

School Playground Visual Inspection Checklist

School:

Playground:

Date:

Risk Assessment Ref:

	Fixed Equipment (tick boxes)									
	Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
STRUCTURE										
Bent										
Warped										
Cracked										
Loose										
Broken										
Rotten										
SURFACE FINISH										
Rust/Corrosion										
Cracks										
Sharp Edges										
Splinters										
Flaking										
FIXTURES										
Missing Nuts										
Missing Bolts										
Loose Nuts										
Loose Bolts										
Broken										
Worn										
EXPOSED MECHANISMS										
Open Hooks (condition)										
Links (condition)										
Guard Panels (condition)										
MOVING PARTS										
Seized										
No lubrication										
SEATS										
Missing										
Worn										
FOUNDATIONS										
Loose										
SURFACING										
Worn										
OTHER DAMAGE/WEAR										
Vandalised										
Other										

Other/Observations Comments:

Transfer highlighted hazards to risk assessment system and produce action plan

This checklist is intended for frequent visual inspections only. You will need to type or write the name of the equipment being checked e.g slide, swing, sandpit, boat, climbing frame, roundabout etc. any hazards that have been highlighted should then be transferred to your risk assessment system and an action plan

produced. The inspection form needs to be linked to the risk assessment. When the works have been completed the action plan should be signed off as completed.