



ecoscape

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playground design



Playgrounds and play spaces are essential in the physical, mental and emotional development of children. Well designed play spaces engage and challenge children of all ages and abilities in a safe and fun environment. Playground design offers the opportunity to establish or enhance the theme of an environment. To achieve safe and engaging play environments, attention to detail and a thorough understanding of safety standards are critical.

Our Services

- site analysis and opportunity identification
- concept theme development
- concept plan preparation
- design and documentation of custom play elements
- collaboration with artists
- detailed design and construction documentation
- opinions of probable cost
- contract administration
- qualified playground safety inspection.

Our Approach

Ecoscape's experienced design team recognises that children have abilities that are often stifled in urban settings and restricted in "well designed" playgrounds. We aim to create play environments that encourage children of all ages and abilities to discover, experience, feel, touch, taste, see, hear and learn while they play in a safe environment. To maintain a sense of place, the biophysical and socio-cultural attributes of each site are analysed and play themes developed. Our knowledge of playground standards and CPTED (Crime Prevention through Environmental Design) principles, combined with water sensitive design techniques and the use of native flora create culturally and environmentally sensitive playground solutions which are functional and economically sustainable. Ecoscape's playgrounds are designed to nurture the whole community, regardless of age, physical or intellectual ability.

Our Experience

- Kadidjiny Parkland, City of Melville
- Pelican Respite Centre Playground, Activ Foundation
- Freshwater Bay Playground, Shire of Peppermint Grove
- Mueller Park Playground, City of Subiaco
- Piney Lakes Sensory Playground, City of Melville
- Wanneroo Accessible Playground, City of Wanneroo

