

The following list of playground rules should be refined to meet the individual school needs. All playground supervisors, including teachers, students, and volunteer supervisors should be introduced to these rules with periodic reminders.

1. No pushing.
2. No running around play structure.
3. Take turns.
4. No fighting.
5. In case of injury - **DO NOT MOVE THE PERSON**. Report to supervisor immediately.
6. No throwing sticks, stones or other objects.
7. No eating while on playground equipment.
8. Playground equipment is off limits during rainy, snowy or icy weather.
9. Skipping ropes, ropes or strings are not permitted on playground equipment.
10. No scarves, loose drawstrings, or bicycle helmets are permitted on playground equipment.
11. Set rules for specific pieces of play - define maximum number of students and age levels permitted.
12. Train teachers, volunteer supervisors and the students about the playground rules. Reinforce.

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