

SAFETY AWARENESS AND ACCIDENT PREVENTION – PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT: 6510

The District recognizes that playground equipment is an essential part of a complete school facility. All playground equipment, whether purchased by the District or donated by a community or school-related group, will be assessed in terms of suitability and durability and for possible health or safety hazards. Consideration shall also be given to potential hazards when the playground is unsupervised during non-school hours.

The Superintendent/designee shall develop specifications for playground equipment and related play surfaces. These specifications shall serve as criteria for the selection of playground equipment. Selection and installation of playground equipment shall be based upon safety and contribution to child development.

Cross References: Administrative Policy – 3432 Emergencies
 Administrative Policy – 6802 Operations and Maintenance of District
 Facilities and School Property

Legal References: RCW 28A.335.300 Playground matting