

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 Rising Stars Daycare Corp.	Licence Number 2022016	Inspection Date October 17, 2025	
Facility Name Rising Stars Daycare - Sussex		Telephone Number (506) 331-1000	
Address 1085 Main Street Sussex Corner NB E4E 3C8			
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 31, 2025	
Comments: Inspector observed that in the infant room, the 2-3's room and the 3-4's rooms that the children's current learning is not documented and displayed. Documentation is from September and is not relevant to the children's current interests. Discussed documenting the children's learning with the Administrator during the monitoring inspection			
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	30(3)	Oct 17, 2025	
Comments: Inspector observed in the Infant room on the left wall adjacent to the 2/3's room that one of the electrical plug covers is broken. To be replaced.			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	Oct 17, 2025	
Comments: Inspector observed in the outside play area: 1. Pink/White wooden hut, there is a significant gap between the boards which could cause a child's foot to become caught. Boards to be added to ensure the safety of the children playing on the structure. 2. Outside the fenced in play area, there was observed broken boards with nails, garbage and empty boxes for the trash. 3. Red mud kitchen, boards on the front of the opening where a bowl is stored is broken, to be repaired.			
39(2) A licensed facility shall have a separate locked storage space that is inaccessible to the children for each of the following: (a) toxic products, chemical products and cleaning supplies;	39(2)(a)	Oct 14, 2025	
Comments: Inspector observed a can of wall paint under the table in the school-age room.			
41(1) A licensed facility at which services are provided to children who wear diapers shall have a sturdy surface that is (a) equipped with rails or safety straps.	41(1)(a)	Oct 17, 2025	
Comments: Inspector observed in the Infant washroom that the diaper change station that is attached to the wall is broken at the hinge and is coming unattached from the wall. To be replaced/repaired.			

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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)	Oct 14, 2025	
Comments: During the Monitoring Inspection, Inspector overheard the Educators in the 3/4 year old room asking the children to clean up the toys. It was overheard that only two children would be given stickers as "super cleaners". Discussed with Educators in the room that positive child guidance includes setting reasonable limits and guidelines that make sense to the children; offering choices and assisting children in decision-making, understanding child development; using positive reinforcement and encouragement rather than competition, comparison and criticism.			

General Comments
A monitoring inspection occurred today to confirm the following: Ratio, staff checks, and staff qualifications and training. The orders for compliance on this report were from a visit to the childcare centre earlier this week. Inspector verified that child-to-staff ratio was being met and maintained throughout the day. All staff on site had all required Criminal Record Checks/ Vulnerable Sector Checks, Social Development Checks, First Aid training, job descriptions, signed statements, Early Childhood Education Certificate and/or 90hr Introduction to Early Childhood Education. (trained or waiting training to begin).

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Jodi Hennessey

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

October 17, 2025

Date

original signed by
Julie Barker

Signature of Operator/Designate

October 17, 2025

Date