	Local Minor Playgrounds	Local Major Playgrounds	Suburban (District) Playgrounds	Regional Playgrounds
Catchments and Length of Stay	 Service local residents 5-10 min walking distance (about 500m) About 20 minute stay 	 Service local residents 10-15 min walking distance (about 750m) About 30 minute stay 	 At a minimum_services the whole suburb Residents will come from other suburbs Most people drive to these. About 1-2 hour stay 	 Services the Riverina Region Visitors may stay for a number of hours
Accessibility	 Kerbside car parking Walking (connections with footpaths) and on street parking 	 Kerbside car parking Walking (connections with footpaths) and on street parking Preferred off road cycle network 	 Usually off street parking areas Usually a range of pedestrian and cycle way connections 	 Major car parking, public transport Range of pedestrian and cycle way connections
Age Ranges	 At least one (1) age group Generally, seven (7) years and below 	At least two (2) age groups Generally, seven (7) years and below	 Broad range of children and carers Multiple age groups (0-2), (3-7) and (7-12) years catered for. May cater for older people 	 All age groups up to 12 years catered for. Will have activities for teenagers and / or adults within the play space
Equipment Design	 Basic playground, Up to three (3) small items of equipment Minimum, one (1) set of swings, and one (1) single platform structure When renewing consultation with local residents required Indicative value \$70,000 	three (3) items of equipment Includes at least one (1) set of	 More advanced equipment than local parks Graded challenges for wide appeal + multiple play experiences, depending on surrounding recreation attractions When renewing consultation with whole suburb Indicative value \$174,000 	 Major all-age playground, possibly accessfor-all playground system Large number of play activities Equipment caters for wide range of age groups, at minimum 0-12 years When renewing shire wide consultation Indicative value \$450,000

	Supporting Infrastructure	 At least one (1) setting Natural shade Often close to another better resourced playground 	At least two (2) settings A combination of shade sails and natural shade Usually irrigated Landscaping and irrigation optional	 Access to public toilets A combination of shade sails and natural shade Numerous picnic settings Shelters and BBQ's Bubbler and Bins Irrigated and landscaped (incorporating imaginative play areas) 	 BBQ's, picnic furniture, attractive landscaped areas. A combination of shade sails and natural shade Public toilet and change facilities Informal play spaces or sports fields Dedicated car parking Bubbler and bins Disability facilities available Irrigated and landscaped (incorporating imaginative play areas)
	Approx. Land Area	0.3 to 0.5 hectares of usable land	0.5 to 1 hectare of usable land	1 to 2 hectares of usable land	Greater than two (2) hectares of usable land
	Examples	 Simmons St Park (0.2ha) Central and Boorooma Park (0.4ha) Estella 	Undurra Dr (0.9ha) Glenfield and Menneke Park (1ha) Estella	Glenfield Oval (2ha) and Collins Park (2.1ha) Central	 Adventure Playground at Botanical Gardens (2.5ha) and Apex Park (4ha) Lake Albert
	lanned Renewal Cycle	Plan to renew after 20 years	Plan to renew after 20 years	Plan to renew after 20 years, consider replacing high use equipment after 10 years	 Plan to renew after 20 years, consider replacing high use equipment after 10 years