

Playground Rules

Recess is a time to relax, have some fun and get some exercise. It gives us an opportunity to enjoy current friendships make new friends. Therefore:

1. All play should be done in a Christian, inclusive and friendly manner.
2. Name calling and hurting each other physically or emotionally is not permitted and will result in time out (at the wall or on a bench).
3. NO tackling or pushing is permitted (will result in time out or being sent to the office).
4. No dodge ball or games that include throwing balls **at** someone instead of **to** someone.
5. Only Nerf balls and school-issued balls will be permitted on the playground. Balls should be used away from Market Street, kicked or thrown towards the field. Balls are allowed to be thrown against the school wall.
6. Jump ropes are permitted for jumping only.
7. Hula hoops are permitted for hula hooping or jumping only.
8. Sidewalk chalk is permitted but what is written must not be unchristian, impolite or inappropriate.
9. Any playground equipment that is improperly used will be confiscated.
10. Balls that go outside the fence must be returned by an adult.
11. If students need to remove their coats or jackets, they need to be placed on the benches (not thrown on the ground).
12. Students must ask an adult for permission to get a drink or go to the bathroom.

13. Misbehavior on the playground should be reported to the student's teacher. If behavior is considered serious, the adult on duty should send the student to the principal.

Parent volunteers are present to help prevent injury and to supervise the students. It is their duty to carefully and attentively observe the students and intervene when necessary (They have the authority to do so).

Thank you for helping keep our children safe.