

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 Elm City Childcare Ltd.	Licence Number 2021009	Inspection Date August 05, 2025
Facility Name School of Discoveries		Telephone Number (506) 440-6458
Address 150 Cowperthwaite Street Fredericton NB E3A 9Y5		
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Lindsay Lewis		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
43 An operator of a licensed facility shall not permit hot beverages in areas that are occupied by the children receiving services at the licensed facility, including the outdoor play area, unless (a) the beverage is in a spill-proof container	43(a)	Aug 05, 2025	Aug 05, 2025
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			

General Comments
<p>Licensing Staff Lindsay Lewis and Dominique Boudreau arrived at the facility to perform a Monitoring Inspection. Upon arrival, all classes were inside the facility engaged in activities. Morning snack was observed. As the children finished snack, the children engaged in a variety of activities such as playing with cars, looking at books, building with magnetic tiles and coloring.</p> <p>Later in the morning sunscreen was applied and water bottles were filled as they prepared for outdoor play. The infants laughed and smiled as they took turns blowing bubbles with the Educator. A small group of school aged children brought looming materials outside and were observed sitting on a blanket as they made bracelets. Others used chalk to draw pictures and played an Axe throwing game with plastic axes with the Operator. While outside, the Educators were well spread out to ensure proper supervision was maintained.</p> <p>The transition back inside the facility was smooth. Diapers were changed and hands were washed as the children prepared for lunch time. Inside the facility is clean, organized and welcoming. Current learning stories, family pictures and artwork were on display throughout the classrooms. Only positive child guidance was observed during today's Monitoring Inspection. The Educators were observed playing with the children, encouraging independence and offering praise. As a reminder, please ensure outdoor playgrounds are not locked while in use.</p>

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Lindsay Lewis

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

August 05, 2025

Date

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August 05, 2025

Amanda Donaher

Signature of Operator/Designate

Date