



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 TOBY CLARK	Licence Number 2018314	Inspection Date April 18, 2024	
Facility Name PORTER STREET PRESCHOOL AND AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM		Telephone Number (506) 672-2683	
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Cathleen LeBlanc		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

<p>General Comments</p> <p>A Monitoring Inspection was completed this morning. Quality Assurance Monitors Cathleen LeBlanc and Robyn Nelson completed today's inspection. Upon arrival, children were observed playing in the woods, collecting sticks, for their pretend bon fire. Children were also observed taking part in an outside obstacle course. Operator was engaged, taking part in both activities.</p> <p>Once inside, handwashing procedures were observed. Children were observed sitting at the large table, eating snack. Operator was engaged during snack time, sitting with the children, eating their own snack, and conversing with the children. After snack, children were observed washing their hands, before play.</p> <p>Positive child guidance techniques were observed - gentle reminders, offering choices, understanding child development, preparing children for transitions, using positive language when interacting with the children, and respecting children's feelings.</p> <p>Several well-defined learning centers were observed, some of which included: building, cozy corner, arts and crafts, science, and dramatic play. These centers were well stocked with materials and accessories. Several forms of documentation were observed throughout the facility - photos, learning stories, children's portfolios, etc.</p>

original signed by
Cathleen LeBlanc

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

April 18, 2024

Date

original signed by
Toby Clark

Signature of Operator/Designate

April 18, 2024

Date