

Port Lavaca Playground Safety Checklist

(To be completed monthly.)

George Adams / San Antonio St

General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>missing material / needs new surface</i>
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>woods / needs mowing or weed killer</i>
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>rust, cracks / needs resurfacing and paint</i>
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Slides	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Slides are free of obstructions and protrusions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Exit regions are level.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A

Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A

Inspector name, signature, and completion date

Name: Jose Villalobos

Signature: [Signature]

Date: 5/16/25

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General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Rust / resurface and paint - Repaint
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Rust / Re paint - replace handles
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Slides	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Slides are free of obstructions and protrusions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hole in slide / replace slide
Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Exit regions are level.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Cracks - Dint / pressure wash - repaint
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Inspector name, signature, and completion date

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Wilson Field

General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Hole in floor / repair hole</i>
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Hole in floor / repair rubber</i>
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>rust sharp edges / resurface - replace</i>
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>rust, cracks, holes / resurface - replace</i>
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Slides	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Slides are free of obstructions and protrusions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Exit regions are level.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Foot Holds / Rungs - Re-Place
Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A

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Tilly Park / By Ashton Field

General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>graffiti / repaint</i>
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>sharp edges - rust / resurface - replace</i>
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Rust, cracks / resurface - replace</i>
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>

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Slides	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Slides are free of obstructions and protrusions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Exit regions are level.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Rubber is cracked / Replaced
Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A

Inspector name, signature, and completion date

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Signature: [Signature]

Date: 5/20/25

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Tilly Park / By Store

General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>weeds / rocks weed killer</i>
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Wraffiti / Repaint</i>
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>Sharp edges - rust / resurface - replace</i>
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Rust / resurface - replace</i>
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Exit regions are level.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a

Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a

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Bayfront

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Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Broken Turtle head / remove Turtle</i>
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>

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Slides	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Slides are free of obstructions and protrusions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Exit regions are level.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a

Inspector name, signature, and completion date

Name: Jose Villalobos

Signature: [Signature]

Date: 5/20/25

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Splash Pad / Seefront

General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/a</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/a</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/a</i>
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/a</i>
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/a</i>
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/a</i>
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/a</i>
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/a</i>
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/a</i>

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Slides	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Slides are free of obstructions and protrusions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Exit regions are level.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A

Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A

Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A

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Date: 5/20/25

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Claret Crossing

General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/a</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/a</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Slides	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Slides are free of obstructions and protrusions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Exit regions are level.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Butterfly Park

General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Woods / needs wood killed</i>
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>deteriorating rubber / replace</i>
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Sharp edges / replace Platform</i>
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>rust, cracks / replace Platform</i>
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Slides	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Slides are free of obstructions and protrusions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Exit regions are level.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	rust / replace
Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A

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Date: 5/20/25

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Lighthouse / Behind Pool

General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Rust, rot / the surface - paint</i>
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>

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Slides	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Slides are free of obstructions and protrusions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Exit regions are level.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A

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Splash Pad / Light house bench

General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>surface rust / Resurface & paint</i>
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>

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Slides	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Slides are free of obstructions and protrusions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Exit regions are level.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A

Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A

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Light house beach / by splash pad

General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Holes on floor / Repair rubber</i>
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>sharp edger - rust / Resurface + Paint</i>
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>rust, cracks / Resurface + Paint</i>
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>n/A</i>

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Slides	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Slides are free of obstructions and protrusions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipped with platforms to facilitate access to the sitting position.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Platforms are equipped with guardrails or equivalent protective equipment.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Average incline is less than 30 degrees.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Exit regions are level.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Metal slides are shaded to prevent overheating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A

Climbing Equipment	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hand grips are secured and do not rotate.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rope or chain ladders are anchored at both ends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Foot holds/rungs are in good condition and adequately spaced.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Seesaws	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Seesaws are free of cracks, corrosion, and other obvious structural defects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Equipment is provided with spring centering devices or cushioning material to prevent abrupt contact with the ground.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Fulcrums/pivot points are free of pinch or crush hazards.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A
Handholds are provided at each seating position.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/A

Inspector name, signature, and completion date

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Signature: [Signature]

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Light house beach / At beach

General Inspection	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Playground area is free of litter and debris.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of anthills/hazardous insects or toxic plants.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is free of holes and other tripping hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proper signage with rules, hours, and age-appropriate use is posted.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Playground area is properly fenced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Self-latching gate works as designed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Surfacing	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Approved surfacing material is used (i.e. solid rubber, artificial grass or turf, play sand, pea gravel, wood chips, rubber mulch).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material under and around equipment is adequate depth (6-12 inches).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Surfacing material is free of glass, debris, or other foreign objects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Weeds / need some weed killer</i>
Surfacing material is not compacting or deteriorating.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rubber wear mats are used under high-traffic-use areas and covered by sufficient depth of surfacing material.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Proper drainage prevents water from forming puddles.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment Hazards	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Equipment is not damaged or vandalized.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free from sharp points, corners, or edges.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Sharp edges - rust / Resurface - Replace</i>
Protective caps or plugs are not missing or damaged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of potential clothing entanglement hazards.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment free of pinch and crush points or exposed moving parts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is free of rust, rot, cracks, and splinters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>rust, cracks / Resurface - Replace</i>
Equipment is free of entrapments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equipment is safely anchored.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Swings	Pass	Fail	Problem / Solution
Hardware and chains are in good condition.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Swings are a safe distance from other playground equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Swings are 24 inches apart.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Edges of seats are smooth and free from obstructions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>
Adequate depths of surfacing material extend out a minimum distance of twice the height of the swing.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>N/A</i>

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Pass Fail

Problem / Solution

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