

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	Licence Number		ber	Inspection	Inspection Date	
Fredericton Christian Academy Inc.	2015032		August 13, 2024			
Facility Name				Telephone	Telephone Number	
Fredericton Christian Academy Early Childhood Learning Centre			(506) 458-9379			
Address						
778 MacLaren Avenue Fredericton NB E3A 3L7						
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff			Position Title			
Tanya Gaudet			Inspector			
Order for Compliance		Regulation		Date to be	Date corrected	
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General Comments

Licensing staff arrived at the licensed preschool on August 13th, 2024, to conduct the yearly license renewal inspection. When licensing staff arrived, the children and educators were engaging in play activities in the outdoor play environment.

While observing the children playing outdoors, licensing staff noted numerous wooden play materials that the children had access to. To name a few wooden materials, there was a wooden play kitchen, various sized sticks and branches, various sized stumps, and a well with a pump.

Along with wooden play materials in the outdoor play environment, there were other wooden materials such as pergolas, that provide shade from the sun, as well as garden beds with plants growing in them.

The outdoor play environment is very welcoming.

The transition from the outdoor play environment to the indoor play environment was a very smooth transition. After putting toys away, the children lined up at the gate and once all children were ready, the group headed indoors. Once indoors, the children washed their hands and got ready for morning snack.

While conducting observations in the indoor play environment, immediately after morning snack, an educator asked a child to, "feed their lunch box," using the child's lunch and snack items that were left on the table after they were done eating. The child was eager to "feed her lunch box," by placing the snack items into their lunch box. Licensing staff heard a lot of giggles by the child while "feeding their lunch box."

The indoor play environment was very clean and organized. Licensing staff noted distinct play centres such as a cozy centre, an arts and craft centre, a dramatic play centre along with a building centre.

Date

original signed by Tanya Gaudet Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

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Signature of Operator/Designate

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Date