

PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

When any playground equipment is installed on Charlottesville City School Board property, the Charlottesville City School Board assumes ownership of that equipment unless specifically stated otherwise by agreement. The maintenance of the playground equipment installed by a school or community group is the responsibility of the Parks and Recreation Department of the City of Charlottesville.

Once equipment is installed on Charlottesville City School Board property, the Park and Recreation Department has the responsibility to inspect the equipment on a regular basis and the authority to order its repair or removal from the school property. The principal may also restrict or deny the use of such equipment until such time as, in his/her sole opinion, it is restored to a safe condition.

Consideration should be given to designing the outdoor learning environment to support classroom learning.

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Legal References: Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, sections 22.1-78, 22.79, 2.1-293
Guidelines for School Facilities in Virginia's Public Schools (Virginia Department of Education, September 2013)