

<b>Supervision</b>	<b>2000 %</b>	<b>2004 %</b>	<b>2000 Grade</b>	<b>2004 Grade</b>
Adults present	57	33	F	F
Easily viewed	100	100	A+	A+
Crawl spaces	100	82	A+	B-
Supervision rules posted	0	25	F	F
<b>Overall Grade: Supervision</b>			<b>D+</b>	<b>C+</b>
<b>Age-Appropriate Design</b>	<b>2000 %</b>	<b>2004 %</b>	<b>2000 Grade</b>	<b>2004 Grade</b>
Had separate areas	71	NA	C-	NA
Signage for age group provided	13	NA	F	NA
Provided change of direction	100	100	A+	A+
Had guardrails	100	100	A+	A+
Prevented climbing outside the structure	43	92	F	A-
Supporting structure prevented climbing on	100	100	A+	A+
<b>Overall Grade: Age - Appropriate Design</b>			<b>B-</b>	<b>A</b>
<b>Fall Surfacing</b>	<b>2000 %</b>	<b>2004 %</b>	<b>2000 Grade</b>	<b>2004 Grade</b>
Suitable materials provided	100	100	A+	A+
Heights of equipment 8 feet or lower	NA	100	NA	A+
Appropriate depth of loose fill	67	91	F	A-
Six foot use zone had appropriate surface	100	92	A+	A-
Concrete footings were covered	93	92	A-	A-
Free of foreign objects	100	0	A+	F
<b>Overall Grade: Fall Surfacing</b>			<b>A-</b>	<b>A-</b>
<b>Equipment Maintenance</b>	<b>2000 %</b>	<b>2004 %</b>	<b>2000 Grade</b>	<b>2004 Grade</b>
Free of broken parts	100	92	A+	A-
Free of missing parts	86	100	B	A+
Free of protruding bolts	100	33	A+	F
Free of noticeable gaps	86	58	B	F
Free of head entrapments	93	100	A-	A+
Free of rust	100	83	A+	B-
Free of splinter	100	NA	A+	NA
Free of cracks/holes	100	91	A+	A-
<b>Overall Grade: Equipment Maintenance</b>			<b>A</b>	<b>B-</b>

<b>Playground Equipment Profile*</b>		
<b>Year of installation</b>	<b>2004</b>	
Pre 1980	0%	
1981-1990	0%	
1991-1994	0%	
1995-1997	17%	
1998-present	83%	
Not available	NA	
<b>Kinds of Equipment**</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2004</b>
Slides	100%	100%
Swings	36%	33%
Horizontal ladders	93%	75%
Sliding poles	79%	50%
Chinning bars	57%	0%
Seesaws	0%	0%
Merry-go-rounds	0%	0%
Geodesic domes	21%	8%
<p>* The number in these columns indicates the percentages of the year of installation. These may contain a combination of different installation years at each playground site. NA represents percentages that are not available.</p> <p>** The numbers in these columns reflect percentages of equipment pieces were found.</p> <p>Grading Scale: A=90-100 B=80-89 C=70-79 D=60-69 F=59&gt;</p>		

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**2000**

**B**

**2004**

**B+**



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