

## 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 Sunny Days and Nights Children's Center Inc.	Licence Number 2009631	Inspection Date October 20, 2022	
Facility Name Sunny Days Crew		Telephone Number (506) 472-3297	
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Megan Munden		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

### General Comments

Renewal Inspection completed on July 14, 2022.

Upon my arrival, I was greeted and welcomed by the educators, director and owner.

Children were involved in both indoor and outdoor play. This is the second week of children and staff being in their rooms after transitioning from previous age groups. The rooms looked great and provide both a calm and relaxing atmosphere while also being environments that have defined play areas and an abundance of organized materials/resources.

The four/five year old group was finishing up snack and the educator was setting out a painting invitation to go with their teddy bear theme. Children were very interested in the Paw Patrol figures and building with the links. There were enough coloured links for many children to participate in building a long chain. The educator encouraged them to work as a team and used the opportunity to see if they could count how many they had attached together. This room looks wonderful and the educator has worked hard to create a cozy room for the children. There is a calming corner with posters, chair and books to have on hand if a child needs a quiet moment.

The three year old group was outdoors before lunch. The sun sails were being put up to ensure ample shade was available and all children had their hats and sunscreen on. They also had access to their water bottles. The outdoor play space has a large variety of materials for the children to play with- there are different sized balls, trucks, lots of scoops and spoons, instruments and places to sit. The educators were both very attentive to the children's needs and engaged. The educators were throwing and kicking a ball with the children and dancing and playing instruments together.

I also observed this group during lunch time inside. Educators were on hand to help children with their lunches but are also beginning to encourage them to practice some more independence- opening zippers on lunch bags for example. Some children nap in this room and others have quiet activities. The transition from lunch to nap went very smooth. The educator had quiet toys set out on the carpet for children who finished lunch first. This room is bright and organized very well. There are lots of spaces for the children to play and it is a welcoming space.

General Comments

The four year old group was also finishing up snack and having free play when I joined them. The educator was helping apply sunscreen and get children ready for outdoors. The children were very involved in their imaginative play of gems, dinosaurs and bugs. The educator played right along and the children really enjoyed this! The room is laid out well for this age group and has interesting materials for them to choose from. Bins are labelled and materials are accessible.

Both the 4 year old and 4/5 year old classes had a picnic outside for lunch.

Only positive child guidance was observed during the visit- educators spoke kindly to the children and it was evident that there is a good rapport between the educators and children in their rooms and other rooms as well.

The centre is clean and materials, furnishings and both indoor and outdoor spaces are well maintained. Paperwork is organized and easily verified. There were lots of wonderful interactions between staff and children which created a cheerful atmosphere.

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Megan Munden

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Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

July 14, 2022

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Date

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Robyn Lemmon

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Signature of Operator/Designate

July 14, 2022

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