

Playground Equipment Directory

This directory is a partial listing of companies manufacturing or selling playground equipment. Companies were included free of charge. Inclusion does not imply endorsement by *Child Care Information Exchange*.

Playground Equipment Manufacturers

Angeles Group
9 Capper Drive
Pacific, MO 63069
(call your school supply dealer)

For 35 years, Angeles has been dedicated to making fun, high quality, and safe equipment to enhance outdoor play and learning. Trike paths provide a perfect setting for trike play. We recommend including products such as carousels, rickshaw trikes, cargo trikes, carry-all trikes, and wagons to promote socialization and cooperative play.

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The Adventurous Child Inc.
4871 Duck Creek Road
Cincinnati, OH 45227
(513) 531-7700

We are an innovative company that designs outdoor play environments to inspire a child's imagination and implement a school's educational goals. Our product line includes an outdoor sand table that has a bucket and pulley system built right into it and a large selection of components that are ADA accessible. Call for a catalog.

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Chime Time
One Sportime Way
Atlanta, GA 30340
(800) 477-5075

An exciting and imaginative

resource catalog for professionals working with children. Chime Time features indoor/outdoor playground equipment, safety and play balls, beginning sports equipment, and other innovative movement products. All products carry a one-year satisfaction guarantee. Call for your free catalog.

Creative Recreational Systems, Inc.
PO Box 356
Folsom, CA 95630
(916) 638-5375

Creative Recreational Systems, Inc. manufactures contemporary play equipment constructed primarily from steel, aluminum, and plastic. For more than 24 years, we have provided quality equipment, designs, and installations for schools and parks throughout the United States.

GameTime, Inc.
PO Box 121
Fort Payne, AL 35967
(800) 235-2440

GameTime has been manufacturing park and playground equipment since 1929. With GameTime's concern for the well-being of all children, GameTime, with thousands of modular components, has been the innovator of features like the Entry Archway, the direct-bolt system, the first modular roof system, and the new Qube Systems.

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Hilan Creative Playstructures
PO Box 1300
Almonte, Ontario K0A 1A0
(800) 267-7984

Hilan Creative Playstructures designs, manufactures, and distributes a wide range of playground

equipment and site furnishings for child care centers. Recent developments include barrier free environments and manipulative water play parks. Hilan's products are designed to address the safety issues for today's children. Products are manufactured in pressure treated wood and plastic.

Keiser Corporation
411 South West Avenue
Fresno, CA 93706
(800) 888-7009

Keiser provides both indoor and outdoor playground equipment designed for toddlers to young adults. The Spacemaze is a unique, totally soft, hand-crafted play environment. The 7300 series offers you the luxury of selecting and designing a playground to meet your special requirements.

Kompan
7717 New Market Street
Olympia, WA 98501
(800) 426-9788

Kompan aims to visualize the importance of play for all. We want to demonstrate the potential of play by creative furnishings of public spaces. We concentrate our efforts on the design, production, and marketing of single objects, as well as complete play environments for all children and adolescents.

Krauss Craft, Inc.
PO Box 2111
Cave Junction, OR 97523
(541) 592-6355

Krauss Craft offers a full line of residential structures — Castle, Treehouse, Triple Swing. Also a complete line of commercial wood, plastic, and steel structures and site furnishings. Custom and modular

play structure designs available. All products top quality with 1 year/12 year warranty. Products meet or exceed CPSC safety guidelines.

Landscape Structures Inc.

601 7th Street South, PO Box 198
Delano, MN 55328-9900
(800) 328-0035

Landscape Structures Inc. is a leading manufacturer of outdoor play equipment and park furnishings for child care centers. The company has been an innovator in developing recycled products that conform to ASTM and CPSC safety guidelines. Its PlayBooster®, PlayVenture®, and PlayShaper® structures can be configured to meet ADA accessibility requirements.

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Little Tikes Commercial Play Systems

One Iron Mountain Drive
PO Box 897
Farmington, MO 63640
(800) 325-8828

Over the past four years, Rubbermaid Incorporated and the Little Tikes Company have acquired industry leading companies to form the Commercial Play Division. Now these companies — Iron Mountain Forge, Ausplay, Paris Playground Equipment, and OMNI — are united. This division manufactures the heavy duty commercial play equipment for day cares, schools, and public parks.

Miracle Recreation Equipment Company

PO Box 420
Monett, MO 65708
(800) 423-4202

Miracle, established in 1927, offers a complete line of playground equipment. The industry leader in innovation, Miracle provides the safest and highest quality equip-

ment, offers the most play value, and backs it with the industry's best warranty. Miracle equipment complies with current CPSC and ASTM safety standards and the requirements of the ADA.

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No Fault Industries, Inc.

11325 Pennywood Avenue
Baton Rouge, LA 70809
(800) 232-7766

SAF DEK was originally developed over ten years ago for McDonald's and Disney World. We have installed over 3,400 projects around the world. SAF DEK is seamless, therefore complying with the mandatory ADA for wheelchair accessibility; is porous; and meets all CPSC requirements.

Pacific Outdoor Products

PO Box 50
Maple Valley, WA 98038
(206) 432-6000

Pacific Outdoor Products has manufactured Playsystems and SteelSystems quality playground equipment and site amenities for over 14 years. Our catalog shows wood and steel play structures designed to enhance the play environment for children of all ages. Custom designs also available. We are committed to providing safe, long lasting fun.

Paradigm Playstructures

1250 Potter Avenue
Thousand Oaks, CA 91360
<http://members.aol.com/ghday/kidsplay.html>

Paradigm Playstructures offers an affordable alternative to traditional play structure purchases. Five different construction plans provide everything needed to involve parents in a fun project, allow you to overcome a lack of funds, and enhance the quality of your pro-

gram. Plans for storage included.

