



## Center Licensing Inspection Full Report

All licensed child care programs are inspected at least once each year. Non-compliances are documented and grouped as Serious, Moderate or Low risk violations. Documenting statements and supplemental information may be included in this report. Licensing inspection reports from the previous three years can be viewed on the child care website at <http://jfs.ohio.gov/CDC/childcare.stm>. This includes complaint investigation reports with substantiated allegations. For any other child care records, please contact the Child Care Help Desk at 1-877-302-2347, option 4.

Program Details			
Program Name Ivybrook Academy	Program Number 2240030173	Program Type Child Care Center	
Address 5459 N Hamilton Rd Columbus OH 43230			County FRANKLIN
Building Approval Date	Use Group/Code	Occupancy Limit	Maximum Under 2 ½
Fire Inspection Approval Date	Food Service Risk Level		

Inspection Information		
Inspection Type Annual	Inspection Scope Full	Inspection Notice Unannounced
Inspection Date 02/05/2026	Begin Time 10:00 AM	End Time 2:00 PM
Reviewer: Colleen Adkinson		

Summary of Findings				
No. Rules Verified 56	No. Rules with Non-compliances 6	No. Serious Risk 0	No. Moderate Risk 3	No. Low Risk 5

License Capacity and Enrollment at the Time of Inspection				
Age Group	License Capacity	Enrollment		
	Totals	Full Time	Part Time	Total
Infant ( Birth to < 18 m)		0	0	0
Young Toddler		10	3	13
<b>Total Under 2 ½ Years</b>	12	10	3	13
Older Toddler		6	2	8
Preschool		22	0	22
School Age		0	0	0
<b>Total Capacity/Enrollment</b>	96	28	2	43

Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection			
Group	Age Group/Range	Ratio Observed	Comment

Toddlers	18 months to < 30 months	0 to 0	No kids in attendance because enrolled in A.M. program
Twos	18 months to < 30 months	0 to 0	Not in attendance A.M program
Threes	30 months to < 36 months	0 to 0	Not in attendance A.M. only
Navigators/Explorers	30 months to < 36 months	1 to 5	M-F AM and PM program

### Summary of Non-Compliances

*If a program disagrees with a licensing finding, the program may request a review of the finding(s). Ohio Administrative Code 5180:2-12-03 and 5180:2-13-03 detail the process for submitting a request for review. The request for review must be submitted within seven business days from the receipt of the licensing report. In addition, if the program is star rated, the rating may be impacted if a serious or moderate risk non-compliance is cited.*

### Serious Risk Non-Compliances

**No Serious Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection**

### Moderate Risk Non-Compliances

**Domain: 00 License & Approvals**

Rule: 5180:2-12-04 Fire Inspection

Code: The program is required to have all spaces used for child care inspected by the fire department or the state fire marshal's office prior to serving children. The program is required to obtain a fire inspection without any uncorrected violations within 12 months from the date of the last fire inspection. If violations are noted during the inspection, the program is required to have all violations corrected and have the program re-inspected to obtain a completed fire form.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined the program did not meet the requirements for fire inspection as noted in number(s) 1 below:

1. The program did not have documentation on file for a fire inspection without any uncorrected violations within 12 months from the date of the last fire inspection and the request for the new inspection was not made at least 30 days prior to the expiration of the previous fire inspection.
2. The documentation for the most recent fire inspection contained violations that had not been corrected.
3. The [ ] space was being used and had not been approved by the fire department or the state fire marshal's office for child care.

Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes an updated fire inspection without any uncorrected violations, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/08/2026

**Domain: 00 License & Approvals**

Rule: 5180:2-12-04 Food Service Requirements

Code: The program is required to obtain and maintain a valid food license if they prepare and/or serve food. The program is required to correct any food service violations to maintain their food service license.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the program failed to obtain or maintain a valid food service license as noted in number(s) 3 below:

1. The program was unable to obtain the food service license due to violations.
2. The program was unable to maintain the food service license due to violations.
3. The program prepared and/or served food without obtaining a valid food service license. The local health department must be contacted so the health official may determine whether the program meets exemption status, or whether the program needs a food service license.

Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a copy of the food service license or exemption status, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/08/2026

**Domain: 05 Health & Safety**

Rule: 5180:2-12-22 Meal and Snack Requirements

Code: Meals and snacks provided or served by the program must include all required food groups and meet the recommended daily dietary allowances as specified by the USDA.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that a meal or snack at the program did not meet the requirements as noted in number(s) 7 below:

1. The breakfast served did not include foods from three of the four food groups.

2. Snack served did not include foods from two of the four food groups.
3. The meal did not provide 1/3 of the recommended daily dietary allowances as specified by the USDA.
4. Juice used to meet the fruit or snack component was not 100% undiluted fruit or vegetable juice.
5. The meal served did not include an item from the meat or meat alternative group.
6. The meal served did not include an item from the bread or grain group.
7. The meal served did not include two items from the fruit/vegetable group.
8. The meal served did not include a vegetable (two fruits were served).
9. The meal served did not include a serving of fluid milk.

Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/08/2026

### Low Risk Non-Compliances

#### Domain: 00 License & Approvals

Rule: 5180:2-12-04 Food Service Requirements

Code: The program is required to maintain a copy of the current Ohio Department of Agriculture registration for any off-site food processing establishment they may utilize.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that a copy of the off-site food processing establishment's current Ohio Department of Agriculture registration was not on file at the program. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a copy of the current registration, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/08/2026

#### Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5180:2-12-12 Safe Environment

Code: The program is required to store chemicals and cleaning and sanitizing supplies in a place that is inaccessible to children. Cleaning agents, aerosol cans and chemical substances must be stored in their original

container or clearly labeled. School-age children may use cleaning supplies and equipment with adult supervision.

Finding: During the inspection, a potentially hazardous substance, which was determined to not present a serious risk to a child, was not used or stored properly as noted in number(s) 2 below:

1. Cosmetics were accessible to children in the [ ] area.
2. Disinfecting wipes were accessible to children in a couple rooms and Chemical sprays were in a separate room with the door open.
3. Fish food was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
4. Hand lotion was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
5. Hand sanitizer (for children under 24 months) was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
6. Laundry detergent was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
7. Powder dish washing soap was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
8. Paint cans were accessible to children in the [ ] area.
9. White out was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
10. Potting Soil was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
11. Other potentially hazardous substance [ ] was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
12. Cleaning/sanitizing supplies had not been clearly labeled.
13. School-age children were using cleaning supplies, agents and/or equipment without adult supervision.
14. A spray aerosol was used in the [ ] group while children were in attendance.
15. Other: [ ].

Provide staff training. Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/08/2026

### **Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment**

Rule: 5180:2-12-12 Safe Environment

Code: The program is required to provide an environment that protects the children in care from any items and conditions that may threaten their health, safety, and well-being.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that children were not protected from item(s) or condition(s) which may threaten their health, safety, or well-being as noted in number(s) 5 below:

1. Surge protectors/outlets did not have childproof receptacle covers.
2. Open pull cords that are not closed loop.
3. Toys or other items small enough to be swallowed were present in the space where infants and/or toddlers were in care.
4. Electrical/extension cords attached to an object that would not likely result in a severe injury if pulled.
5. Stacked chairs.
6. Employee(s) purse(s).

7. Diaper bags.
8. Television not securely anchored.
9. Small or lightweight pieces of shelving units are not securely anchored to the wall.
10. Smoke detector needing batteries replaced.
11. An area rug did not have a nonskid backing.
12. An area rug presented a tripping hazard.
13. A floor surface that was unsafe in that [ ].
14. No platform was provided for the sink or toilet in the [ ] classroom.
15. The platform provided for the sink or toilet in the [ ] classroom was not sturdy.
16. The platform provided for the sink or toilet in the [ ] classroom posed a safety hazard in that [ ].
17. Telephone cords.
18. Staff member stepped over a barrier/gate while holding a child.
19. Emergency exits were blocked by the following classroom furniture: [ ].
20. A mercury thermometer was being used to take a child's temperature.
21. Methods of ventilation used did not provide protection from rodents, insects, or other hazards.
22. .

