

## PLAYGROUND INSPECTION PROCEDURE

As guided by the NZS: 5828: 2004 Playground Safety Standards

### DAILY

Routine Visual Inspection

This routine visual inspection enables the identification of obvious hazards that can result from vandalism, use or weather conditions e.g. the hazards can take the form of broken parts or broken bottles.

### BI-MONTHLY

Operational Inspection

The operational inspection is a more detailed inspection to check the operation and stability of the equipment especially for any wear. This should be carried out every 1-3 months.

### YEARLY

Annual Main Inspection

The annual main inspection is done to establish at intervals not exceeding 12 months the overall level of any change in the level of safety of the equipment as a result of repairs made or of added or replaced components.

Note: The manufacturer of the playground or equipment should carry out this inspection

Playgrounds should be...  
**fun, challenging** but most importantly **safe!**

**Call 0800 PLAYGROUND...**

