

## 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 POLKADOTS THE KIDS SPOT LTD.	Licence Number 2012841	Inspection Date January 28, 2020
Facility Name POLKADOTS THE KIDS SPOT PRESCHOOL AND AFTERSCHOOL		Telephone Number (506) 849-0252
Address 15 Marr Road Rothesay NB E2E 2R5		
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Patricia Kelley		Position Title Inspector

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
11 The qualifications and training requirements for administrators and educators are as follows: (a) an administrator and educators must hold a valid first aid certificate and a valid cardiopulmonary resuscitation certificate;	11(a)	Feb 17, 2020	
Comments: One staff without Standard First Aid with CPR Level C certificate. This staff must not be alone with the children until a valid certificate is received.			
21 The daily activities of a licensed facility shall be purposely planned in advance and documented and shall respond to the capabilities, needs and interests of each child.	21	Mar 13, 2020	
Comments: Evidence of purposeful planning and a documented program is lacking for the school age group.			
28(3) The premises of a licensed facility shall comply with (a) lighting, ventilation and other general health standards under the Public Health Act.	28(3)(a)	Mar 13, 2020	
Comments: After school room: children's cubbies unclean, heaters and window ledges dusty Preschool room: damaged wall behind basketball shooting table			
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	30(3)	Jan 28, 2020	
Comments: CD player stored on top of cubbies with dangling cord, splintered wood on leg of loft.			
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)	Feb 04, 2020	
Comments: Insufficient quantity and variety of creative art materials in the after school room.			

<b>General Comments</b>
<p>The children were observed to be actively participating in play within the interest centres. Educators were interacting with the children at their level and providing the children with opportunities to expand on their learning through conversation.</p> <p>A balance of indoor and outdoor play occurred. The preschool children moved seamlessly through the activities of the morning indicating that they are familiar with the routine of the day.</p>

General Comments

The preschool children's portfolios are being maintained and evidence of documentation supports the children's learning based on their interests. Displays of the children's art and mark-making are valuable additions that are posted within their learning environment.

Discussed purposeful programming for the school age children and the importance of capturing their interests through experiments, project work and so on. What are the children talking about? What would the children like to explore? Also discussed open-ended art and the importance of creativity and imagination.

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Patricia Kelley

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Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

January 28, 2020

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Date

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Jennifer Robinson

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Signature of Operator/Designate

January 28, 2020

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Date