

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 Brighter Launchpad Preschool and Daycare Learning Centres Inc.	Licence Number 2022009	Inspection Date June 03, 2025	
Facility Name Beautiful Beginnings Early Learning and Childcare Centre		Telephone Number (506) 334-8834	
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Tanya Gaudet		Position Title Inspector	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
10(8) For the purposes of this section, an infant may only be grouped with children of a mixed-age group outside the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and on the condition that the infant is grouped with preschool children and other infants.	10(8)	Jun 03, 2025	Jun 03, 2025
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant When licensing staff arrived at the licensed facility to conduct the license renewal inspection, the infants were outdoors playing while the preschool children were outside playing for a short amount of time. When licensing staff relayed to the administrator that until the Change in Service is submitted to the licensing department and the fence is built, to separate part of the outdoor play space for the infants to play, the infants and the preschool need to take turns outdoors playing. When this was relayed to the administrator, they brought the infants inside as they went outdoors to play earlier than the preschool children and had a sufficient amount of time outdoors playing before the preschool children went outdoors.			
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 (iv) to explore the arts and sciences.	21(c)(iv)	Jun 13, 2025	
Comments: While there are some distinct play centres in each classroom, licensing staff did not observe science materials for the children to play with. Please ensure there are science materials for the children to engage with while the children are playing in the indoor environment.			
28(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall not change the allocation of space used to provide services or add to or alter any building or facility or any part of them unless the Minister has approved the changes in writing.	28(1)	Jun 03, 2025	Jun 03, 2025
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant When licensing was observing the children playing in the outdoor environment, it was noted that a section of the outdoor playground was sectioned off using orange ribbon and when licensing staff asked why a section of the playground was sectioned off it was relayed to the inspector that they were using the sectioned off part of the playground for the infants so all children could play outside at the same time. This is not permitted as a Change in Service is required to change the playground and the infants and preschool children are not permitted on the playground together. Until the Change in Service is submitted to the licensing department the infants and the preschool are to schedule different times for their outdoor play.			
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	30(3)	Jun 03, 2025	

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Comments: While observing the children in the infant room, licensing staff noted a number of materials, supplies, etc. being stored on the top of the storage shelf inside the classroom which poses to be a safety hazard. Please remove all materials, supplies, etc. from the shelf to maintain the safety of the children.			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	Jun 03, 2025	
Comments: While observing the children play in the outdoor environment, licensing staff observed the following safety hazards: -The siding is falling off and missing on the side of the building and is sharp to the touch. Please fix and replace the siding that is missing to ensure the safety of the children -The fence is broken in numerous places and is sharp to the touch. Please replace the fence to ensure the safety of the children. -There are multiple deep holes in in the ground inside the outdoor environment and poses to be a tripping hazard to the children and staff. Please fix the holes to ensure the safety of the children and staff.			
31(5.1) The outdoor play area of a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre shall include a shaded area of at least 0.45 m2 for each child that can be accommodated in the outdoor play area as provided under subparagraph 4(1)(g)(ii)	31(5.1)	Jun 03, 2025	
Comments: While observing the children outdoors playing, licensing staff noted there was not enough shade for the children. Please add shade in the outdoor play environment.			
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)	Jun 13, 2025	
Comments: Licensing staff noted multiple play centres set up in each classroom, however, licensing staff noted that there were no science materials in any of the classrooms. Please add science play materials in each of the classrooms for the children to play with and explore.			
33(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide outdoor play area materials and equipment that are varied and in sufficient quantity for the number and ages of the children receiving services at the licensed facility.	33(1)	Jun 13, 2025	
Comments: While observing the children playing outdoors, licensing staff noted that there are not enough play materials outside for the children to engage with. Please add play materials outside for the children to play with.			
49(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that the guidance of the children receiving services at the licensed facility is positive and includes positive reinforcement, encouraging efforts and recognizing accomplishments.	49(1)	Jun 03, 2025	
Comments: While licensing staff was observing the children in the indoor play environment during quiet time, an educator told a child to go back to their bed using a harsh tone. Please only use positive child guidance with children when asking them to do a task.			

General Comments
<p>Licensing staff arrived at the licensed facility as children were still being dropped off for the day.</p> <p>All children played outdoors in the morning before having their lunch. Children were observed washing up before having lunch and quiet/nap time.</p> <p>Child guidance strategies were used in most classrooms during the license renewal inspection. Educators were observed engaging with the children at the child's level. Evidence of learning was posted in numerous places throughout the indoor play spaces and entrance of the facility. In most classroom, learning stories along with pictures of the children engaging in learning activities were posted on the walls for the children to look at and re-visit the learning experiences.</p> <p>Please ensure that television is not used as part of the daily schedule. Licensing staff observed a group of</p>

General Comments

children watching television during nap/quiet time.

All educator and child files were organized and complete with all required information.

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Tanya Gaudet

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

June 03, 2025

Date

original signed by
Jessica Hunter

Signature of Operator/Designate

June 03, 2025

Date