

## 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 YMCA of Southwestern New Brunswick Inc.		Inspection Date February 27, 2026
Facility Name YMCA - South Hub - Child Care		Licence Number 2009428
Address 223 St. James Street Saint John NB E2L 1W3		Telephone Number (506) 646-2106
Type of Facility Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre	Maximum Number of Children 54	Ages of Children INFANTS PRESCHOOL
ELCC Licensing Staff Britta Garnett	Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (a) varied and in sufficient quantity for the number and ages of the children receiving services at the licensed facility.	32(1)(a)	Mar 09, 2026	
Comments: Three/Fours Room: Glue, scissors and collage materials are not accessible in the Art Area. To be added.			

<p><b>General Comments</b></p> <p>Monitoring Inspection:</p> <p>Children and educators observed engaged in a variety of activities this morning including painting, mark making, dramatic play, sensory opportunities, and building with blocks. A small group of infants were observed exploring mark making materials with their educator. The other infants were exploring water and bubbles as they "bathed" their babies in the sensory table. The children in the Twos Room were observed painting and exploring a loose parts invitation. The preschool children in the Three/Fours Room were experimenting with mixing paint and exploring a galaxy/planet sensory opportunity. A small group of children in the Fours Room were building ramps for their vehicles with large blocks.</p> <p>Educators modeled inclusive behaviours and guided children to participate with all children. Children were observed gathered on a beanbag engaging in conversations with their peers.</p> <p>Purposeful planning is evident through documentation on planning sheets, invitations and materials added to the environments to support the children's current interests (food, babies, galaxy/planets, music, vehicles, and building).</p> <p>Cereal with milk was served for morning snack.          Handwashing routines were observed during washroom routines.          Monthly fire drills are documented.          Daily attendance records are accurate and reflect all children present. Child-to-staff ratio was observed to be met during Monitoring Inspection.          New staff file (4) review was completed, all required documents are in place.</p>
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General Comments

Facility is currently exceeding the 50% trained Early Childhood Educators (5/4) requirement.

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Britta Garnett

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Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

March 04, 2026

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Date

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E. Kropf

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Signature of Operator/Designated staff

March 04, 2026

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