

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 YMCA of Southwestern New Brunswick Inc.		Inspection Date June 30, 2026
Facility Name YMCA - St. Mark's - ASP 2		Licence Number 2023070
Address 50 Dexter Drive Saint John NB E2M 4M4		Telephone Number (506) 650-3665
Type of Facility Part-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre	Maximum Number of Children 29	Ages of Children SCHOOL-AGE
ELCC Licensing Staff Britta Garnett	Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	

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	Jul 10, 2026	
Comments: Purposeful planning not evident. Purposeful planning to be visible through invitations, materials added to the environment and planned activities that support the children's interests. Purposeful planning to be documented on a weekly/monthly planning sheet, journal, or binder.			
28(2) An operator of a licensed facility shall carry out emergency evacuation and fire drills monthly.	28(2)	Jul 10, 2026	
Comments: Monthly fire drills not documented for May 2026. To be conducted and documented monthly.			
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)	Jul 10, 2026	
Comments: Dramatic play materials depleted. Examples of items to add, but not limited to costumes, hats, scarves, purses, office supplies, restaurant items, clipboards, cash register, money, pretend food, real life items, loose parts, tools, items that support the children's interests.			

General Comments
Monitoring Inspection - Summer Day Camp: Children observed engaged in a variety of activities this morning including building, drawing and puzzles. A small group of children were engaged in building with cardboard boxes and hot glue. Another group were drawing pictures of characters. The group went on a neighbourhood scavenger hunt before lunch. QA Monitor left recommendations with staff on ways to make the environment more inviting for the children. Examples of items to add, but not limited to plants, soft lighting, photos, documentation supporting current interests and experiences, challenges, art pieces, items from nature and age-appropriate books displayed throughout the room. During inspection it was determined that children have an interest in building, spiders, venomous animals, and gross motor games. Purposeful planning is to reflect the ongoing interests of the children. QA Monitor discussed

General Comments

the possibility of adding a Workshop space for dramatic play with loose parts, hot glue guns, work gloves and cardboard.

Rugs/carpets are accumulating debris and food remnants, to be vacuumed regularly.
Pencils, pencil crayons, sharpeners, and erasers to be added to art area.

Hand-washing routines were not completed after outdoor play and before lunch. A review of hand-washing routines to be completed by staff.

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 (3) review was completed; one file not on site, QA Monitor was able to confirm documents digitally.
Ensure all staff have a file on site with required documents.

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Britta Garnett

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

July 15, 2026

Date

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Operator did not return signed report.

Signature of Operator/Designated staff

July 15, 2026

Date

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"