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Cover Sheet

Date: 5/10/2022 **VisitType:** Monitoring Visit **Arrival:** 10:30 AM **Departure:** 12:10 PM

CCLC-27330

Kid's Time Learning Academy

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Quality Rated: ★ ★

Compliance Zone Designation			Compliance Zone Designation - A summary measure of a program's 12 month monitoring history, as it pertains to child care health and safety rules. The three compliance zones are good standing, support, and deficient.
05/10/2022	Complaint Investigation & Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
04/22/2022	Complaint Investigation & Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
04/22/2022	Complaint Closure	Good Standing	

Good Standing - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.
Support - Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting rules.
Deficient - Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.

Ratios/License Capacity

Building	Room	Age Group	Staff	Children	NC/C	Max 35 SF.	35 SF. Comp.	Max 25 SF.	25 SF. Comp.	Notes
I: Main	1L: A	Infants and One Year Olds and Two Year Olds	2	19	NC	22	C	NA	NA	Diapering, Transitioning
I: Main	1R: E-Front	PreK	1	9	C	23	C	NA	NA	Lunch, Transitioning
I: Main	1R: F		0	0	C	12	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
I: Main	2L: B	Three Year Olds	1	10	C	20	C	NA	NA	Transitioning, Nap, Lunch
I: Main	2R: D-Middle		0	0	C	23	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
I: Main	3R: C-Rear		0	0	C	22	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 122						Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0				
I: Main-Rear	2R: G		0	0	C	12	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
I: Main-Rear	3R: H		0	0	C	12	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
I: Main-Rear	4R: I		0	0	C	17	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 41						Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0				
II: Rear/Kit	J: Left		0	0	C	18	C	NA	NA	Not In Use

II: Rear/Kitchen	K: Right	0	0	C	15	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
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		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 33			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0				
Modular	L: Left	0	0	C	14	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Modular	M: Right	0	0	C	20	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 34			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0				
Total # Children this Date: 38		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 230			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0				

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
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Comments

MV conducted this date.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 05/10/2022

Any rule violation which subjects a child to injury or life-threatening situation or any rule violations previously cited but not corrected, may result in the imposition of an adverse enforcement action. Serious or continued noncompliance may also jeopardize participation in one or more DECAL program(s).



Please refer to the website, <http://www.dec.state.ga.us/CCS/Regulations.aspx>, for information regarding October 1, 2018 rule changes about Criminal Records Checks that may affect your facility. In summary,

- New records checks will be required to be completed if a staff member experiences a six month break in service from the child care industry
- New clearance is required at least once every five years
- Any staff member solely responsible for supervising children will be required to have completed a comprehensive background clearance
- All staff members are required to have completed at least a national fingerprint based clearance check
- Any staff member with only the national fingerprint based clearance, must be under constant and direct supervision of a staff member with a satisfactory comprehensive records check clearance
- Facilities are required to use DECAL KOALA for Criminal Records Checks, including to verify portability of an employee



Important Quality Rated/CAPS Update:

As January 1, 2022, child care providers must be Quality Rated to receive Childcare and Parent Services (CAPS). Newly licensed, or new to CAPS providers may be eligible for the new CAPS/QR Provisional Status, allowing for scholarships while working toward a star rating.

Contact the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or qualityrated@dec.state.ga.us for more information. Free technical assistance is available!

O.C.G.A. Section 42.1.12(i)(2) requires Bright from the Start: Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning to notify licensed child care programs on accessing and retrieving from the Georgia Bureau of Investigation's (GBI) website a list of the names and addresses of all registered sexual offenders. Please see GBI's website located at <http://gbi.georgia.gov> to access the Georgia Sex Offender Registry.

Refutation Process:

You have the right to refute any of the citations noted in this report with which you disagree. To refute a citation(s), do the following:

- 1) Log into DECAL KOALA www.decalkoala.com with the userid for your program
- 2) On the home page scroll down to the Inspection Reports and select 'Refute Citation' for the visit report in dispute
- 3) Select the specific rule number(s) that you are refuting, add the reason for disagreement regarding the rule citation, and upload supporting documentation
- 4) Submit the refutation in DECAL KOALA to Child Care Services (CCS) within 10 business days of the completion date.

