

Back to School Playground Safety Quiz



Don't let play time be cut short!
Test your playground safety knowledge to prevent injuries.
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1	It is okay to play on playground equipment when the equipment is wet.			TRUE	FALSE
2	How should you play on slides?	A. Climb up from the bottom B. Slide down backwards	C. Slide down head first D. Slide down feet first	A	B C D
3	You should use two hands when playing on climbers.			TRUE	FALSE
4	It is okay to walk close to the swings when they are in use, as long as a friend is swinging.			TRUE	FALSE
5	What should you do if a piece of equipment looks broken?	A. Play on it anyway B. Tell an adult and play on it, but carefully	C. Tell an adult and wait for it to be fixed before playing D. Try to fix it yourself	A	B C D
6	It is okay to swing by laying across the swing seat on your back or stomach.			TRUE	FALSE
7	The ideal shoes to wear on the playground are flip flops.			TRUE	FALSE
8	It is okay to play on equipment with no adults around.			TRUE	FALSE
9	It is okay to play on equipment not for your age group, as long as no one else is playing.			TRUE	FALSE
10	Always dispose of trash in the trash cans.			TRUE	FALSE
11	Loose fitting clothing is ideal when playing on the playground.			TRUE	FALSE
12	When playing on a merry-go-round you should try to spin it as fast as you can.			TRUE	FALSE
13	When playing on the playground it is always a good idea to:	A. Wait patiently for your turn B. Only play on equipment designed for your age	C. Play nicely with others D. All of the above	A	B C D
14	You should never play rough on the playground.			TRUE	FALSE
15	It is okay to climb on the outside of the guardrails.			TRUE	FALSE
16	The items you wear, such as necklaces and hooded sweatshirts, can be dangerous as they can get caught up in equipment.			TRUE	FALSE
17	When playing on a see-saw it is always a good idea to see how many kids can fit on one side.			TRUE	FALSE
18	When playing on a see-saw you should:	A. Always sit facing the center B. Hold on to the handle tightly, with both hands	C. Stay back while the see-saw is in use D. All of the above	A	B C D
19	It is okay to slide down a single slide in groups.			TRUE	FALSE
20	You should always make sure the slide is clear before taking your turn.			TRUE	FALSE
21	Always wear a bike helmet when playing on the playground.			TRUE	FALSE