



## 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 Holly MacDonald	Licence Number 2011154	Inspection Date January 25, 2024	
Facility Name Birchwood Preschool		Telephone Number (506) 206-4455	
Address 23 Lloyd Street Hanwell NB E3C 1M4			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Sabrina Diotte		Position Title Inspector	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

<p><b>General Comments</b></p> <p>When I arrived, the children were colouring at the kitchen table, then they went outside for an hour.</p> <p>The backyard has been renovated with new landscape and new toys for the children, including a reading area. During winter, the children can continue to play with the sandbox and the mud kitchen because it's located under the deck and protected from snow fall. So today the children played with the sandbox and in the snow and built a snowman with Holly.</p> <p>When the children came in from outside, everyone sat in the reading area, and they listened to an audiobook by Robert Munch and then washed their hands and went up stairs for lunch. After lunch the children had a nap. A new video monitor was also purchased and there is a camera in each sleeping area.</p> <p>The indoor playroom clean and organized and has been painted since my last inspection. There are also new toys, materials, shelves, and furniture. The children also have new booster seats for the table.</p> <p>There are learning stories on the parent board, there is also a chart showing that the children did a learning activity on bones.</p> <p>Positive child guidance was heard such as gentle reminders and encouragements. Holly was engaged with the children, talking with them, and playing with them.</p> <p>Everything is in compliance; I recommend for renewal.</p>
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Sabrina Diotte

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

January 25, 2024

Date

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Holly MacDonald

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Signature of Operator/Designate

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Date