded. Child and staff files were in order and the daily routine and snack menu was posted.

The outdoor space is large with a lot of trees and pathways. There were bins of outdoor play material that contained bowling pins, balls, trucks, and hula hoops.

Licensing staff recommends for renewal.

original signed by  
Laura Casey

October 25, 2023

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

Date

original signed by  
Sylvia Staples

October 25, 2023

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Signature of Operator/Designate

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Date