

Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report

Type of Inspection:
Monitoring 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 Dunn Learning Academy Inc.		Inspection Date February 12, 2026
Facility Name Dunn Learning Academy - Montessori/Afterschool Program		Licence Number 2017204
Address 572 New Maryland Hwy New Maryland NB E3C 1K1		Telephone Number (506) 292-1788
Type of Facility Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre	Maximum Number of Children 60	Ages of Children INFANTS PRESCHOOL SCHOOL-AGE
ELCC Licensing Staff Lindsay Lewis	Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected

General Comments

Licensing Staff arrived at the facility to conduct a Monitoring Inspection. Numbers were low today, so the 3-year-old class was combined with the 4-year-old class. The children were gathered together with an Educator playing a rhyming game as they waited for their turn to wash hands for morning snack. In the Infant room they were observed making a craft upon arrival. Each infant had a paint brush, paper plate and got to pick which color paint they wanted to use. The Educators sat with the group as they painted and were heard offering praise and encouragement.

Once the infants had finished painting and the 3/4-year-old class was done eating snack, both groups were observed getting ready to go play outside. The Educators offered assistance when needed with hats, mittens and boots. A verbal headcount was heard before the groups left the classroom. The transition to the outdoor play environment was smooth. All classes were observed having outdoor play time. In the large play area children were observed playing with shovels, buckets, a climb structure with a slide and a mud kitchen. The infants were observed having races in their fenced in play area. The Educators were well spread out while playing outside and were actively engaged with the children.

The transition back inside the facility was smooth. In the infant room, one Educator sat with the children reading books while the other Educator mopped near the cubby area. Proper diaper changing procedures were observed before the infants had lunch. In the 3/4-year-old class the class sat together to read "Best Furry Friends" and have a group discussion about what friendship means before preparing for lunch. Only positive child guidance was observed during today's Monitoring Inspection. The Educators were engaged with the children and the children appeared comfortable with the Educators and the daily routine. Staff files were reviewed for a new staff member. The file contained all required documents.

original signed by
Lindsay Lewis

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

February 13, 2026

Date

original signed by
Lisa Dunn

Signature of Operator/Designated staff

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"

February 13, 2026

Date