

Supervision	2000 %	2004 %	2000 Grade	2004 Grade
Adults present	100	NA	A+	NA
Easily viewed	69	100	D+	A+
Crawl spaces	54	100	F	A+
Supervision rules posted	0	6	F	F
Overall Grade: Supervision			C-	B
Age-Appropriate Design	2000 %	2004 %	2000 Grade	2004 Grade
Had separate areas	50	NA	F	NA
Signage for age group provided	0	NA	F	NA
Provided change of direction	77	100	C+	A+
Had guardrails	46	100	F	A+
Prevented climbing outside the structure	23	100	F	A+
Supporting structure prevented climbing on	33	100	F	A+
Overall Grade: Age - Appropriate Design			D-	A+
Fall Surfacing	2000 %	2004 %	2000 Grade	2004 Grade
Suitable materials provided	23	69	F	D+
Heights of equipment 8 feet or lower	NA	100	NA	A+
Appropriate depth of loose fill	100	0	A+	F
Six foot use zone had appropriate surface	15	69	F	D+
Concrete footings were covered	62	100	D-	A+
Free of foreign objects	69	100	D+	A+
Overall Grade: Fall Surfacing			D+	B-
Equipment Maintenance	2000 %	2004 %	2000 Grade	2004 Grade
Free of broken parts	62	94	D-	A
Free of missing parts	77	94	C+	A
Free of protruding bolts	15	94	F	A
Free of noticeable gaps	15	69	F	D+
Free of head entrapments	62	88	D-	B+
Free of rust	7	83	F	B-
Free of splinter	28	67	F	D+
Free of cracks/holes	75	100	C	A+
Overall Grade: Equipment Maintenance			D	B

Playground Equipment Profile*		
Year of installation	2004	
Pre 1980	15%	
1981-1990	0%	
1991-1994	15%	
1995-1997	0%	
1998-present	56%	
Not available	19%	
Kinds of Equipment**	2000	2004
Slides	86%	94%
Swings	69%	38%
Horizontal ladders	38%	6%
Sliding poles	31%	13%
Chinning bars	31%	0%
Seesaws	38%	13%
Merry-go-rounds	23%	25%
Geodesic domes	8%	0%
* The number in these columns indicates the percentages of the year of installation. These may contain a combination of different installation years at each playground site. NA represents percentages that are not available.		
** The numbers in these columns reflect percentages of equipment pieces were found.		
Grading Scale: A=90-100 B=80-89 C=70-79 D=60-69 F=59>		

Florida's Child Care Grade:

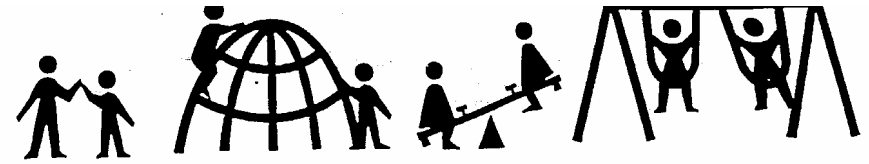
2000

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2004

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