



## 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 Origins Natural Learning Childcare Ltd	Licence Number 2009184	Inspection Date June 25, 2025	
Facility Name Origins NLC 184		Telephone Number (506) 634-1979	
Address 99 Burpee Avenue Saint John NB E2K 3V9			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Robyn Nelson		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

### General Comments

A Monitoring Inspection occurred June 25, 2025.

Children were observed during indoor free play and snack. Proper handwashing was observed during snack and as they transitioned indoors, and steps or platforms were provided to allow children to reach regular-sized toilets and sinks independently.

Educators stated that the children are currently very interested in transportation schemas, with a particular focus on a car wash sensory tray. Other interests include going on field trips to local parks, engaging in water play outdoors, painting with loose parts, and exploring bugs and their habitats. Educators were observed playing an active role in the children's activities and interactions.

The daily incident log is maintained, and outdoor play is scheduled for at least one hour in each four-hour block of time when most children are in attendance, weather permitting. Monthly emergency evacuations are completed and posted, and the daily routine is displayed in each room. The facility has a varied supply of appropriate equipment, materials, books, and toys, and drinking water is provided throughout the day. Allergy information is posted for any child who requires it.

A sensory area is available and contains a sufficient quantity of play materials. Accessories in the sensory area are regularly provided and rotated to reflect children's interests. The changing area is located a metre or less from a sink, and diaper changing procedures are posted and clearly visible for educators.

A conversation took place with the Administrators to reflect on the strengths and needs of the facility. Strengths noted included the presence of several forms of documentation throughout the facility and educators' intentional efforts to extend the curriculum outdoors and incorporate the natural world into the indoor environment. Some areas for improvement were also discussed, such as repairing blue cots that are torn or broken and ensuring that positive child guidance strategies continue to be practiced and modeled consistently.

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Robyn Nelson

June 25, 2025

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

Date

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Erin Schryer

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Signature of Operator/Designate

June 25, 2025

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Date