

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 Inspire Early Learning Centre Inc.		Inspection Date June 10, 2026
Facility Name Inspire Early Learning Centre 1		Licence Number 2021029
Address 186 Adelaide Street Saint John NB E2K 1X1		Telephone Number (506) 333-0008
Type of Facility Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre	Maximum Number of Children 52	Ages of Children PRESCHOOL SCHOOL-AGE
ELCC Licensing Staff Britta Garnett	Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
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<p>General Comments</p> <p>Monitoring Inspection:</p> <p>Children and educators observed engaged in a variety of activities this morning and afternoon. The preschool groups had spent the morning exploring the neighbourhood on purposefully planned walks. One group went on a "Lion Hunt" and played gross motor games at the park. The other group went out looking for rainbows, looking at waterfalls and they picked some flowers to make bouquets when they arrived back at the building. The school-age children were observed exploring Lego and dolls after they arrived from school.</p> <p>Purposeful planning is evident through documentation, invitations and materials added to the environments that support the children's current interests (vehicles, house/babies, flowers, and sensory). Invitations to play were set-up for the children throughout the day both indoors and outdoors. A walk log has been created to support educators in planning purposeful neighbourhood walks; educators document where they are going and the children's experiences and learning.</p> <p>During the inspection, it was observed that the Administrator actively circulated throughout the building to provide support to educators and children as needed, including during transition periods.</p> <p>QA Monitor noted that one educator is now taking on a Literacy Lead role within the facility. They are supporting educators and children by providing additional literacy opportunities and intentionally incorporating literacy throughout the learning environment.</p> <p>The shed in the large outdoor play area on the side of the building has been removed; staff inquired if this would allow the space to hold more children. QA Monitor measured the space and has approved it for two more children. This area is now approved for 30 children.</p> <p>Tuna casserole was served for lunch today. Children were observed helping serve meals and tidying up their dishes independently when finished.</p> <p>Handwashing routines were observed after outdoor play, at arrival from school and before mealtimes.</p>

General Comments

Monthly fire drills are documented.
Daily attendance records are accurate and reflect all children present. Child-to-staff ratio was observed to be met during Monitoring Inspection.
New staff file (4) review was completed. One file is missing a signed statement, to be added.
Incident logs are complete and signed by parent/guardians.
Facility is currently meeting the 50% trained Early Childhood Educators (4/4) requirement.

original signed by
Britta Garnett

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

June 15, 2026

Date

original signed by
M. Mackenzie

Signature of Operator/Designated staff

June 15, 2026

Date

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"