

Installer Completion Checklist: Climbing Frames

Verify Components

- Check that all boxes and components are present as per the packing list.
- Inspect each component for any damage or defects.

Review Installation Instructions

• Read through the entire installation manual before starting.

Prepare the Site

- \circ $\,$ Ensure the installation area is flat, level, and free of debris.
- Verify that there is enough clearance around the frame for safe play (minimum recommended clearance is 6 feet).
- Check for any underground utilities or obstacles before anchoring.

Frame Assembly

Lay Out Parts

- \circ $\,$ Lay out all parts in the order of assembly to streamline the process.
- Separate nuts, bolts, screws, and other small parts for easy access.

Construct the Base/tower

- Assemble the base structure according to the instructions.
- Use a level to ensure the base is even and stable. Double check the positioning with the customer.
- Double-check that all bolts are tightened securely.
- Ensure all joints are tightly secured and aligned correctly.
- \circ $\;$ Attach platforms or decks at the appropriate heights as per the manual.
- Ensure all fastenings are secure, and no gaps or uneven edges are present.
- Ensure there are no sharp edges or protruding bolts that could cause injury.
- \circ $\;$ Test the stability of all safety features after installation.
- Anchor the climbing frame securely to the ground using the stakes or anchors.
- Test the stability of the entire structure by gently pushing and pulling it from different angles.
- Attach swings, ladders, slides, and any other accessories as per the manual.
- Ensure that all moving parts are securely attached and move smoothly.
- Check that all swing chains and ropes are the correct length and securely fastened.

Safety Check for Accessories

 \circ $\,$ Ensure there are no pinch points or sharp edges on the accessories.

- Verify that all accessories are installed at the correct height and angle.
- \circ $\;$ Test each accessory for stability and proper function.

Inspect the Entire Structure

- With the customer, walk around the entire climbing frame to check for loose bolts, sharp edges, or any other safety hazards.
- Verify that all components are securely attached and that there are no missing parts.
- Ensure the frame is stable and does not wobble or shift when used.

Perform a Load Test

- Carefully apply pressure or load to key parts of the structure (e.g., swings, platforms) to ensure they can withstand normal use.
- Make adjustments if any part of the frame shows signs of weakness.

Clear the Area

- Remove all tools, packaging materials, and debris from the installation site.
- Ensure the area around the climbing frame is safe and free from obstacles.

Provide Usage Instructions

- Walk the customer through the climbing frame's features and safe usage guidelines.
- Ensure the customer is satisfied with the installation and has no further questions.
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