

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 Kiddie Cove Preschool and Daycare	Licence Number 2018244	Inspection Date May 26, 2025
Facility Name Kiddie Cove Preschool and Daycare		Telephone Number (506) 752-7000
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Aimee Hanson		Position Title Inspector

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
24(1) For the purposes of subsection 20(1) of the Act, the following records and documents shall be maintained on the premises of a licensed facility: (c) staff member records that include (iii) a description of the staff member's duties and responsibilities.	24(1)(c)(iii)	May 22, 2025	
Comments: One staff file missing their description of duties and responsibilities. To be added.			
24(1) For the purposes of subsection 20(1) of the Act, the following records and documents shall be maintained on the premises of a licensed facility: (c) staff member records that include (iv) a signed declaration confirming that the staff member has read and understood his or her obligations under the Act and this Regulation.	24(1)(c)(iv)	May 22, 2025	
Comments: One staff file was missing signed statement regarding obligations under the Act and Licensing regulation. To be added.			
24(1) For the purposes of subsection 20(1) of the Act, the following records and documents shall be maintained on the premises of a licensed facility: (c) staff member records that include (vii) a copy of a valid first aid certificate and a valid cardiopulmonary resuscitation certificate for each administrator and educator.	24(1)(c)(vii)	May 22, 2025	May 08, 2025
Comments: First aid certificate missing in one staff file. Printed and corrected during inspection.			
40(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that personal belongings of a child receiving services at the licensed facility that are brought to the licensed facility, including combs, brushes, toothbrushes, towels, washcloths, bedding, pacifiers and soothers, are (a) labelled with the name of the child.	40(1)(a)	May 22, 2025	May 08, 2025
Comments: Three infant soothers not labelled. Corrected during inspection. Deficiency is now compliant.			
40(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that personal belongings of a child receiving services at the licensed facility that are brought to the licensed facility, including combs, brushes, toothbrushes, towels, washcloths, bedding, pacifiers and soothers, are (c) stored separately for each child.	40(1)(c)	May 22, 2025	May 08, 2025
Comments: Three infant soothers stored together. Soothers must be in individual containers. Corrected during inspection. Deficiency is now compliant			

General Comments

A monitoring inspection occurred on May 8, 2025.

Children in the two-year-old room were observed climbing the play structure in classroom upon arrival. Educator indicated the children's current interests are cars, trucks, building and planting.

Preschool children were observed engaged in a variety of activities such as a flower sensory bin, reading and open-ended art. Educators indicated the children's current interests are reading, games, plants, flowers and art. Educators have a variety of plants in the room and flower sensory bins to expand on the children's interests. Educators stated children help to water the plants in the classroom.

Children were observed eating lunch. Proper handwashing procedures were followed before mealtime. Educators were observed sitting at the table engaging in conversation with the children at lunch time.

Various documentation such as learning stories, pictures, individual portfolios and classroom portfolios were observed in both rooms. In addition, documentation was observed in the hallways leading into the classrooms. Opportunities for individual and group learning experiences was observed.

The following documents were reviewed and complete: incident logs, monthly fire drills, and daily attendance records.

A discussion occurred between licensing and Administration for the following.

Standing water in outside play yard. Administrator stated there is plan in place for drainage to be dug to prevent standing water. Educator to ensure children are not permitted to play in water.

Wooden mud kitchen beside barn had broken, decaying wood. Administrator stated work order is in place to have mud kitchen removed; children are not permitted to play with mud kitchen. Will be removed within two weeks.

Light fixture in Two/Three class not working. Administrator stated a work order is in place to have repaired, no date for when it will be repaired was provided.

Licensing recommended outside check list be created to check play yard before outside play. Goose feces was observed outside play yard fence on monitoring.

One wood piece on grey picnic table inside classroom is splintering to be repaired or replaced.

Educators to ensure paint is accessible and out for children all times in the day.

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Aimee Hanson

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

May 08, 2025

Date

original signed by
Alyssa Chute

Signature of Operator/Designate

May 08, 2025

Date