Provide staff training. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a statement that training was provided, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/08/2026

#### Domain: 08 Staff Files

Rule: 5180:2-12-07 Administrator Responsibilities/Requirements

Code: The program administrator is required to maintain current employee records in the Ohio Professional Registry.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined employment records in the Ohio Professional Registry (OPR) were not created or maintained as noted in number(s) 5 below:

1. At least one administrator, employee or child care staff member (including substitutes) had not created a profile.
2. At least one administrator, employee or child care staff member had not created an employment record for the program on or before their first day of employment.
3. At least one administrator, employee or child care staff member had not updated changes to positions or roles within five calendar days of the change.
4. The administrator had not assigned at least one employee or child care staff member to the program's organization dashboard.
5. At least one individual's schedule was not current.
6. At least one individual's position or role did not include an applicable group assignment.
7. At least one individual's employment had not been end dated.
8. Other: [ ]

Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/08/2026

**Domain: 08 Staff Files**

Rule: 5180:2-12-10 Professional Development Requirements

Code: The program is required to ensure child care staff members, including substitutes used more than ninety days annually, obtain at least 6 hours of professional development each state fiscal year.

Finding: In review of the staff records, it was determined that at least one child care staff member did not meet the annual professional development requirement as noted in number(s) 1 below:

1. The child care staff member(s) had not completed at least six hours of professional development.
2. Documentation did not demonstrate the person who provided the training met the trainer qualifications as stated in the rule.
3. Training topic did not meet the requirements listed in appendix A of this rule.
4. Documentation of training did not meet the requirements of this rule.
5. The substitute(s) had been used more than ninety days annually between July first and June thirtieth and had not completed at least six hours of professional development
6. Other [ ].

Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

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**Rules In-Compliance/Not Verified**

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-16 Written Disaster Plan	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-02 License Posted	Compliant	
5180:2-12-04 Building Department Inspection	Compliant	
5180:2-12-02 Current Information	Compliant	
5180:2-12-03 Inspection Requirements	Compliant	
5180:2-12-07 Administrator Qualifications	Compliant	
5180:2-12-07 Written Program Policies and Procedures	Compliant	
5180:2-12-08 Medical Statement	Compliant	
5180:2-12-08 Child Care Staff Member Educational Requirements	Compliant	
5180:2-12-08 Orientation Training & Whistle Blower Protection	Compliant	
5180:2-12-09 Background Check Requirements	Compliant	
5180:2-12-10 Health Training Requirements	Compliant	
5180:2-12-11 Indoor Space Requirements	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-11 Separation of Children Under 2 1/2 Years	Compliant	
5180:2-12-11 Outdoor Space Requirements	Compliant	
5180:2-12-12 Safe Equipment	Compliant	
Rule: 5180:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Equipment	Not Verified	Documenting Statement: The outdoor play space and equipment were not viewed during this inspection due to snow covering the entire play area, however, the requirements were discussed.
Rule: 5180:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Fall Zones	Not Verified	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the requirements of the rule regarding outdoor play fall zones were discussed due to not being able to verify due to inclement weather.
5180:2-12-13 Sanitary Equipment and Environment	Compliant	
5180:2-12-13 Handwashing Requirements	Compliant	
5180:2-12-13 Smoke Free Environment	Compliant	
5180:2-12-15 Child Medical and Enrollment Records	Compliant	
5180:2-12-15 Medical/Physical Care Plans	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable

5180:2-12-16 Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-16 Emergency Drills	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-16 First Aid/Standard Precautions	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-16 Management of Communicable Disease	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-16 Incident/Injury Reporting	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-17 Materials and Equipment	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-17 Daily Schedule	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-18 Attendance Records	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-18 Group Size	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-17 Daily Outdoor Play	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-18 License Capacity	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-18 Ratio	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5180:2-12-19 Supervision	Compliant	



Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-19 Child Guidance	Compliant	
5180:2-12-22 Safe Food Handling/Storage	Compliant	
5180:2-12-22 Fluid Milk Requirements	Compliant	
5180:2-12-23 Diapering and Toilet Training	Compliant	
5180:2-12-25 Medication Administration	Compliant	