

Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report

Type of Inspection:
Follow-Up 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 The Preschool Centre Inc.	Licence Number 2007296	Inspection Date February 10, 2023
Facility Name The Preschool Centre on Main St 2		Telephone Number (506) 458-8980
Address 115 Main Street Fredericton NB E3A 1C6		
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Sabrina Diotte		Position Title Inspector

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
22 The daily routine of a licensed facility shall include (a) 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; or (iii) the temperature is 33 °C with humidity or above.	22(a)	Jan 19, 2023	Feb 03, 2023
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
9(1) The child-to-staff ratio is one educator for each of the following groups of children of the same age receiving services at a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre: (a) three infants or fewer; (b) five children or fewer who are two years of age; (c) eight children or fewer who are three years of age; (d) ten children or fewer who are four years of age or older, but who are not yet attending school; and (e) 15 school-age children or fewer.	9(1)	Feb 03, 2023	
Comments: During my visit one room was off ratio. There were 15 -4/5 years old children with one educator. Child-Staff ratio must be maintained at all times.			

<p>General Comments</p> <p>It was brought to my attention during the inspection that they are often off ration in the mornings and at the end of the day. This was discussed with the Administrator, and she advised a new staff schedule would be completed to ensure the classrooms are always respecting child-staff ratio.</p> <p>The schedule in the 3/4 room has been revised.</p> <p>The Administrator spoke to the staff about going outside once every four-hour block. Once in the AM and once in the PM, weather permitting.</p>
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original signed by
Sabrina Diotte

February 10, 2023

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

Date

original signed by
Angie DeGrace

Signature of Operator/Designate

February 10, 2023

Date