

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 BLG Consulting Ltd.	Licence Number 2021002	Inspection Date October 01, 2024	
Facility Name BLG Forest Of Dreams Daycare		Telephone Number (506) 214-0678	
Address 1 Baxter Road Saint John NB E2H 2V5			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Jodi Hennessey		Position Title Inspector	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
21 The daily activities of a licensed facility shall be purposely planned in advance and documented and shall respond to the capabilities, needs and interests of each child.	21	Oct 07, 2024	
Comments: *It was observed in the 2-year-old room downstairs lack of materials for the number of children. It was observed: kitchen centre without accessories, tool bench without accessories, toy bbq without accessories, one doll and 5 foam blocks. More materials required for this room.			
21 The daily activities of a licensed facility shall be purposely planned in advance and documented and shall respond to the capabilities, needs and interests of each child and shall include (a) time and space for and a free choice of play experiences for exploration and discovery.	21(a)	Oct 07, 2024	
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21 The daily activities of a licensed facility shall be purposely planned in advance and documented and shall respond to the capabilities, needs and interests of each child and shall include (c) opportunities (i) for group and individual experiences.	21(c)(i)	Oct 07, 2024	
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21 The daily activities of a licensed facility shall be purposely planned in advance and documented and shall respond to the capabilities, needs and interests of each child and shall include (c) opportunities (vii) to develop trusting, respectful and supportive relationships with educators and children.	21(c)(vii)	Oct 07, 2024	
Comments: Not Observed			
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)	Oct 07, 2024	
Comments: *One staff with not approved Basic First Aid Training. Cannot be alone with the children until new is completed.			
28(3) The premises of a licensed facility shall comply with (a) lighting, ventilation and other general health standards under the Public Health Act.	28(3)(a)	Oct 07, 2024	
Comments: *It was observed in the 3/4-year-old room, food on the floor and table left from when the children had morning snack. Children had been outside for approximately one- and one-half hours and this was not cleaned. Floors and table to be cleaned after snacks/lunch times to clean up the food spills.			
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	30(3)	Oct 07, 2024	
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31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	Oct 07, 2024	
Comments: *Fence has pulled away from support posts in two spots, to be repaired. * Yellow pallet rotten, to be removed. * Grass growing up around fence, to be cleared/mowed.			
31(6) The outdoor play area of a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre at which services are provided to infants or preschool children shall be enclosed with a fence at least 1.22 m in height with a gate that is secured at all times when the children are present.	31(6)	Oct 07, 2024	

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32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (a) varied and in sufficient quantity for the number and ages of the children receiving services at the licensed facility.	32(1)(a)	Oct 07, 2024	
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37 An operator of a licensed facility shall not permit a child receiving services at the licensed facility access to the kitchen unless the child is supervised.	37	Oct 07, 2024	
Comments: *Downstairs kitchen unlocked. To be locked at all times.			

General Comments

On September 25, 2024, a visit occurred at the facility and a Monitoring Inspection was generated from observations during the visit.
 Recommending that new Educators sign up for the Professional Learning-Forum for new Educators. This will be a monthly gathering throughout the year (mostly in-person with a couple sessions being offered virtually through TEAMS). New educators can sign up through the Early Childhood Services Newsletter that went out September 2024. If any questions, please contact your Inspector or Quality Assurance Monitor.

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 Jodi Hennessey

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

October 01, 2024

Date

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 David Xu

Signature of Operator/Designate

October 01, 2024

Date