

Imagination Playground Ground Rules

The imagination playground is a set of architectural scale play blocks to inspire movement, creativity and social interaction among kids and families.



recommended age group: 2 years and up

minimum play area: 225 sq. ft.

container specifications: Approximately 3' 1" L x 2' 1" D x 2' 1" H (per bag)

weight: Approximately 260 lbs. (5 bags and contents)

site condition: For use in indoor or outdoor settings. The Bag storage units must be placed on a solid, level surface. The storage units are not intended for placement on surfaces such as gravel, concrete or mulch. Adult supervision required at all times. Not recommended for storage in extreme outdoor weather conditions such as heavy rain, snow, and freezing temperatures.

The set of five bags contain a total of 75 Biodegradable foam blocks, 15 foam noodles, 10 playballs and 21 play scarves. There is also a schematic for packing the blocks into the five bags and a play manual included.

Users

Non-profit educational organizations located in Polk County may use the Imagination Playground upon request, free of charge. Libraries or other non-profit educational organizations located outside of Polk County may use the Imagination Playground for a \$200/24 hour fee. Individuals may use the IP for a \$250/24 hour fee. Priority is giving to local non-profits and final scheduling decisions are made by the St. Croix Falls Public Library. Funds raised will be used to enhance and maintain the equipment.

Check List for Use

1. Blocks must be transported to and from the St. Croix Falls Library by the user
2. Blocks must be packed into the carts according to the schematic (allow at least 20 minutes to pack up equipment)
3. Use the schematic as an inventory sheet; all blocks must be returned and remain together as a set
4. One primary contact person for the event/equipment must read the play manual prior to the event and be present during the event
5. Adult to kid ratio must be reasonable; suggested is one adult / five kids for young kids and one adult / 12 for older kids
6. The area where the blocks are used must meet the manual requirement for size, safety and surface
7. Using the blocks outside on grass requires use of the 16 x 16 tarp
8. Missing or damaged blocks will be replaced by the St. Croix Falls Library with charges applied to the responsible user
9. Blocks will be cleaned once per month at the SCF Library
10. If the blocks are wet for any reason prior to packing & transporting back to the SCF PL, please alert SCF PL staff so blocks can be aired upon return
11. Take some time to visit the Imagination Playground website for innovative play ideas <http://www.imaginationplayground.com/contact-us/purchase/welcome-play-associates/index.html>