Your refutation will be forwarded to the appropriate CCS manager, who will follow up with you about your concerns. If you have any questions about this process, contact our office at 404-657-5562.'

Bright from the Start recommends that all licensed child care providers carry liability insurance coverage sufficient to protect its clients. If you do not have this liability insurance, you are required to post a notice with ½ inch letters in a conspicuous location in the program, notify the parent or guardian of each child in care in writing, obtain their signature to acknowledge receipt and maintain this written acknowledgment on file at the program at all times while the child attends the program and for 12 months after the child's last date of attendance. (O.C.G.A. Section 20-1A-4)

Dana Dixon, Program Official

Date

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Findings Report

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The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

Activities and Equipment

591-1-1-.12 Equipment & Toys(CR)

Met

Comment

Equipment and furniture observed to be properly secured, as applicable.

591-1-1-.35 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)

Met

Comment

Center does not provide swimming activities.

Facility

591-1-1-.19 License Capacity(CR)

Met

Comment

Licensed capacity observed to be routinely met by center.

591-1-1-.25 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)

Not Met

Comment

No hazards observed accessible to children on this date.

Finding

591-1-1-.25(3) requires the Center and surrounding premises to be kept clean, free of debris and in good repair. Hygienic measures such as, but not limited to, screened windows and proper waste disposal procedures shall be utilized to minimize the presence of rodents, flies, roaches and other vermin at the Center. It was determined based on observation that ceiling tiles were missing the hallway near the Pre-K and three-year-old classrooms.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will have the Center and surrounding areas cleaned, make repairs where needed, and remove all debris is removed. The Center will implement a plan to keep areas clean and in good repair that includes regular monitoring.

Correction Deadline: 5/10/2022

591-1-1-.26 Playgrounds(CR)**Technical Assistance****Technical Assistance**

591-1-1-.26(4) - Per the Director the upper playground was not in use. Please ensure the gate to the upper playground remains closed so the area is inaccessible.

Correction Deadline: 5/10/2022

Health and Hygiene

591-1-1-.10 Diapering Areas & Practices(CR)**Met****Comment**

Proper diapering procedures observed.

591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR)**Met****Comment**

Proper hand washing observed throughout the center.

591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR)**N/A****Comment**

The Provider currently does not dispense/administer medication.

Safety

591-1-1-.11 Discipline(CR)**Met****Comment**

Age-appropriate discussion and/or redirection observed.

591-1-1-.36 Transportation(CR)**Met****Comment**

Complete documentation of transportation observed. It was discussed that the bus was not stored on site.

Sleeping & Resting Equipment

591-1-1-.30 Safe Sleeping and Resting Requirements(CR)**Met****Comment**

Discussed SIDS and infant sleeping position.

Staff Records

Records Reviewed: 7**Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0**

Staff # 1	Met
Staff # 2	Met
Staff # 3 Date of Hire: 02/08/2016	Met
Staff # 4 Date of Hire: 07/01/2011	Met
Staff # 5	Met

Records Reviewed: 7

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Date of Hire: 09/12/2016

Staff # 6

Met

Date of Hire: 01/09/2004

Staff # 7

Met

Date of Hire: 07/13/2007

Staff Credentials Reviewed: 4

591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records and Comprehensive Background Checks(CR)

Met

Comment

Criminal record checks were observed to be complete.

591-1-1-.31 Staff(CR)

Met

Comment

Staff observed to be compliant with applicable laws and regulations.

Staffing and Supervision

591-1-1-.32 Staff:Child Ratios and Group Size(CR)

Not Met

Finding

591-1-1-.32(2) requires the Center maintain Staff:child ratios in mixed-age groups based on the age of the youngest group of children that includes more than twenty percent of the total number of children in the mixed-age group. It was determined based on observation that a ratio of 2:18 was maintained in the 1L classroom. Two infant children were present, along with thirteen one year-old children and four two year-old children. A ratio of 3:18 was required.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will provide adequate staff when there is a mixed-age group.

Correction Deadline: 5/10/2022

591-1-1-.32 Supervision(CR)

Met

Comment

Adequate supervision observed on this date.