PlayDesigns

315 Cherry Street
New Berlin, PA 17855
(800) 327-7571

At PlayDesigns, we know it's not a one-size-fits-all world. Our complete line of early childhood play systems features developmentally appropriate activities that encourage physical and cognitive skill development and meets all CPSC, ASTM, and ADA guidelines. Call today for your free catalog.

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Playground Environments, Inc.

1480 Speonk-Riverhead Road
Speonk, NY 11972
(800) 662-0922

We believe in a universal design so that people of all abilities have equal access to play. There shall be no barriers. We also believe that the play experience should foster and hone our shared values. The play space accomplishes this by featuring intergenerational features, bringing caregivers into the play environment.

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Safe Guard Surfacing Corp.

PO Box 801
St. James, NY 11780
(800) 899-8703

Safe Guard offers a full range of playground safety services. Fully tested to meet all safety standards. Installed by our factory technicians. Competitive and fully warranted. Available in a wide range of colors and designs.

Safeplay Systems

4452 Winifred Drive
Marietta, GA 30066
(800) 260-7218

Safeplay Systems is a full line playground equipment manufacturer producing the safest age appropriate equipment in standard and custom designs. The company manufactures in wood and powder-coated metal. Their specialty is recycled "ECOPLAY." All products fully conform to the CPSC and ASTM standards. Design and installation are available.

Shade Concepts

17972 Skypark, Suite E
Irvine, CA 92714
(800) 50-SHADE

Shade Concepts designs, engineers, and manufactures a range of galvanized and powdercoated steel frame structures that are covered with a high-density knitted polyethylene fabric proven to provide highly effective protection from harmful UV rays. The structures are very durable and maintenance free, making them extremely cost effective.

Shade Works

4901 North Lincoln
Oklahoma City, OK 73105
(800) 979-3434

Affordable, durable solutions for protection from the elements with the most attractive eye-catching colors and structures. These structures, often used to cover playgrounds, sandbox areas, and seating areas, are maintenance free and professionally engineered and installed. The durable UV protected "Cooltone" fabric allows air to ventilate. Warranty on all products.

Step2 Corporation

PO Box 2412
Streetsboro, OH 44241
(800) 446-1135

Step2 Corporation is an Ohio manufacturer of durable, innovative products for outdoor and indoor play. The company was founded

by Tom Murdough, the founder and previous president of The Little Tikes Company. Step2's commitment to quality and value is reflected in its toll-free customer service — (800) 446-1135.

Sun Ports International, Inc.

PO Box 560168
Dallas, TX 75356-0168
(800) 966-5005

Manufacturers of shade structures for playground areas. Manufacturers of structures to cover the actual playground equipment. Shade structures provide up to 90% shade and 90% ultraviolet protection. Available in numerous color choices.

UPPY, Inc.

601 West Golf Road, Suite 108
Mt. Prospect, IL 60056
(800) 958-8779

UPPY™ is safe, accessible, requires little maintenance, and NO periodic restocking. UPPY™ reduces playground injuries and liability; it increases the quantity of time your children spend. Your playground can be used within minutes of even a heavy rainfall, because UPPY™ drains so well.

Playground Equipment Sellers

Appleseed Recreation

1217 North Meyer
Seabrook, TX 77586
(800) 977-0671

Appleseed Recreation has been involved in the playground industry since 1986. Robert Rothbard is the president of Appleseed; he is a certified playground safety inspector. Appleseed represents Kompan and manufactures the longest lasting basketball nets, DuraNets. Robert Rothbard is a playground designer, expert witness, and inventor, hold-

ing six U.S. patents.

Lakeshore Learning Materials

2695 East Dominguez Street
Carson, CA 90749
(800) 421-5354

Lakeshore's playground equipment is constructed of top quality redwood that resists insects, splintering, and discoloring. The canopies, flags, and windows are made from durable vinyl, the bolts are flush-set for safety, and our equipment features grab-bars to help steady young climbers.

Northwest Playground Equipment, Inc.

1125 12th Avenue NW, Suite B-1B
Issaquah, WA 98027
(800) 726-0031

Northwest Playground Equipment has been a leading supplier in the Pacific Northwest for over ten years. We represent excellent quality manufacturers who provide innovative and safe playground equipment and safety surfaces which promote fun and offer challenges for every stage of a child's development.

Pacific Playground, Inc.

PO Box 64068
Tacoma, WA 98464
(800) 962-5048

Pacific Playground, Inc., with over 12 years of experience, is proud to represent the products of the Kompan group: BigToys, Kompan, and 10 Plus play equipment. The innovation and quality of this equipment is unparalleled. From toddler to teen, Kompan products can make your playground project a success.

Playgrounds by Design

PO Box 5452
Pleasanton, CA 94566
(510) 426-6705

Playgrounds by Design is the northern California rep for Playworld Systems and PlayDesigns. We do custom design and site visitations at no charge to the customer.

Recreation Resource

PO Box 4508
Salem, OR 97302
(800) 635-2525

Recreation Resource represents Landscape Structures play equipment. Landscape Structures is the innovator of many "firsts" in the playground industry. Steve King, the founder, is a registered landscape architect and is active on both the CPSC guidelines and is the chairman of the ASTM subcommittee which developed ADA and maintenance information.

**SiteLines Park and
Playground Products**

626 128th Street SW, Suite 104-A
Everett, WA 98205
(206) 355-5655

When safety and long term durability are important, call the experts — SiteLines. Our staff of certified playground designers can custom design your play area to meet your special needs, including GameTime play structures, slides, swings, climbers, and benches. We also offer Fibar safety surfacing, rubber matting, and complete installation services.

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Center Management Software!