

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 Little Munchkins Preschool Inc.	Licence Number 2017916	Inspection Date July 14, 2020
Facility Name Little Munchkins Preschool Center 2017		Telephone Number (506) 474-1843
Address 2288 640 Highway Hanwell NB E3E 2E8		
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Joanne Voyer Page		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
10(1) The number of educators that are required for a group of children of mixed ages receiving services at a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre is calculated as follows: (a) by multiplying the number of children of the same age by the corresponding factor set out in Schedule A; and (b) by adding the results obtained under paragraph (a).	10(1)	Jul 14, 2020	
Comments: staff child ratios not being maintained during children's naps and staff lunch hour			
28(2) An operator of a licensed facility shall carry out emergency evacuation and fire drills monthly.	28(2)	Jul 31, 2020	
Comments: No drills recorded for June since facility reopened.			
29 An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that the traffic area and the outdoor walk-ways of the licensed facility are free from obstructions and hazards.	29	Jul 31, 2020	
Comments: Please address fencing slat - 1 needs replaced at back of outdoor play area, wood lumber boards need replaced on walkway - poses a tripping hazard, concerned with storage bins on top of pergola - please store on the ground. I believe fencing height at back of yard is less than 4 feet high. I think it may be because of the added mulch. Fencing must be minimum of 4 feet high. Please keep the kitchen gate locked at all times. Fridge door lock needs replaced as it is no longer locking though no medications stored currently in the fridge. Thank you.			
9(1) The child-to-staff ratio is one educator for each of the following groups of children of the same age receiving services at a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre: (a) three infants or fewer; (b) five children or fewer who are two years of age; (c) eight children or fewer who are three years of age; (d) ten children or fewer who are four years of age or older, but who are not yet attending school; and (e) 15 school-age children or fewer.	9(1)	Jul 14, 2020	
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<p>General Comments</p> <p>Renewal Inspection performed.</p> <p>*Upon arrival, babies and two/three split group napping. The 3/4/5 age group downstairs have a quiet activity</p>
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General Comments

time on their mats, but then up and about within 30-45 minutes. Three staff on site over staff lunch breaks and children napping time. See comment above as staff child ratios must be maintained on the premises at all times.

*Please address safety hazards as indicated above. The operator has indicated the fencing is to be replaced this summer.

*Lovely outdoor play area and lots of wonderful natural shade and a variety of different wild flowers growing. Oodles of fun educational active play experiences for outside play.

*As stated above please ensure that parents have provided the household contact list. This must be stored in all child files.

*Based on my observation the Centre is following appropriate Covid -19 procedures - cleaning schedules are visible and completed several times throughout the day.

original signed by
Joanne Voye Page

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

July 14, 2020

Date

original signed by
Ashley Connolly

Signature of Operator/Designate

July 14, 2020

Date