



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 Cedar Brook Forest School Inc.	Licence Number 2020084	Inspection Date September 10, 2024	
Facility Name Cedar Brook Forest School		Telephone Number (506) 260-6256	
Address 3532 Woodstock Road Fredericton NB E3E 1C9			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Nancy Glendenning		Position Title Inspector	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

General Comments

Upon arrival, the children were preparing to go outside. One of the educators of this group, was very energetic and was seen singing and playing with the children. They engaged with the children with ease and was able to get their attention very easily.

The children went to the forest and the educators took books that surrounded their current interests with them. The educators were seen reading to the children and playing seek and find games.

The outdoor classroom that they use is very much set up like the indoors. It includes but is not limited to a block area, a water area, tool area, quiet area, book area, and art area. The educators are incorporating the indoors with the outdoor learning.

The children have been involved in the process of growing vegetables. They have helped grow tomatoes, potatoes, squash, zucchini, celery, lettuce, beans and beets to name a few. By doing this, they were able to cook with the grown items and taste them. The operator stated that they made zucchini muffins, salsa and were able to cook the potatoes on an open fire.

The educators are aware of the children's interests and do their best to add materials and activities that will help their learning grow. There is evidence of the children's art work and projects both inside and outside of the facility. The educators are documenting their learning through learning stories and pictures. There appears to be a good balance.

Staff and children's files are complete. The filing system for required licensing documentation is very well organized, and the Operator and educators are using all required forms and checks.

I can now recommend facility for licensing.

original signed by
Nancy Glendenning

September 10, 2024

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

Date

original signed by
Kari Sprague

Signature of Operator/Designate

September 10, 2024

Date