



## Rationale

The [Outdoor Learning Environment Standards](#) details the minimum standards for creating and maintaining an outdoor learning environment that provides children with optimal learning opportunities and can be used across government and non-government organisations to support this outcome.

Site leaders must exercise their professional judgement to analyse the risks against the benefit of play activities to optimise learning outcomes for children and young people. These tools and processes are provided to help with that assessment.

Schools need to consider:

- design and planning the space for children's learning outcomes
- design standard for quality and safety
- risk management processes and procedures.

The ongoing maintenance and replacement costs of Outdoor Learning Environments are the responsibility of the site.

## Actions

### Playground

Daily visual checks

Quarterly playground checks

Twice yearly SafeWork SA audit tool used

Yearly audits

Replacement schedule followed

Risk assessments completed and updated

Annual aeration and top up of soft fall fill

### Sandpit/ Mud kitchen

Daily checks

Monthly aeration

Top up annually

## Replacement Schedule

	Installed	Replacement possibly due
Playground- composite unit 1	Jan 2007	2022
Standalone spinners	Jan 2007	2022
Playground- composite unit 2	Dec 2001	2016
Mud Kitchen	2020	2030-2035
Sandpit	Jan 2007	2017-2022
Long jump pits	Updated 2023	Annually
Softfall	April 2022	May 2023

## Finance

\$2000 per year to be allocated in the budget for replacement costs in the facilities line

**Equipment register:**

	Item: <b>Mud Kitchen</b>	Item:	Item:
<b>Location</b>	Adjacent to bike shed		
<b>Installation details (installer, date, contact details)</b>	2020 Shane Jacobs - parent		
<b>Manufacturer Warranty details</b>	None		
<b>Inspection and maintenance details</b>	None		
<b>Any other information</b>			