

Think Inclusion!



Playgrounds are for everyone...together, right?

Except my daughter??

Any question on how she feels about this design?

Inclusive play experience commitments!

- The ‘coolest things’ accessible for everyone to experience together
- Lots of different spaces to choose from...quiet, noisy, up high, down low, next to & out of reach
- Social and interactive opportunities that are “with” or “next to”
- Sensory rich experiences...spinning, swinging, jumping, hanging, rocking, sliding, climbing, balancing, musical...
- Multiple levels of challenge to experience side by side
- Accessible routes to the getting on and getting off spot of every play experience
- Unitary & sanitary surfacing with directional and safety cueing
- **FUN FOR EVERYONE TOGETHER!!**

Other things to consider for safety and comfort...

- perimeter fencing
- shade
- perimeter pathways around activity areas
- quiet and cozy spaces
- seating for companions
- private spaces for personal caregiving (family friendly unisex toilets) near the play area
- unitary & sanitary surface with routing to the playground and all the other park amenities

How do you know if it's inclusive and accessible?



- Can they get to it?
- Can they get on it?
- Can they do it with others or alone?
- Can they get off it?
- Can they get back to an assistive device left behind?

Multiple levels of challenge side by side



What is or is not inclusive or accessible here?





What is or is not
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here?

Spinning...



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Swinging...

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Climbing and cozy spaces...



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Balance...

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Ramps and routes...



Rocking...



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Musical play...



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Sliding...



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Roller table play



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Sensory rich play...



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Unitary & sanitary
surfacing with
directional and safety
cueing



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Shading...

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Which inclusive play experience commitments will you make?

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