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CHILD CARE CENTER ANNUAL EVALUATION

Name of Center: Beyond The Bell-Sunnyside

Provider No.: 30193

Address: 2700 S Maple St, Sioux City, IA, 51106

County: Woodbury

Director's Name: Jenna Andrews

On-Site Supervisor: Jenny Orozco

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HHS Visit Date: 11/13/2025

Licensing Period: 11/01/2024 to 11/01/2026

Fire Inspection:

Date Inspected: 01/09/2024

Comments:

Report Visit Type:

- [ ] PTO
- [X] Licensing Visit
- [ ] Drop In
- [ ] Administrative Change

License Type:

- [X] Full
- [ ] Provisional

Quality initiative:

- [ ] Accrediation

Program Duration:

- [ ] Year-Round
- [X] School Year
- [ ] Summer Only

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Program Population Served:

- [ ] Infant(0-<24 Months)
- [ ] Toddler
- [ ] PreSchool
- [X] School Age
- [ ] All Ages

LICENSE CAPACITY	Infants	2 Years	Preschool	School-Aged	Capacity
General				50	50
Summer					0

1. Basic Overview

I completed an unannounced visit on 11/13/25 where I was able to speak with Lead worker, LyAnn Foster. Jenny Orozco is the onsite supervisor and was not present. Ms Ohrazada has worked with the Beyond the Bell program for several years and supervises several of the before/after school programs. Ms. Foster has many years of experience working with children at this age. The program utilizes the gym/lunchroom. The center operates from Monday thru Thursday 3:30 to 6:00pm and Friday 1:30 to 6:00pm. The program is administered by the Beyond the Bell organization. The program serves school age children TK to 5th grade.
There is entrance is secure, and you need to be let in by staff. There are 54 children enrolled in this program and at the time of my visit there were 9 children present. All areas of the program were observed. This included classroom observations and activities, nutritional practices, health and safety practices, playground observation, field trip and transportation practices, and administrative review.

Daily schedule of activities was posted. During the visit, this worker observed that the childcare environment contained enough age-appropriate equipment and toys to support the developmental needs of the children in care. The materials were accessible, well-maintained, and organized in a manner that encouraged independent exploration and engagement. Positive interactions between staff and children were consistently observed. Staff members demonstrated warmth, attentiveness, and responsiveness to the children's needs, fostering a nurturing and supportive atmosphere.

Ms. Foster is actively engaged in teaching the children about core family values, incorporating these lessons into daily routines and activities. Her classroom environment reflects a clear structure, with established routines that promote a sense of security and predictability for the children. Additionally, Ms. Foster utilizes positive reinforcement strategies to encourage appropriate behavior and support social-emotional development. Her approach contributes to a respectful and inclusive learning environment.

The program utilizes the Playground Application to manage administrative tasks, including attendance, communication, and documentation. This system appears to be effectively integrated into daily operations. snacks are provided through a partnership with the Sioux City School District. The center follows Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) guidelines to ensure meals and snacks meet nutritional standards. Good food storage practices were observed, with all items properly labeled, dated, and stored at appropriate temperatures.

A review of the facility confirmed that the first aid kit is sufficiently stocked to treat minor injuries. Fire and tornado drills have been completed as required. Program areas appeared well-maintained and free of observable health or safety hazards at the time of the visit. First aid kit is sufficient to treat minor injuries.

The goal is to increase enrollment.

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2. Identify Observed Strengths of the program

This worker observed staff directly engaging with children through interactive games, guided activities, and meaningful conversations. Their participation fosters a positive learning environment, encourages social development, and supports the children's emotional well-being.

3. Identify the aspects that fall below the standard

109.11(8)c: All centers: Annual inspection prior to heating season of all fuel-burning appliances to reduce risk of carbon monoxide poisoning and shall install one carbon monoxide detector on each floor that conforms to UL Standard 2034.

4. Any corrective action plans, provisional license, and safety plans-steps to get into compliance

5. Special Notes/Recommendations

Center needs to email consultant by 1231/25 confirming that those aspects which fall below standards have been corrected.

A full license is recommended at this time.

At least one visit will be made to the center during the next year.

Date: 11/17/2025

HHS Licensing Consultant: Leann Steinhauer

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