

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 MELVINA BARRETTE	Licence Number 2014047	Inspection Date December 22, 2021	
Facility Name Little Bits Early Learning and Care 2		Telephone Number (506) 625-0045	
Address 107 Henderson Street Miramichi NB E1N 2R8			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Vanessa Giberson		Position Title Inspector	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
31(5) A full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre shall have an outdoor play area of at least 4.5 m ² for each child receiving services at the centre, allowing for at least half of the maximum number of children stated on the licence to be accommodated at any one time.	31(5)	Jun 30, 2022	
Comments: The bottom of the fence is not secured to the ground and is beginning to lift. Operator has agreed to make repairs in the spring when the ground is no longer frozen.			

<p>General Comments</p> <p>Visit to the facility for the annual inspection. Ratio was respected during the visit. Afterschool children were at school.</p> <p>Discussed with operator adding their observations of the children's interest to their planning and documentation.</p> <p>Also discussed children going outside every 4 hours as per the regulation. Children did not go outside during my visit but were going out when I was leaving.</p> <p>Recommended operator adding her duties to her file.</p> <p>Observations: Children were coloring when I arrived. The also did some reading and cutting. The also were building Legos and blocks and also played in the dramatic area. The children then washed their hands and had lunch.</p> <p>The facility meets licensing requirements under the Act and regulations. Recommending licensing for another year once the public health inspection report is received by our department.</p>

original signed by
Vanessa Giberson

November 24, 2021

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

Date

original signed by
Melvina Barrette

Signature of Operator/Designate

November 24, 2021

Date