



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 Tobique First Nation Child & Family Services Inc.	Licence Number 2020082	Inspection Date November 10, 2021	
Facility Name Tobique First Nation Headstart		Telephone Number (506) 470-5930	
Address 13104 105 Route Tobique First Nation NB E7H 3Y2			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Mary Ramsay-Irving		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

General Comments

I was signed in and my temperature was taken upon my arrival at the center. They appear to be diligent about the health and safety of the people in the center. When I first arrived I noticed a lot of documentation of children's learning posted in the entranceway. This documentation is well done, and children's work is displayed throughout the center.

The children played outside this morning on the playground. The playground is spacious and the children appeared to have fun running and playing. The former play structure was taken out and the plan is to have a new structure put up in the spring. There is plenty of shade outside with two shade structures and many trees. The outdoor area is checked for safety regularly. When the children came into the center they had lunch.

I checked some staff files and they are very organized and contained up to date checks, and other necessary documentation. The center meets the regulation that at least 50% of educators must have their ECE diploma. As discussed, please include a staff signed statement in each file as well.

The indoor area is bright and welcoming and the classrooms are set up well. There are a variety of materials and activities for the children, and there is a plan to add more sensory materials to their classrooms as well. Today I saw paintings drawing on the drying rack, paintings hanging on the easel, and a sensory table set up with water, bubbles, and various materials. All materials in the classrooms are kept on low, accessible shelves for the children which adheres to the licencing regulations. Children's work was hanging on the walls. As discussed, please remember to cover the TV cords on the classrooms.

Fire drills are being completed monthly, fire extinguishers were maintained this year, and first aid kits are being kept up to date. At the time of my visit, it appeared that everything was running well and the center was clean and organized.

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Mary Ramsay-Irving

November 10, 2021

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

Date

original signed by
Kelly Saulis

November 10, 2021

Signature of Operator/Designate

Date