

Audit Your Outdoor Provision

To help you review the strength of your outdoor provision, use the check list below.

Seek help! Gain immediate advice to plan your outdoor environment.

17-32 score: **Doing well** Seek support for improving weaker or non-existent areas.

33-50 score: Almost there Add a new area or set of resources to enrich learning.

51+ score: Amazing! Share your outstanding outdoor space with us on social media.

Provision Area	Large Equipment	Resources	Storage	Score
Physical Development	Play crates Wooden planks Wooden poles Tyres Sack cart	Steering wheels Ropes Large tubes Large pipes	Tall storage tub for planks, poles and pipes	Score out of 10:
Collaboration & Communication	Den frame and cover Set of natural poles	Large den covers and pegs Waterproof covers and ground sheets Baskets and backpacks Camping and picnic ware Emergency services dressing-up clothes Set of cones	Large green stacking crates for housing and displaying resources Small, clear boxes with lids for dressing-up clothes Carryalls for rope, pegs and clips	Score out of 11:
Mathematical Thinking		Set of natural materials of varied number, size and shape Numbered skittles and cones Large dice Number mats Large calculator Measures and timers Balls, hoops, bean bags and ropes Chalk and whiteboards	Large baskets for natural materials Large clear box with lid for maths equipment	Score out of 10:
Science Investigation	Mud kitchen bench with sink Mud kitchen bench with hob Pipes and guttering Tubes and connectors Sweeping brushes	Jerry cans of different sizes Large marble bowls and washing-up bowls Buckets, jugs and funnels Plastic tubing Trays, pans and kitchen utensils	Large green stacking crates for housing and displaying resources Selection of trugs	Score out of 12:
Knowledge of the World	Wheelbarrow Spades and rakes Brushes	Garden hand tools Gardening gloves Garden sieve Magnifiers, bug pots and small collection trays Wind spirals, turbines and twisters Ribbons and silk scarves Small parachute	Set of trugs for collecting natural materials, soil and leaves Carryalls for carrying small equipment	Score out of 12:
Creative & Expressive Art	Set of obelisks Set of weaving rings Set of weaving mats	Selection of natural objects such as large beads, feathers and wooden rings Selection of weaving threads such as rafia, felt ties, ribbon, thick wool Set of large wild animals Set of large dinosaurs	Large baskets to house small world sets Baskets to house weaving materials	Score out of 9:
Keeping Warm & Dry		Set of wellington boots Waterproof jackets for wet weather Bib and braces for mild, dry weather Umbrellas	Boot racks	Score out of 5:
		see how high you score.		Total:

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