

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 Lisa Astle	Licence Number 2008361	Inspection Date February 01, 2023
Facility Name Kountry Kids Early Learning and Care		Telephone Number (506) 836-7722
Address 236 Northwest Road Sunny Corner NB E9E 1K8		
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Rachelle Roy Arseneau		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
10(7) Despite subsection (1), infants shall not be grouped with children of another age group. Comments:	10(7)	Feb 01, 2023	
30(1) A full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre shall have an indoor play area of at least 3.25 m ² for each child receiving services at the centre. Comments:	30(1)	Feb 02, 2023	
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children. Comments:	31(3)	Feb 06, 2023	

General Comments
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Visit to the learning center for an unexpected monitoring inspection -Ratio was respected during the visit -Each child has an easily accessible space for personal belongings, which is labeled with the name of the child and used only for the intended child. -Toxic products, chemical products and cleaning supplies are locked and inaccessible to children -Individual space is provided for diapers and wipes for each child who is not toilet trained. Changing area is separated from the food preparation and is located one meter or less from a sink. Children are always supervised during diaper changing. -Centre has the proper number of functioning and available toilets and sinks, one potty chair or training seat is provided, and a step or platforms are provided to allow children to reach regular sized toilets or sinks. -An inclusive environment is provided for all children -Daily activities into the center shows purposely planned and documented programming that gives children, Time, and space for a free choice of play experiences, indoor and outdoor opportunities for physical activity either individually or in a group. Children have opportunities for various forms of literacy and to express creativity and interests, to explore the arts and sciences and to experience accomplishment and success. They have opportunities to problem solve and to develop trusting, respectful and supportive relationships. -Children's guidance is done in a respectful and positive way -Posted in a visible and prominent place in the facility are the following documents: The license, inspection

General Comments

report, orders for compliance, daily routine, evacuation procedures, life-threatening allergies, name of administrator, name and telephone number of QA Monitor and inspector.

-Administrator and educators hold a valid first aid certificate and a valid CPR certificate.

-Had a discussion with educators about mixing infants with two-year-old, when arriving at the center there was 6 children into the back room and four of them are two. Children younger than 24 months of age are not mixed with other ages. A plan must be put in place to make sure that regulation 10 (7) is always followed. A call will be made to the operator to discuss this matter.

-Room ratio is not respected during nap time, the amount of children napping in the back room exceeds the number of children allowed into that room. Measurements were taken and a plan was made with the educators to move the napping space into the front room. The change will be made tomorrow since all children were napping, a picture showing that the napping room has been moved will be sent to the QAM.

-The gate way to the outdoor space needs to be maintained cleaned, the passage must be maintained so that the door closes and opens easily, a fenced-in space for children to play and explore outside must always be available.

Observations: When arriving at the center children were finishing their lunch, the youngest one was getting ready for a nap. The oldest kids that stayed up some painted, others were playing with blocks and into the dramatic corner.

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Rachelle Roy Arseneau

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

February 01, 2023

Date

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Samantha Anderson

Signature of Operator/Designate

February 01, 2023

Date