

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 BRIDGE STREET CHILDREN'S ACADEMY INC.	Licence Number 2006855	Inspection Date December 14, 2020
Facility Name BRIDGE STREET AFTER SCHOOL ACADEMY		Telephone Number (506) 536-1066
Address 148 Bridge St Sackville NB E4L 3P7		
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Janice Gauvin-Léger		Position Title Inspector

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
28(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall not change the allocation of space used to provide services or add to or alter any building or facility or any part of them unless the Minister has approved the changes in writing.	28(1)	Dec 11, 2020	
Comments: During renewal inspection changes were observed in the afterschool classroom without written approval from the Minister. Operator is to cease all changes and must contact the Quality Assurance Monitor to ensure all required documents are submitted and approved before work can be completed.			
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	30(3)	Dec 14, 2020	
Comments: During time of inspection the wires from the fire alarm were observed hanging from the wall. This must be repaired to ensure the safety of the children.			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	Dec 14, 2020	
Comments: During time of inspection the inspector observed rust spots and paint peeling of the outdoor equipment. An outdoor maintenance log is being maintained. The inspector noticed this has been a requiring issue and work is constantly being done to remove the rust. Operator is to ensure the play strutures are maintained safe for children. Inspector also reminded the educator and operator to maintain the protective surface under and around the play structures, During winter months if the protective surface can't be maintained the equipment must not be used by the children to ensure their safety.			

<p>General Comments</p> <p>COVID-19 Guidance for Early Learning and Childcare Facilities.</p> <p>Screening was done on the inspectors upon arrival at the neighboring facility. Screening is currently being done at the main facility and then children are brought to respective classrooms. Anyone else arriving is asked to get screened at the main building. Inspector recommends having the APPENDIX D - Daily Log available at the door of both facilities for anyone arriving during the day. Screening questionnaires should also be available on site. Inspector discussed the cleaning logs with the operator. Cleaning is being done and logs are being filed. Inspector discussed having the staff initial after each task has been completed. Operator and staff should see APPENDIX C - CLEANING AND DESINFECTON page 21-27 for cleaning methods used on various toys.</p>

General Comments

Inspector also discussed wearing mask for common areas where educators might meet as well as having the relief staff, kitchen and cleaning staff wear mask when moving around in the facility. Inspector recommends reading page 8 and 9 of the COVID-19 Guidance for Early Learning and Childcare Facilities document. Inspector also discussed the classroom group logs and the staff logged in each classroom. Group logs should represent the children and staff working in that classroom.

During renewal inspection no school age children were on-site.

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Janice Gauvin-Léger

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

December 14, 2020

Date

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Trudy Troop

Signature of Operator/Designate

December 14, 2020

Date