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ACTING DIRECTOR

**Report Type:** Interim  
**Inspection Type:** Interim

**Date of Inspection:** 4/9/2024  
**Date of Report:** 4/11/2024

Licensee Name(s)	License Number
Birch Run Area Schools	DC730268837
Capacity	Facility Name
76	Birch Run Area Preschool
Program Type	Licensee Designee(s)
Center	Kristine Paquette
Central Administrator(s)	Program Director(s) Name
N/A	<b>Meagan Lynn Roeser</b> <b>Qualifications: R400.8113(9)(f)</b> <b>Date PD Approved: 6/19/2014</b>
Facility Address	Mailing Address
12440 Church Street, Birch Run, MI, 48415	12400 Church St, Birch Run, MI, 48415
Facility Phone Number	Facility Email Address
9896249011	kpaquette@birchrnschools.org

### Findings of the Inspection

A copy of this Interim inspection report and any associated corrective action plans is available on the Child Care Licensing Bureau [website](#) under [Statewide Search for Licensed Child Care Centers and Homes](#). A description of when interim inspection reports are completed can be found under [Overview of Licensing Reports](#).

The purpose of the Interim inspection was to determine compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules for child care Center.

During the onsite inspection, I observed the caregivers providing direct supervision of children napping during rest time. I observed children engaged in quiet activities such as reading. I observed hand washing and snack time. I observed children being directly supervised during outdoor play activities. Caregiver interactions were observed to be positive and nurturing. Required records were organized and readily available for review.


During the Interim inspection, licensing consultant Mary Smith found 1 violation. The violations are listed and explained below. An acceptable written corrective action plan was received on 4/9/2024.

If you have any questions regarding the report, please contact licensing consultant, Mary Smith, at (989) 780-0924. In the event that Mary Smith is not available, and you need to speak to someone immediately, please contact the Child Care Licensing Bureau at 517-284-9730.

<b>Inspection Details</b>		
<i>Number of Rules/Statutes Reviewed</i>	<i>Number of Rules/Statute Violations</i>	<i>Number of Rules/Statutes where Technical Assistance was Provided</i>
156	1	0
<i>Number of Children's Records Reviewed: Number of Children Enrolled</i>	<i>Number of Child Care Staff Member Records Reviewed: Number of Staff Employed</i>	<i>Number of Volunteer Records Reviewed: Number of Volunteers</i>
15: 78	10: 10	0: 0
<i>Number of Children Observed: Number of Children Present During Inspection</i>	<i>Number of Child Care Staff Members Observed: Number of Child Care Staff Members Present During Inspection</i>	<i>Number of Volunteers Observed a: Number of Volunteers Present During Inspection</i>
53: 53	10: 10	0: 0
<i>Licensee Interviewed</i>	<i>Program Director Interviewed</i>	<i>Child Care Staff Members Interviewed</i>
Yes	Yes	Yes

<i>Rule Number</i>	<i>Rule</i>	<i>Analysis</i>	<i>Conclusion</i>
R 400.8161(5)	Emergency procedures. A fire drill program, consisting of at least 1 fire drill quarterly, must be established and implemented.	The center did not complete a fire drill in the first quarter of 2024. as required.	Repeat Violation Established  Reference: 4/29/2015 Violation Established

<b>Bureau Recommendation</b>
You have submitted an acceptable corrective action plan. I recommend no change in the status of the license.

<b>Approved By:</b>			
			
<b>Mary Smith</b> <b>Licensing Consultant</b>	<b>Date 4/11/2024</b>		