

## 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.

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| Name of Operator<br>The Park Early Education Corp.                |                                  | Inspection Date<br>September 17, 2026 |                |
| Facility Name<br>Origins at the Park 1                            |                                  | Licence Number<br>2024019             |                |
| Address<br>101 Origins Lane Saint John NB E2K 5J4                 |                                  | Telephone Number<br>(506) 608-8333    |                |
| Type of Facility<br>Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre | Maximum Number of Children<br>60 | Ages of Children<br>PRESCHOOL         |                |
| ELCC Licensing Staff<br>Jodi Hennessey                            | Position Title<br>Inspector      |                                       |                |
| Order for Compliance                                              | Regulation                       | Date to be corrected                  | Date corrected |

### General Comments

A renewal inspection was conducted today on the license.

Licensing observed children participating in both the indoor and outdoor learning environments. Documentation displayed throughout the three learning environments reflected the children's learning experiences, interests, and ongoing explorations. Current learning opportunities included investigating shadows, participating in nature scavenger hunts, exploring worms and mud, painting rocks, creating letters using sticks and twigs, learning about living things, investigating moss, plants, and flowers, exploring how animals build homes in nature, and engaging in nature-based art experiences. Educators also share children's learning and development with families through Bright Wheel.

During lunchtime, children were observed eating outdoors alongside their educators. Children were seated on a tarp, at picnic tables, or on tires arranged throughout the outdoor learning areas. Prior to lunch, children returned to the childcare center for handwashing and diaper changing.

In the outdoor learning environments, each group was observed utilizing its designated space. Room 2 uses the fenced play area, while Rooms 1 and 3 have designated outdoor classrooms. The outdoor classrooms were equipped with mark-making materials, mud kitchens, cozy spaces, and a variety of play materials to support children's learning and exploration.

Children and educators were also observed taking nature walks throughout the campus. Meaningful discussions were noted regarding birds heard singing in the area and deer that had recently been observed on the property.

Licensing recommends that additional mulch be installed in the outdoor learning environment known as "Jungle Junction," specifically beneath the tire swings and hammock, to help reduce the risk of injury from exposed rocks and tree roots.

Licensing also recommends that additional mulch be added in the outdoor learning environment known as "Pride Lands," particularly beneath the swing, hammock, and ninja line area, to help reduce the risk of injury from exposed rocks and tree roots.

General Comments

Educators were observed consistently responding to the needs of the children and utilizing positive child guidance practices during their interactions.

Based on observations made during the inspection, the facility is recommended for license renewal.

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Jodi Hennessey

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Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

September 22, 2026

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Date

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Erin Schryer

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Signature of Operator/Designated staff

September 22, 2026

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Date

*"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"*